

# COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO, BORREGO SPRINGS COMMUNITY SPONSOR GROUP

## \*\*\*MEETING AGENDA\*\*\*

Thursday, November 4, 2021 4:30 p.m.

**DUE TO RESTRICTIONS ON PUBLIC MEETINGS AS A RESULT OF THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS,  
WE WILL MEET VIA A SCHEDULED ZOOM MEETING.**

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84177818830?pwd=V2Zaa3FRakRjdUJvMjMvbnFFblZrQT09>

or call: 669 900 6833

Meeting ID: 841 7781 8830

Passcode: 211565

**THE PUBLIC IS ALWAYS WELCOME TO OUR MEETINGS**

**WE REPRESENT YOU WHEN ADVISING THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO ON LAND USE ISSUES**

- A. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL
- B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR THE MEETINGS OF October 7, 2021
- C. PUBLIC COMMUNICATION (may be limited to 3 min): Opportunity for members of the public to speak to the Group on any subject matter within the Group's jurisdiction that is not on the posted agenda.
- D. ACTION ITEMS:

1. Discussion about whether to continue to meet virtually or some other way in December.

*The Borrego Springs Covid-19 Task Force currently makes the following recommendation:*

*Meet in person only if*

- *all are vaccinated*
- *rates of infection are low in the area*
- *some distancing is possible*
- *masks on all*
- *If not all are vaccinated, don't meet in person.*

If the Sponsor Group decides to continue to meet virtually, then the following would apply.

**Item: Continuance of Teleconferencing Meeting Option Pursuant to Government Code Section 54953(e)**

**Motion to be considered, if made:**

**Pursuant to Government Code section 54953(e)(3), a motion to find the legislative body has reconsidered the circumstances of the State of Emergency and state and local officials continue to recommend measures to promote social distancing.**

**2. Changing our meeting time to accommodate working members of the community.** There are 27 Community Groups/Sponsor Groups in San Diego County. Twenty of them meet at 7 pm, one at 7:30 pm, two at 6:30 pm, two at 6 pm, one (Borrego Springs) meets at 4:30 pm, and one doesn't publish a meeting time. Shall we change our meeting time so those who work can attend our meetings? What time is best? The library can accommodate an evening meeting.

- E. NON-ACTION ITEMS:

- 1. **County of San Diego will be back on our agenda in December regarding Smart Growth Alternatives and incentives/disincentives we might want to suggest for our VMT efficient area, yet to be finalized. For that discussion, would we like to suggest the idea of live/work zoning downtown to encourage post-covid movement of professionals to outlying areas, now able to work from home, as an encouragement for developers seeking to build housing and to help build up our downtown area? Also for discussion, the idea of asking the County to include post office street delivery twice a week**

as part of the Climate Action Plan to encourage less need for frequent vehicle miles traveled to the post office.

**F. GROUP BUSINESS:**

1. **Announcements and Correspondence Received:** Fema Forum cancelled for Nov 9<sup>th</sup>, will be rescheduled for January or February.
2. **Discussion Items:**
3. **Subcommittee Reports:** Any subcommittee reports.
4. **Meeting Updates:** See next subcommittee meeting notices at the end of this agenda.

**G. ADJOURNMENT**

The next regular meeting is scheduled for **December 2, 4:30 pm (unless the meeting time is changed at the November 4<sup>th</sup> meeting) at the Borrego Springs Library Community Room, 2850 Country Club Rd, Borrego Springs, California or via Zoom and possibly in person with a telephone/virtual option.**

**UPCOMING STANDING SUBCOMMITTEE MEETINGS:**

**County Programs and Regulations (CPRS),** November 15, 4:30 pm. Email Chair Rebecca Falk at rebfalk7@gmail.com to be put on the email list for the agenda and link to attend.

**Water and Land Use,** November 17<sup>th</sup>, 3:00 pm, email Chair John Peterson at petersonenv@hotmail.com to be put on the email list for the agenda and link to attend.

**Road Maintenance,** TBA, email chair Bill Haneline at desertwrx15@gmail.com to be put on the agenda email list. The public can submit suggestions for roads in Borrego Springs that need road resurfacing to the Sponsor Group's Road Maintenance Standing Committee. Any suggestions for next year's recommendations should be sent to Bill Haneline at desertwrx15@gmail.

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