

# **“Antelope Valley Regional Planning Advisory Committee Minutes” 03-05-2026**

*[DATES & TIMES OF ANTELOPE VALLEY COMMUNITY MEETINGS/EVENTS ARE AVAILABLE ON AVIS – 1610 AM RADIO. LEAVE A MESSAGE AT 530-495-2900 TO REQUEST OTHER MEETINGS TO BE NOTICED.]*

Committee Members Attending: either present or remote: Steve Wright, Chair; Debie Bush, Vice Chair; Bruce Woodworth, Acting Secretary; Katy Buell, Mark Langner, Don Morris.

Non-Committee Members Attending: either present or remote: County Staff: Planning; Erin Bauer, Planning; Marcella Rose & Eric Rios Bretado, Public Works, Sustainable Recreation; Olya Egorov, Eastern Sierra Transit Authority (ESTA); Emily Fox, County Counsel; Matt Newberry, Liberty Utilities; Rich Mulekos.

Comments by Bush regarding the ongoing (wildfire) Firewise program and the Cal Fire property inspections in the Antelope Valley.

Action Items: [a vote of 4-1-2 indicates 4 votes for, 1 vote against, 2 votes abstaining, respectively].

1. 02-05-2026 Minutes approved [motion Morris /2nd Bush], Vote unanimous.
2. Approved (5-1-0 [Morris dissenting]) petition to the Board of Supervisors (BOS) to grant the Committee the option to hold remote meetings per the Brown Act.

Informational/Discussion Items:

1. Fox interpreted the recent state Brown Act revisions for the Committee.
2. Egorov reported ESTA’s progress in service, especially regarding matters brought up by the Committee in 2025.
3. Rose 1. emphasized the danger of another invasive species (Golden Mussels) which will require boat inspections and 2. anticipated further refinements of Mountain Gate Park plans.

Respectfully submitted. Bruce Woodworth, Acting Secretary (775-461-6550)

