VALLEY HOME MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL



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<u>Members:</u> Nancy Osmundson, Chair Chris D. Hempleman, Secretary Winnie Mullins

April 12, 2023, Meeting Minutes Valley Home School Gym 13231 Pioneer Ave, Valley Home

- 1. Call Meeting to Order: 6:31 PM by Chairperson Osmundson.
- 2. Roll Call : Members Present, W. Mullins, C. Hempleman and N. Osmundson.
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag: Lead by Chairperson Osmundson
- 4. Public Comment:
 - Mr. Tozzi: Reported that a neighbor was concerned about local noise pollution. The location is "allegedly," on Pleasant Valley/Pioneer Roads. Options were referenced in terms of a solution and the VHMAC was asked to refer to law enforcement and county agencies for help. Ms. Lori: Asked the neighbor to turn the music down: She has missed work from the noise and has caused her health damage from the stress.

Deputy Babbit: Said: "Please see him for questions and concerns." He mentioned that the sheriff Dept. will enforce Penal Code 415- dist. the peace and it's a misdemeanor. People must call and report the complaints in order to take action from the Sheriffs Dept. It takes many calls and complaints from the people to get action. The sheriff will enforce the penal codes. The Deputy. has asked everyone not be confrontational and not to take the law in their own hands.

- Erin Wells: Animals have been killed in the Valley Home Area, since Jan. 2023 by dogs. (One lady said that her sheep have been destroyed by the dogs).
- 5. Approval of Minutes for January 11, 2023; motion made by Mullins, Seconded by Osmundson, unanimously approved.
- 6. Community Reports
 - A. Public Safety
 - California Highway Patrol: Officer Moore, Modesto CHP-Not many calls. Public works came out for repair and 4 Horse were on the road. Staffing- Cadet graduated and has 2 more in training. It was asked what the speed limit on VH Road is: 55 as per Officer Moore.
 - Sheriff's Department: N/A-See above.
 - Fire Chief: Modesto Fire Dept-Nothing to cover-upcoming is fire season, and the grass crop is tall. It is asked to mow all grasses to prevent fires. (Water rescue training for the rivers and the lakes is currently taking place.

- B. Public Works: Mr. Bill Martins: On 1/27 assessments have been taken to repair a pothole. It will be repaired on 4.14.2023. On Valley Home Rd and 108-New double yellow lines were placed.
- C. Supervisor Buck Condit, Dist. 1 Mr. Condit, Intro Megan Wells Field Rep. VH Clean-up: 4/29.
- D. Valley Home Jt. School Dist. -All is going well for the school.
- E. Oakdale Fire Protection Dist.
- F. Other public agencies or topics None.
- 7. Information Items.
 - A. Extensive information was presented about the commonplace and abuse of Fentanyl in Stanislaus County were presented by: Jennifer Marsh and Marcela Berber, Stan County BHRS. This forty-five-minute presentation gave key advice of how to identity Fentanyl Pills and how to identity the signs/symptoms of someone using this dangerous substance.
- 8. Action Items:
 - A. Appointment of a Vice Chair for the Valley Home MAC: Winnie has been approved as Vice Chair. Chris D. Hempleman, motioned to approve of Ms. Mullins to serve as Vice Chair and Nancy Osmundson seconded the motion. The motion was approved.
- 9. Council Comments/Issues/Topics for Next Agenda The next meeting will be Wed. Jul. 12, 2023 at 6:30pm-Topics: TBA.
- 10. Adjournment: 8:24PM Winnie Mullins and Chris D. Hempleman.