



JUNIPER HILLS TOWN COUNCIL

juniperhills-ca.org
General Meeting
August 3, 2011
MINUTES

<p>The General Meeting of the Juniper Hills Town Council was called to order by the president, Mr. Pomeroy at 7:02 pm. at Juniper Hills Community Center, 31401 106th St East, Juniper Hills, California 93543</p>	<p>CALL TO ORDER</p>																														
<p>The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. Pierce</p>	<p>FLAG SALUTE</p>																														
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<p>Minutes of July 6, 2011 were not available.</p>	<p>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</p>																														
<p>Mr. Pierce reported a balance of \$3156.76 of which \$95.00 belongs to the YOYO Committee.</p>	<p>TREASURER</p>																														
<p>Mr. Pomeroy reported on the following communications: LACo Reg'l Planning – Town & Country AV Areawide Plan draft available for comment http://planning.lacounty.gov/tnc Rural outdoor lighting ordinance set to go to the RPC hearing 9/11. Mrs. Weatherbie to send them a letter about overriding our desire for a dark community. LACo Supervisors Boundary Review Committee – no new information 2011 Antelope Valley Connection community resource guides are available at Dist 5 office. This is a great source of information.</p>	<p>COMMUNICATION</p>																														
<p>Mr. Pomeroy announced the following: Juniper Hills Community Association (http://www.juniperhills-ca.org/jhca/index.htm) – September 10 Luau – 6-10:30pm September 17 Work Day – 8am-1pm Devil's Punchbowl County Park (http://www.devils-punchbowl.com) – August 13 Full Moon Hike – 8pm August 27 Telescope Program – 9pm</p>	<p>ITEMS OF INTEREST</p>																														
<p>Norm Hickling, Field Deputy for Supervisor Antonovich attending birthday celebration for Mr. Antonovich. <u>Los Angeles Co. Sheriff's Department</u> – Deputy Engels reported everything is quiet in Juniper Hills. Deputy Engels talked about the train derailment – For General Questions/Contact, dial 211 – For Emergencies, dial 911. For a non-emergency situation that is suspicious, <u>note the details & call the Palmdale Station right away</u> – dial (661) 272-2400.</p>	<p>GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES' ANNOUNCEMENTS</p>																														
<p>REPORTS</p>																															
<p>Future Speakers – Confirmation and Suggestions for future: Edwards AFB; Art Evans; Knight(?)/Runner(?) reps; AV Conservation Dist.; AV Indian Museum; Solar/Wind installations – not at this time.</p>	<p>FUTURE SPEAKERS</p>																														
<p>Setting Chipper Day for next year, based on approval from JHCA. Next meeting: tomorrow night, August 4, 7pm</p>	<p>YOYO Committee</p>																														
<p>Winetasting Committee – Event is November 12. Mr. Benz reported sales are good. A Sweatshirt will be donated to the Winetasting for a door prize</p>	<p>Resource Development Committee</p>																														

Mr. Pomeroy stated he will begin having meeting in the near future for the purpose of Investigating amending CSD, including Littlerock TC suggestions.	Community Standards Committee
Webmaster Report - Mr. Benz needs latest newsletter to post. Email list assignment/management - Building new list, up to about 100 now.	Webmaster/Website/ Email List
ELECTION COMMITTEE- Mrs. Avadian, Chairman, sent out applications to Mr. Pierce and Mrs. Weatherbie and has forms available. Notice was in last Newsletter., the due date to have forms back is Oct. 15.	Election Committee
The Board will be developing the 2012 Activity Calendar at the next meeting.	JHCA Liaison Report
Report on JHWG Activities and concerns [Note: the JHWG is not part of the JHTC] Report on JHWG activities and concerns- The matter is in the Sacramento court now and looking good for us. We decided we need .98 acre feet of water per household per year.	JH Water Group Liaison Report
Meeting are every second Wednesday, 3:00pm at Fire Station129	Antelope Valley Illegal Dumping Task Force Liaison
Next meeting: Thursday, August 25, 2011 Need to send someone to attend these meetings (last Thursday of each month, Jan-Oct) No Volunteers	ARTC Report
<u>UNFINISHED BUSINESS</u>	
Mark Caddick to use existing "NO FIREWORKS" sign in their inventory and add to the Juniper Hills 'welcome' signs.	Community Fireworks Signs
It was decided that we not have a "Meet the Town Council" ON 2012. Instead it was suggested we have a Town council meeting on May 5 th , a Saturday, during the morning to see what the interest is.	Meet the Town Council
No update as of August 3	Redistricting Commission
No update as of August 3	Barrel Springs Trail upgrade
<u>NEW BUSINESS</u>	
Brenda will re-send information on this.	Greater Attendance at JHTC Meetings
Request from Billie Dickey re "Save the Junipers" project.. Mrs. Dickey asked the Town Council to pusue the removal of mistletoe in Junipers in the Community. Deputy Engel advised the Council If your neighbor has no fence and no signs posted you can go on there property to re-move mistletoe.	Junipers
Fires and Fire Tax – The Governor wants to place fire tax on residences in our area in the amount of \$150.00 a year. Lori will send a letter about this to Governor Brown stating the Council's opposition.	Fires and Fire Tax
Mr. Pierce discussed his concern about water runoff at the intersection of 106 th St. East and Ft. Tejon Rd. He agreed to contact Mark Caddick to obtain correction to the problem.	
Mr. Pomeroy discussed Titles 21 and 22 on accessibility.	County Changes
Meeting adjourned at: 9:30 pm. Cathy Conrad Secretary pro tem	ADJOURNMENT