

County of San Diego Sweetwater Community Planning Group

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

TUESDAY

October 3, 2023 7:00PM

Administrative Items

Co-Chair Steve Stonehouse brought the meeting to order at 7:00PM, Bonita-Sunnyside Fire Department training room.

Item #1a: Roll call: Secretary Liz Stonehouse read the roll. Steve Stonehouse co-chair, Mike Clowers, Judy Tieber, Tony Tieber, Lori Noe., Penni Neely, Werner John Taylor, Harriet Taylor, Mark Kukuchek, Michael Garrod, Daniel Diaz.

Excused: Diane Carter, Uwe Werner Absent: Shane Parmely

Item #1b: No changes to agenda.

Item #2: Approval of minutes from September, 2023. Judy moved to approve, Steve seconded Vote: 9 aye, 4 Abstentions: Mark Kukuchek, Harriet Taylor, John Taylor and Michael Garrod. One absent, Diane Carter. Motion passed.

Item #3: Opportunity of others to speak on items not on the agenda: There was another discussion about the problem at Procter Valley Road, San Miguel Road as to the annual flooding. Liz mentioned that the sidewalk at the North end of Frisbie Street where it meets Bonita Road is badly in need of repair. The sidewalk was originally put there as a 'safe way to school'. There was a discussion that led to finding Murali.

Action Items

Item #4: Request for 2023-2024 PLDO priority list. The PLDO list will remain the same. Mark mentioned that he could get someone to discuss it next month.

Mark, in the meantime motioned: That we get a report from a PLDO person detailing what has been done within our list over the past few years, and where the County is on the rest. Michael Garrod seconded. Vote: 13 Aye, 1 excused, absent, Diane Carter, Shane Parmely. Motion Passed.

Item #5: Vote for Sweetwater CPG to be included in the 'Associated Planning Group' to have an 'At-large' member to attend SANDAG meetings in order go be a voice for the CPG. Harriet Taylor presenting. Vote: 11 ayes, 2 Abstains, Stephen Stonehouse, and Judy Tieber. One noe, Tony Tieber, motion passed.

Item #6: Vote to write a letter to Planning and development Services to encourage County to continue with the ADU waiver program. Stephen Stonehouse presenting: After discussion: Vote 7 aye, 3 abstentions, Liz Stonehouse, Michael Clowers, Lori Noe, 4 noe: Uwe Werner, Daniel Diaz, Tony Tieber, Judy Tieber, one absent: Diane Carter. Vote did not pass.

Item #7. Vote to set up committee to talk to County Planners regarding ACE Storage and Quarry Road Storage facilities. Harriet Taylor presenting: Motion: For Harriet Taylor to talk to County Planner about ACE Storage only. Michael Garrod seconded. Vote: 11 Aye, 2 Abstains: Liz Stonehouse, Daniel Diaz: One noe: Stephen Stonehouse, One absent Diane Carter.

Non-Action Items

Item #8: Construction of sidewalk located along the south side of La Vista Memorial Park on 32nd Street (Lincoln Acres Area) Cynthia Curtis project manager DPW presenting. She just explained that she was here because she needed to present the issue to a Planning Group.

Item #9: Long discussion about the plans that Starbucks had given us. Harriet didn't want all the signage. Michale Garrod finally pointed out that some lawyer probably got into the act.

Item #10: Harriet: already spoke.

Item #11: Andrew Harvey with County updates: Andrew was absent.

Item #12: Trails Report: Trails need work.

Item #13: Michael Clowers with Traffic Advisory Updates: Nothing at this time.

Item #14: Adjournment. 9:30 PM

Respectfully submitted

Liz Stonehouse, Secretary

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Next meeting Tuesday, November 7, 2023 at the Bonita-Sunnyside Fire Department Training Room. Meeting will start at 7:00 P.M.