

# Rainbow Planning Group

## Advising the Board of Supervisors- San Diego County

Draft Minutes of Nov 16, 2016 Meeting

### I. Open Provisions

- a. Call to order by Gary Drake 6:30 PM
- b. Pledge of allegiance
- c. Attendance. Jerri Arganda, Mark DiVecchio, William Crocker, Ron Trotter, Marty Kurland, Paul Georgantas, Nita Pearce, Frederick Rasp, Mike Darnley, Gary Drake.

**II. Approval of Agenda** Nov 16, 2016 Frederick Rasp moved, Nita Pearce Second. Approved Unanimously.

### III. Public Comments

- a. Moved from item VII to accommodate presenters. Proposed Local Park Planning Area: presented by Steven Paul San Diego County. Gary Emil read a document outlining PLDO (Park Lands Declaration Ordinance) funding for Fallbrook/Rainbow Parks. Rainbow is not included. Concerns raised by Gary Drake and Paul Georgantas about the imbalance. The wisdom of the plan to use Artificial Turf at Rainbow Park was discussed. Expensive 1.4 million mentioned. No lighting included Meeting lead by County Service Area, Joe Camalo will be an item on the January 19 Agenda.  
Discussion included a question as to whether Rainbow could govern their own park area if Rainbow separates from Fallbrook. It was mentioned that the CSA ordinance was on the ballot a while back and it passed

### IV. Consolidated Motion

- a. October 19 , 2016 meeting minutes approval Moved Jerri Arganda , Seconded. Paul Georgantas, Unanimously approved.

### V. County Action Items

- a. Letter to Supervisor Horne regarding about unlicensed businesses asking what the County will do about this problem in Rainbow. Refers to illegal Marijuana outlets in Rainbow. Letter to be sent. Moved Paul Georgantas Second Marty Kurland.

## **VI. Old Business and Reports**

- a. Roads and traffic. It was voted that we ask the county about installing a convex mirror on Rice Canyon to help residents see oncoming traffic. Moved Frederick Rasp. Second Marty Kurland. Unanimous.
- b. I-15 Design Review Board Has ceased to function. Don't know the future.
- c. Water and Environmental issues Darren Milner Rainbow Municipal Water District Contingency Plan being updated. Water reclamation study was finished in June 2016. Two alternatives were studied. Build a reclamation plant or receive recycled water from Oceanside. Both ideas are expensive, and require a costly distribution system to get the water to agriculture customers. Because there is uncertainty about recycled water demand other alternatives are being explored with Oceanside and perhaps indirect potable water reuse. The report was written by Sherry R. Kirkpatrick PE of RBMWD. The Desalination Plant tour in Carlsbad was firmed up and arrangements made for those interested in the tour. Feb 7, 2017 9 am. As a note of interest desalinated water is starting to show up in the aquifer of South RBMWD. There is a 3.5% rate increase coming in January. Reclaimed water from Oceanside could be an alternative water source. It would A big pipe and a hole in the ground in the south district to charge the aquifer.
- d. Rainbow Community Earthquake and Disaster Preparedness. The membership received a draft RCPG Disaster Preparedness Sheet with recommendations.
- e. The planning group voted to cancel the December meeting
- f. Paul Georganta reported that ARC has more members than ever and in in good shape financially. The deadline for the newsletter is approaching.

## **VII. New Business**

See III a. above about parks.

Adjourn 7:50 PM

Respectfully submitted

William Crocker, Secretary