

San Pasqual Lake Hodges Planning Group Minutes
March 3, 2011

Meeting called to order 7:15 PM by Frank Konyn

Members present: Kody Songer, Bert Verger, Ernie Klemm, , Frank Konyn, Terry Parrish, Jerry Kiley, Robert McClure, Matt Witman, Karen Dowle, John Kowalski, Darlene Hansen, Charlie Jancic, Ben Hilibrecht, Doug Read

Members Absent: Joe Ferguson, Marc Lindshield

Guests: numerous guests including many representatives of the San Pasqual Land Use Task Force

New Business

George Adrian from the City of San Diego Public Utilities Department gave an introduction of Antero Penaflor, and Larry Abutin (also representing the City,) and of Christian Peterson of MWH Americas. Together, they gave a briefing for all of the stakeholders on the City's progress in implementing the 2007 Groundwater Management Plan for the San Pasqual Valley. This draft plan can be found at www.ca.water.usgs.gov/sandiego A baseline has been established, monitoring wells have been identified and or dug, and a data management system has been incorporated. The City of San Diego has an obligation to report this data to the State of California Department of Water Resources. Christian emphasized that this was not an exercise to place blame, but rather to gather information, identify trends, and work with all stakeholders towards the improvement of the basin groundwater. Although they are working on identifying the potential of increasing the storage capacity of the groundwater basin, there are currently no plans to begin extracting and removing water from the Valley.

Elections were held. A ballot with the names of John Kowalski, Karen Dowle, Doug Read, Joe Ferguson, Matt Witman, Ernest Klemm, Marc Lindshield, and Kody Songer was presented. Darlene Hanson made a motion to approve the ballot as presented, with all names being elected to new 4 year terms. Karen Dowle seconded the motion. Motion unanimous.

John Ly, representing Councilman Carl DeMaio, reported on a new phone app being developed to photograph dumping on the sides of the roads. This app would record the GPS location of the dumping as well. He also announced the dates of the upcoming oil recycling programs.

Frank Konyn made some announcements in regards to a SDG&E proposed construction of a wood to steel replacement project on the Bernardo to North Lake Hodges Transmission Line. He also reported that the spraying of weeds along the roads in the Valley appeared to have been completed yesterday. Our next meeting will be April 7. Huge thanks to Robert McClure and the Safari Park for their gracious hosting of tonight's events.

A motion to adjourn by Karen Dowle, seconded by Terry Perrish, passed unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 8:26pm.

Submitted,

Karen Dowle