



JUNIPER HILLS TOWN COUNCIL

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General Meeting

April 6, 2016

Minutes

<p>Called to order by Jan Wise, the General Meeting of the Juniper Hills Town Council was held April 6, 2016 7:05 P.M. at the 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 Bud.</p>	<p>FLAG SALUTE</p>																		
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<p>Minutes of March 2, 2016 were approved as corrected. Correct voted to vote on pg. 2 Motion made by Bill and seconded by Bud. All approved.</p>	<p>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</p>																		
<p>Treasurer's Report – Balance as of 3-31-16 was \$2,699.08 Bills presented: None Treasurer's report approved. QNet will send the bills on 4-15-16.</p>	<p>TREASURER</p>																		
<p>Juniper Hills Community Association [http://www.juniperhills-ca.org/jhca/index.htm] Report on JHCA Activities and concerns - Viki Kempenaar Insulation was put in the ceiling which should help with the heating and cooling of the building. The cost was \$2,500. The monthly meeting of the JHCA will now be held at the Community Center starting this month.</p> <p>April 16 8 – 11 a.m. Pancake & Waffle Breakfast April 16 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. Yard Sale</p> <p>Devil's Punchbowl County Park [http://www.devils-punchbowl.com] -Moonlight Hike – April 16 at 7 p.m. -Telescope Program - April 9 at 9 p.m. Sundays at 1:00 p.m. - San Andreas Fault Tour</p>	<p>ITEMS OF INTEREST</p>																		
<p>Christine Borzaga, Field Deputy for Supervisor Antonovich Richard Grooms and Pat Russell were in attendance from the Supervisors field office.</p> <p>High Speed Rail – Route changed from Bakersfield to Burbank, to Fresno to San Jose. Environmental studies being done. LA Regional Interoperable Communications System: 2016 LA RICK system was used at the Rose Parade this year for camera's and communications. The Antelope Valley isn't getting any towers for this system.</p> <p>Los Angeles Co. Sheriff Department – Deputy Cronin Marijuana dispensaries have been closed in Littlerock and Pearblossom. The County Supervisors passed an ordinance that made it illegal for property owners to rent to marijuana dispensaries in Los Angeles County. The property owner would also be fined. These businesses also did not have business licenses. Richard Grooms commented that the marijuana task force will be getting back to the County Board of Supervisors in four months to</p>	<p>GOVERNMENT REPRESENTATIVES' ANNOUNCEMENTS</p>																		

see how the program is progressing. Tomorrow morning, Littlerock High School will be participating in the "Every 15 Minutes" program.	
REPORTS	
No speaker this month.	Speaker
Speaker suggestions: Someone from the County to speak on the changes in the zoning that were implemented by the adoption of the Town & County Plan. Jan to contact Christine Borzaga to see who and when they could attend our meeting.	FUTURE SPEAKERS
The YOYO Committee is a standing committee under the JHTC. (Meetings are held on the first Thursday of even months.)Next meeting: Thursday, April 7, 2016 at 7 PM. Contact Linda Myers: 944-9328 or email lbmyers@gmail.com . April 9 th Free Dump Day. Chipper Day will be May 14.	YOYO Committee
2016 Winetasting Event – September 24, 2016 from 4 – 7 p.m. 1 st Committee meeting TBD – The current chairman has stepped down and a new one will be appointed at the JHCA meeting next week. Jan will be attending their meeting next week.	Resource Development
Web Site – Mark Benz will continue as our webmaster. We may want to check into using a new web site host that is easier to maintain. Lori, Viki, Jan and Linda to have a training session next week	JHTC Website
Currently we have 129 email subscribers under our Yahoo system. Members of our notification team are Jan Wise- JHTC, Lori Weatherbie-JHCA, Linda Myers - YOYO and Back Up - Viki Kempenaar Jan, Viki and Linda are going to get additional training.	JHTC Community Notification System
Association of Rural Town Council report of 3/30/16 by Jan Wise. Next meetings: April 27, 2016 Sheila will attend. Copy of Jan's notes on file. <i>JHTC Members rotate attendance at these meetings held the last Thursday of the month.</i>	ARTC Report
ON GOING BUSINESS	
CA Fire Fee Controversy – Current news regarding the fire fee and controversy: http://firetaxprotest.org . An article published on 3-7-16, stated that in an effort to protect all charged tax payers, suite was filed as a class action suit. The court has ruled that the class action suit could proceed. Current CA Fire Fee/Taxes need to be paid for this year and the protest filed with 30 day of receipt of the bill.	CA Fire Fee
NEW BUSINESS	
Community concerns: Junk that is accumulating around the donation bins in Littlerock. The County is looking into this. Road work being done on 106 th Street East is leaving uneven access from feeder road. Jan to contact Public Works to see what can be done to improve this.	
Filming concerns. There are several sights here in Juniper Hills that have listed themselves as possible sites to be used by the entertainment industry as filming sites. Pat was to give Jan the contact person in charge of this.	
Meeting adjourned at: 8:32 P.M. Sheila Whitehouse Secretary	ADJOURNMENT

