

# COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO, BORREGO SPRINGS COMMUNITY SPONSOR GROUP

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

Thursday, October 6, 2022, 5:00 p.m.

In-person at the Borrego Library, 2850 Country Club Rd, Borrego Springs & also via Zoom

*The County follows California Department of Public Health guidance that recommends everyone wear a face covering in indoor cooling centers, like our public library, whether you have been vaccinated or not.*

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or call: 669 900 6833, Meeting ID: 834 3301 2379, Passcode: 089592

Agenda Packet: <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1s-nzECoblSx9wBM81-lq6U-Bn5gpDgbA?usp=sharing>

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- A. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL
- B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR THE MEETING OF September 1, 2022
- 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. Election of Nominees for Expiring Seats #2/Falk, #4/Peterson, #6/Farley—choosing to end service and not seek another term, and #8/McRae. There is one application (certified by the Registrar of Voters) for seat #6, no other applicants except that Falk, Peterson and McRae are seeking another term.
  - 2. Election of Officers for 2023: Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson and Secretary.
- E. NON-ACTION ITEMS:
  - 1. **Report on Sustainable Land Use Framework and likely substitution for a Community Plan Update.** County Staff presenting and available for questions. The community is seeking clarification about this item and what to expect from/how to prepare for the Board of Supervisors Meeting at the end of December 2022 about community concerns and needs. Presenters are either (possibly both) Lynette Tessitore, Chief, Long Range Planning and/or Don Chase, Land Use/Environmental Planning Manager, General Plan/Community Plans.
  - 2. **October 19<sup>th</sup> Water and Land Use Subcommittee (WATCO) meeting at 3 pm via Zoom to discuss Nitrates and Wells with Trey Driscoll, Principal Hydrogeologist for Intera, Consultant for BWD and Member of the Watermaster Board Technical Advisory Committee (TAC).** Zoom invitations will be sent to the Sponsor Group email list as well as to the WATCO email list. If not on those lists but you want to attend, please send your email request for an invitation to [petersonenv@hotmail.com](mailto:petersonenv@hotmail.com), John Peterson, Chair of the WATCO Committee of the Sponsor Group.
  - 3. **San Diego County is holding public workshops related to its Decarbonization Initiatives in the following areas: Buildings (first workshop Thursday, 9/29), Electricity, Transportation, Land Use and Natural Climate Solutions, Food Systems and Circular Economy.** To join, email [Zerocarbon.Lueg@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:Zerocarbon.Lueg@sdcounty.ca.gov) to ask for help to sign up, or refer to the email in the Agenda Packet with links to the "Interest Form" and "Engagement Portal." Your ideas will be recorded and considered but only if you voice them. I have found County Staff very responsive to ideas. This is a chance to influence what the Board of Supervisors will consider in the early Spring of 2023.
  - 4. Park Lands Dedication Ordinance (PLDO ) Priority Request from the County is still pending communication with County Parks, but there may be an update by the time of the meeting. See documents in the agenda packet for background on the opportunity Borrego Springs has to request use of approximately \$100,000 of Borrego's PLDO funds for improvement to our parks, within County guidelines and approval. This will be back on the

agenda as an action item at the November 3, 2022 Sponsor Group Meeting. Suggestions from the public are welcome and can be directed to Rebecca Falk or Judy Haldeman or brought up at the November meeting.

**F. GROUP BUSINESS:**

- 1. Announcement and Correspondence Received:** See Board of Supervisors' 9/27/22 approved *Code of Conduct* (Agenda Packet) affecting this Group and all County Boards, Commissions, Committees and Community Planning and Sponsor Groups. Also see pdf slide show and RFalk notes from Chair Quarterly meeting on Community ID Signs--in the Agenda Packet. Nancy McRae is the Sponsor Group point person on Community ID Signage.
- 2. Discussion Items:**
- 3. Subcommittee Reports:**
- 4. Meeting Updates:**

**G. ADJOURNMENT**

**The next regular meeting is scheduled for November 3, 2022, 5 pm at the Borrego Springs Library Community Room, 2850 Country Club Rd, Borrego Springs, California and via Zoom..**

**UPCOMING STANDING SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING:**

**Water and Land Use**, email Chair John Peterson at [petersonenv@hotmail.com](mailto:petersonenv@hotmail.com) to be put on the email list for the agenda and link to attend each meeting. **Next Meeting October 19, Wednesday, 3 pm via Zoom.**

**The Chair has appointed the following BSCSG Members to serve as point of contact for the following areas:**

a) Sheriff's Office/Crime: John Peterson, b) Dollar General Store (presentation by developer at BSCSG June Meeting): Bruce Durbin, c) Road Maintenance, Bill Haneline, d) 18-Wheel Trucks on S-22, Nancy McRae, e) Community Sign Program, Nancy McRae. Emails sent to the Chair at [rebalk7@gmail.com](mailto:rebalk7@gmail.com) will be forwarded to the appropriate person.

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