"Antelope Valley Regional Planning Advisory Committee Minutes" 06-06-2024B

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Antelope Valley Regional Planning Advisory Committee (AV RPAC) Meeting Minutes 06-06-2024

RPAC Members present: Katy Buell, Debie Bush, Mark Langner, Bruce Woodworth, Don Morris, John Vannoy, Jim Ricks

County, Agency and NGO present: Rob Makoske, Wendy Sugimura, Karyn Spears from Mono County and Peter Stanton from the Walker River Conservancy.

Public present: two

Public comment (for items not on agenda): none

Action Items

Approve Minutes from May 2, 2024 (Vannoy/Bush: passed)

Cancel next regular meeting on July 4, 2024, due to Independence Day holiday (Buell/Langner: passed)

Informational/Discussion items:

Solid Waste Update (Karyn Spears, DPW) Spears took comments from the group. Topics discussed were the need for additional dumpsters for the visiting public to use to reduce the burden on local businesses, the ratty appearance of the transfer station entrance, the need for providing recycling opportunities for paper products and the use of the transfer station by Nevada residents who do not pay Mono County solid waste fees on their property taxes.

North County Water Transaction Criteria Workshop (Wendy Sugimura); Sugimura and Staton provided a review. Group questions and concerns concerned the fear of subdivisions, the enforcement of ground pumping, the roll of the public trust doctrine and pending lawsuit, rancher's input into the plan and funding sources.

Towns to Trails Presentation (Katy Buell): Buell discussed program and the upcoming meeting to discuss the plan to create a trail from Lone Pine to Markleeville.

Review AV Community Policies in Trail Plan (Rob Makoske): Makoske reviewed the plan.

Topics discussed included the FEMA parcels, Walker River access, trails in neighborhoods and a

walking path around the baseball field and tennis courts.

Monthly Reports

RPAC member reports/comments:

Woodworth and Buell talked about the recent successful clean-up day at Mountain Gate Park.

Buell asked about the cargo containers in the field by Mill Creek.

MCMWTC Update (MWTC Staff): Current and upcoming base activity was discussed. A change of command will happen 7-3-24.

USFS update (USFS Staff): None

Supervisor's Report (John Peters): None

Planning Update: None

Submitted by Langner, Secretary pro tem.