



Clark
County



Goodsprings Citizens
Advisory Council



GOODSPRINGS CITIZENS ADVISORY COUNCIL

Meeting Minutes

January 31, 2012

Members present

Liz Warren – Chair
Monica Beisecker – vice chair
Ted Compton
Colleen Hicks
Ruth Rawlinson

Members absent

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was properly noticed and posted in conformance with the Nevada Open Meeting Law.
The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

ORGANIZATIONAL ITEMS

The January 31, 2012 agenda was approved. Rawlinson/Beisecker (5-0)
The November 29, 2011 minutes were approved with a couple typo corrections. Rawlinson/Beisecker (5-0)
The December 13, 2011 Special Call meeting minutes were approved. Rawlinson/Beisecker (5-0)

PROTOCOL

Those in attendance were asked to turn off or mute all cell phones, pagers and other electronic devices and to take all personal conversations outside the room.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

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COMMUNITY CONCERN

Sgt. Sines of NHP was present to discuss the I-15/Sloan interchange problems. It is a bad area because of the truck inspection station, the markings have faded away and the freeway entrance is not accurately identifiable. The CAC would like NDOT and/or County to repaint markings and put in better lighting. Sgt. Sines forwarded Jeri Pinkerton's email regarding her accident at this intersection to NDOT. There have been two meetings in past six months with NDOT engineers looking at the Sloan and Jean interchanges. He will stay on top of this issue. Chris Munhall got in touch with the county engineer to come out and do a study of this area. Ruth moved to put this in Chris' hands and will put the discussion on the agenda again for next month.

The Shell station on SR 161 west of I-15 should be responsible for putting a stack lane in at Jean to help with the traffic back up, especially on the weekends.

There has been ghost hunting activities in the Goodsprings cemetery. A paranormal group has been in the cemetery at night and Metro was called. Chris previously had signs placed at the cemetery stating visitation is from daylight to dark. A question was asked of Sgt. Joe Gibbons of Metro regarding arresting for trespassing. He stated that properties need to have 'no trespassing NRS 207.200' signs posted before any action can take place. They will be cited but not arrested. All properties and old dwellings that are not being lived in need the signs posted on them. Sgt. Gibbons will look into laws to help with this situation. There was talk about putting locks on the cemetery gate. Chris will call Business Licensing. A large cut in the fencing on the old Holsclaw's property was made so people can enter it. Ruth made a motion that we contact the tour company by certified letter stating that there are no properties in Goodsprings that are abandoned or deserted and they require written permission to go on the private properties. The letter should state to stay out of the cemetery after hours and off of private property. We will be watching and calling Metro if we see them on private property. We should appoint Chris Munhall to find out if they have a business license and if it is a legitimate business in Clark County. The letter should state to stay out of the cemetery and private property. Colleen 2nd. Chris said the letter needs to come from the County so he will take care of it and check with the District Attorney regarding no trespassing. This will be on the agenda for the next meeting.

Sgt. Gibbons will check with Licensing, the District Attorney, and Judge Haviland regarding legalities.

Steve Fleming stated this has been discussed at the Historical Society meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE

A Christmas card was sent to the CAC from AA thanking them for the use of the Community Center building.

CITIZENS ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS

There may be a text amendment that requires a special call meeting in February. Chris will check into this.

Hidden Hills Solar project will take one year before their draft environmental studies are done. There is a second project called Sandy Valley Transmission with a transmission line from Tecopa and Highway 160 through Sandy Valley to Goodsprings.

A helicopter has been flying low over Goodsprings. An ad for aerial photography was advertised. Phone number is 877 650-5508. Liz will check into it.

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STAFF REPORTS

There is a new flag for the fire department. The County was not able to provide solar lighting. Colleen said that flags do not have to have lights at night anymore.

Chris passed out new cards with CAC meeting dates.

The County held Pioneer Saloon's use permits over for another 5 months to come back to CAC at the end of May.

The wood trim around the interior doors in the community center have been replaced.

Roof repairs have been done but the roof is still leaking. We need a new roof.

Money has been allocated to the County for maintenance and repair of many of the facilities and hopefully some of that money can be spent on a new roof and replacing the AC/heat unit(s).

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Music from the bar is still a problem. They are not complying with noise ordinances.

The blue trash barrels that were left here from Goodsprings Daze are building up with trash and smelling. They belong to the County. The trash needs to be emptied and the barrels stored out of the way.

SET NEXT MEETING DATE: February 28, 2012.

ADJOURNMENT: 9:10 p.m.

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