

La Jolla Town Council Minutes June 13, 2019

La Jolla Rec Center, 615 Prospect Street, La Jolla Ca

Meeting was called to order at 5:32p.m. Pledge of Allegiance led by Mike Cole

Roll Call. Present: Bache, Cole, Dershowitz, Forbes, Jones, C.

Jones, R. McGowan, Murphy, Petterson, Valencia

Excused: Pitrofsky, Brennan,

Absent: De Guzman, Shannon

Introduction of New Gold Member Cruiser Subs on Pearl Street. Ms Kathi Sandler represented the new business member. The company is pleased to be a part of the La Jolla Community. They are old timers from with South Mission Beach. The President thanked her for joining and providing refreshments from Crusiers.

President's Report

The President reviewed the process for meetings, forums and actions that developed into coalitions, or working groups.

Election of new Trustees.

The President announced that the election of new trustees has commenced. All members of LJTC in good standing are eligible to vote. Ballots have been sent electronically as provided in our By-Laws. The election period runs 10 days from this meeting and will conclude on June 23rd.

The President introduced three new candidates running for three year terms: Jerri Hunt, Jeffrey Chasan, Tamara Hammond. Four other slots are available and may be filled by a write-in or by any of the other candidates who previously served as trustees, who are running for re-election: Ron Jones, Cathy Jones, Joe Pitrofsky, Mike Cole. The results of the election will be announced at its conclusion and/or at the Trustees Retreat or at the next Regular meeting whichever comes first.

Future Town Council meetings will likely include a Candidates for District One forum in the Fall include: Will Moore, Joe La Cava, Aaron Brennan, Lily Zhou.

Consideration of Consent agenda and Actions from L J Community Planning Association

Motion:(Petterson /Valencia). To approve LJ Community Planning Association Consent Agenda. **Passed** unanimously.

Consideration of Traffic & Transportation Special Events

Motion:(Dershowitz/Cole) To approve 6th Annual Harvest Festival event Nov 3,2019 closures and no parking and permit on Draper Avenue and 17th Annual Taste of the Cove on Sept 5th,2019- closures and no parks on Coast Blvd at the Cove. **Passed** unanimously.

Introduction of Parks & Beaches Chair, Anne Dynes. Chairperson Dynes commented on the repair and reinstallation of the flagpole (with thanks to Tom Grunow) at Park Row. The bicycle rack program is proceeding with ten locations to be installed with co-operation of La Jolla Village Merchants.

Information FORUM Legislative actions affecting La Jolla.

Examination of State legislative Bills SB50 and SB330**recorded by addendum

Participants:

State Assembly 78th District, Todd Gloria, Community Rep. Matthew Gordon

State Senate, 39th District, Senator Toni Atkins, Community Rep. Chevelle Tate

Raise the Balloon, James Lo Mattery

Deborah Marengo, Chair, La Jolla Planned District Ordinance Committee

Dockless Scooters - City policy and corrals for La Jolla

The S D City Council passed the regulations for dockless scooters on April 23rd that go into effect July 1. The scooter element of micro-mobility has been studied by city staff due to the conflict created by abandoned scooters on sidewalks and private property. Dockless scooters may not be left at emergency vehicle areas, fire hydrants, driveways, disabled rampways but they are scattered everywhere. Staff suggests "corralling" dockless bikes and scooters on the street in painted enclosures, with at least 40 feet separating any such enclosure. In theory the more corrals on the streets, the fewer such vehicles on the sidewalks. Analysis shows at least 30 locations are feasible; however a listing of possible locations in the commercial sector of La Jolla shows 113 or more spots.

LJ Traffic & Transp. Committee will consider the locations in detail at their next meeting Wed. June 19th 4.p.m.

Mauricio Medina Community rep Council District 1 Barbara Bry and Matthew Gordon, Community Rep for Toni Atkins Senate Pres-Pro Tem, 39th District

The City issues permits for six month periods July and January. Permits are paid and there are fees per scooter. Permits can be rescinded. State law #2989 covers scooters and dockless bikes - (not on sidewalk, wear helmet, no double riding, if under 18 mandatory helmet, no Hiway driving). AB 1112 Todd Gloria urged City Council to create laws governing the vehicles. However he voted NO as the bill limited data about the mobility and would impede meaningful regulations and enforcement.

Extensive comments from the public*Submitted by addendum.

Community Reps responded to comments from the public.

Short Term Vacation Rental Update Community Groups reports:

Coalition: San Diego Working Group on Short Term Vacation Rentals has found consensus and renewed calls for separate consideration of the Mission Beach Area. The Mission Beach community has a history of successful short term rentals and economically dependent on continuation of STVR in the area. the coalition is seeking:

1) enforcement of law 2) a good neighbor policy 3) a pathway for complaints and resolution 4) Separate enterprise funding, and the drafting of a document that will acknowledge that each neighborhood is different. A template for rental behaviors could aid management- a template for "guests" and a template for managers. Permits, Regulations and Enforcement are the three legs that will permit a policy to work.

UCSD Bob Brown UCSD Community Advisory Group - Graduation Day is Saturday June 15 Madeline Albright is Commencement Speaker. On June 19th from 5-7 p.m. at the Faculty Club on campus is an OpenHouse for the community to gather and review the 2018 Report on Capital Projects for the next Long Range planning period. Also an opportunity to see progress on Ridgewalk and the new railing on Scripps Pier

Announcements:

June 19th 6:30 p.m. Affordable Housing in S.D. discussion Elijah's Restaurant. Contact Cody P. for more info.

Candidate for City Council District 1, Lily Zhou introduced herself. She was pleased to attend and listen to the very thorough discussions. She will continue to listen to the Citizens.

Adjourned at 7:08 p.m. Next regular meeting Thursday July 11, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

Gail Forbes,

Secretary

Calendar of local events:

June 19th 6:30 p.m. Affordable Housing Conference - Elijah's Restaurant

June 28 9-10 A.M. Friday, La Jolla Rec Center Clean-up -bring brooms,weeding tools

4th of July Parade -Bird Rock

July 17th Del Mar Racing season Opening Day