

Good Hope / Meadowbrook

MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

September 4, 2014 @ 6:00PM

Moses-Schaffer Community Center

21565 Steele Peak Drive, Good Hope

PROPOSED MINUTES

1.0 Call to Order: Meeting Called to order AT 6:10pm by President Jackie McDonald, Renewal of Pledge of Allegiance.

1.1 Roll Call: Jackie McDonald (President), Willie Moses, Carlos Lara(Vice-President) all present, Diana Martin is absent.

2.0 Approval of Minutes: May 1, 2014 with the following corrections: 4.0 Jesse Rojas has resigned. 6.2 LaShe Rodriguez, Assistant to Jose Medina introduced herself to Council and attendees. Mrs. Moses moved Carlos Lara seconded.

2.1 Approval of Corrections to Amend: April 3, 2014 minutes as discussed at the May 1, meeting: **3.2:** Jeff Tote was the speaker, **4.3:** General topics-discussion re Brown Bag and Zumba programs / times as brought forth March 21, 2014, **5.1:** Gwendolyn Maymon (spelling), **5.4:** Several audience members spoke about lack of services at the Center. Carlos moved, Mrs. Moses seconded.

3.0 Public Safety Updates

3.1 Sheriff Dept.- Lt. Zack Hall: Crime Stats for August: 196 calls resulting in 3 assaults, 1 burglary, 1 theft, 1 stolen vehicle.; others included graffiti, missing persons etc. Difference in Robbery(taken by force or fear from a person) and Burglary(entering a structure or place of business. Theft is \$950 or less Grand theft over \$950.**J. Rojas question:** Shootings in the area. Answer: Some properties are large enough to shoot on. Size and zone information will be brought forward next month. **Question re:** burning, deputies called, alleged harassment and discrimination of resident. Sheriff does not enforce immigration.

3.2 Fire Department - Station 9, New Captain

No burn permits being issued unless it is the only way to cook your meals. No Open Fires allowed until further notice. Personal problem discussed same as last question to Sheriff. Discussion continued outside. **M Venerable question:** How was this info given to residents? (No Burning) Newspaper, Website. **C. Lara question:** What about using gas? No Firepits, only gas BarBQue.

3.3 Code Enforcement Officer Brian Bealer: Still working cases in the area, taking down yard sale signs and other blight, closed 2 dispensaries on Hwy 74. **Question:** Is it legal to run a business from your home and charge people coming to the home? Answer: NO. **Question:** Green Signs indicate dispensaries are they legal in Perris or County areas? Answer: All dispensaries are banned in Riverside County.

4.0 New Business

4.1 Parks & Rec Ronald Donis: Bad News, grant for playground was pulled and playground will be delayed. County's share for the park is still available, and alternative funding is being looked for.

Stephanie- Here every day Monday - Friday 8 am to 1pm; evenings from 5pm to 7pm. Fit after 50 Class every Wednesday 11am to 12, Senior meals are served daily. Diversity Day Thursday: Bingo, Crochet, Cards, Art, Computer Class taught by Ethel MacDonald.

4.2 Halloween Trick or Trunk: residents signed up to volunteer; bringing candy and to help with security. We also need to buy prizes for Best Costume, Bobbing for apples, etc.

4.3 Fit after 50 update was discussed by Stephanie under Parks and Rec.

4.4 RTA COA - Joe Forgiarini Local transportation survey results - most intervals have been changed from 45 minutes to 30 minutes. Survey will be presented in October for approval. There was no information on Route 22 which runs through Good Hope. **G. Jones Question:** Is RTA hiring? RTA is always hiring.

5.0 Public Comment

Ella Hogan, Gerald Jones Concerns a tree outside their fence and has requested it be removed for some years. Whether it is the homeowner's or County's responsibility is the question. Code enforcement will handle.

6.0 Legislative Reports

6.1 Deni Horne Field Rep to Assemblywoman Melissa Melendez

In 2 yrs has passed 7 pieces of legislation. Protecting children on Media

Signed by the Governor; Defibrillators in Public schools awaits the Governor's signature; Presented a letter to Mexico's President to release our soldier. Senior scam stopper event was held in Menifee. Vets Expo will be held 9/13/14 with free transportation by RTA.

7.0 Report from Supervisor Kevin Jeffries office

7.1 Donna Jacomet - EMWD Drought Update: *Ron Sullivan is the EMWD board member for our area. EMWD imports 56% of our water, sells about 90% of recycled water, has no authority over development- except California natives plantings. 2014 is 7th driest, 9th hottest year. Since April the Governor has called for a 20% reduction in usage. Effective 7/28/14: Eliminate runoff, No Hosing down sidewalks/driveways, no refilling fountains, Fines up to \$500/day. Staff must witness the violation, First violation = warning Second= \$25 Residential/ \$100/Commercial. HOA's cannot fine you during this time. Oct 25, 2014 - Open House event. Hotline: 951-928-3777 ext3306.*

7.2 Rosa - Mead Valley Library *has programs for all ages. Pamphlets available.*

7.2 Tom Ketcham, *Legislative Assistant to Supervisor Kevin Jeffries*

Reminder Cert Class @ Mead Valley Library Oct. 3/4/5/2014. Discussion with Mrs. Moses about a Craft Sale to generate funds for the Center. Vote for Marijuana has been pushed back waiting for State legislation on the ballot in 2016. Rogelio a new member for the MAC goes before the Board Tuesday Sept. 9th, Call Waste Management for dumped furniture.

8.0 Perris Valley MAC Member Comments: *Mrs. Moses Thanks to B. Bealer, Code Enforcement for quieting the loud music after hours in the area. Carlos Lara - advised he is resigning. He now needs to advise the Board in writing. Jackie McDonald - Second request for Health Dept to discuss strange bugs, whooping cough and measles in the area. Answers to neighbors questions need to be delivered at the ensuing meeting; Second request for a legible map of Good Hope showing boundaries. Name card for Diana Martin. Quote for the month Start where you are, use what you have, do the best you can. Arthur Ashe*

9.0 Future Agenda Items By M. Venerable Trained person on Covered California to speak with neighbors. She will supply the person. Update on Halloween Trick or Trunk, Budget for the Center, New members to MAC incoming as Alternates.

Date of Next Meeting, October 2, 2014 Moses-Schaffer Community Center.

Adjournment: 7:48pm Attendance: 26