

Rodeo Municipal Advisory Council

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Record of Action

July 22, 2021, 7 p.m.

CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) ADVISORY WARNING ***STAY SAFE, STAY HEALTHY, STAY HOME***

To slow the spread of COVID-19, the Contra Costa County Health Officer's Shelter Order prevents public gatherings. In lieu of a public gathering, the Municipal Advisory Council Meeting will be accessible via ZOOM to all members of the public as permitted by the Governor's Executive Order N-29-20.

How to Submit Public Comments:

Written: All comments must be received **before 3:00 pm on Thursday, July 21**. Please email your comments to Dominic.Aliano@bos.cccounty.us. Your comments will be read out loud during the meeting and will be reflected in the minutes.

Register in advance for the Rodeo Municipal Advisory Council meeting: After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

<https://cccounty-us.zoom.us/j/84748174012?pwd=NTZkTzNpc3U2eGF0TEpsUTRqZXBmUT09>

1. **Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance/Roll Call**

2. **Public Comment (3 Minutes Per Speaker)**

*Time is allotted under Public Comment for those persons who wish to speak for up to three minutes on any item NOT on the agenda. Persons who wish to speak on matters on the agenda will be heard for up to three minutes when the Chair calls for comments. After persons have spoken on an agenda item, the hearing can be closed by the Chair, and the matter is subject to discussion and action by the MAC. **Please see how to submit Public Comment above.***

- Mike Coody – thanked the Rodeo MAC for the grant.
- Janet Callaghan – asked for the balance of the Rodeo Good Neighbor Account

3. **Approval of Agenda and Record of Actions**

- A. July 22, 2021 Agenda
- B. June 23, 2021 Record of Action

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- Motion by Theresa Foglio Second by Barbara Vargen-Kotchevar Vote: 3-0-2 (Lauren McCollins and Deborah Drake not in attendance).

4. Agency Reports

A) California Highway Patrol (CHP)

- Not Present.

B) Contra Costa County Sheriff's Office

- Lt. Burford reported a slight uptick in calls. There was talk about gun fire in Bayo Vista and how the Sheriff's Office has increased patrols.

C) Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District Report

- Chief Craig reported out on the old Rodeo pool site and thanked everyone for cleaning up the site.

D) John Sweet Unified School District (JSUSD)

- JSUSD Board Member Deborah Brandon reported out and the report can be found in attachment 1.

E) Supervisor Federal D. Glover's Office

- Dominic Aliano reported out on the vaccine event at Lefty Gomez, homeless, illegal dumping and Safeway.

5. Presentations

A. Update on the Rodeo Renewed Project.

- Phillips 66 gave an update on their Rodeo Renewed Project and their presentation can be accessed by contacting Phillips 66.

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- Theresa Foglio – thanked Phillips 66 for the presentation.
- Barbara Vargen-Kotchevar – thanked Phillips 66 for the presentation.

Public Comment

- Mike Coody – shared his concerns about increased hydrogen and water being dispensed into the bay. Also shared that Phillips should fund the Good Neighbor Agreement when something happens.
- William Henderson – asked a question about truck traffic.
- Tanya Little – thanked them for the presentation to Phreed and would like to reconnect.

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- Janet Callaghan – supported everything Mike Coody mentioned.
- Charles Davidson – asked about the delay in getting rid of the cocker.

B. Contra Costa County Fire Protection District annexation of the Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District.

- Chief Craig with the Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District gave the presentation on the proposed annexation. The presentation can be accessed by contacting the Rodeo-Hercules Fire Protection District.

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- Anthony Hodge – asked a question about a point of contact.
- Theresa Foglio – mentioned that she was shocked about the current situation which presents them with very little resources and asked what the current footprint was of the District.
- Barbara Vargen-Kotchevar – appreciate all the details in the presentation and happy to see the District thinking ahead.

Public Comment

- Sarah Creeley – concerned about mailings related to this and wants to know what is bad about the annexation.
- Paul Freese – mentioned that he has not received a response to his questions from the RHFPD Board, opposes the annexation.
- Tanya Little – mentioned that she appreciates the information and would like to see information posted online.
- Susan Keefe – a member of Phreed and is concerned with the Triton report and wants to know when it will have pros and cons.
- William Henderson – said to see the Chief Craig not staying on board and mentioned that he opposes the annexation. Concerned with Triton report.
- Loi Bustamante – asked a question about how Rodeo would benefit.
- Selina Williams – asked if Measure O would stay in the community.
- Mike Coody – mentioned that the District should just keep using mutual aid since they do not have for it.
- Couzens – is an RHFPD Board Member and welcomes the participation in this matter.
- Unkown – feared losing local control.
- Debbie Long – mentioned that demands are being met because of Measure O funds.
- Susan Dunlap – wants the report to be more specific on what services will be extended.
- Janet Callaghan – asked a question about our seniors.
- Jerry Short – mentioned that he was a firefighter in RHFPD and supports the annexation.
- Maureen Brennan – proud Measure o was passed and concerned with ECCFPD being at the table because they are not coming in with much resources.

Meeting ended after this presentation because we did not have a quorum to continue the meeting.

6. Items for Discussion and/or Action

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A. New Horizons Software Mini Grant for \$1,000.00.

7. **M.A.C. Committee and/or Member Reports**

8. **Future Agenda Items**

9. **Adjournment**

The next RMAC meeting is Thursday, August 22, at 7pm.