

Wood Colony Municipal Advisory Council



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MINUTES OF MEETING

January 13, 2021 at 7:00 pm

Meeting held virtually via TEAMS and hosted by Stanislaus County.

1. **Call to Order: 7:07 pm**
2. **Roll Call:** Lori Wolf, David Jones, Todd Heinrich, Lina Alldredge, Lisa Braden (all present)
3. **Approval of Minutes for MAC Meetings**
June 10, 2020 meeting minutes were moved, seconded and unanimously approved.
4. **Announcements**
 - 4.1 The Board of Supervisors confirmed the reappointment of Todd Heinrich and Lina Alldredge,
 - 4.2 A reminder was made regarding free COVID 19 testing available through Stanislaus County.
 - 4.3 A report was presented about Stanislaus County point in time homeless information. The sheltered count will be taking place on January 27, 2021. There will be no unsheltered count.
5. **Public Comments/Community Concerns** Will Richards with Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources shared information about the changes to waste pickup in Wood Colony and throughout unincorporated areas of Stanislaus County. The State of California is requiring a larger effort to keep green waste and recyclables out of the black waste cans. The program details are still being worked out and there will more communication prior to rollout in 2022. He can be reached at 209-525-6740 for further details.
6. **Monthly Community Reports/Agenda Items**
 - 6.1. California Highway Patrol: **Deputy Blake Mitchell** - Our area continues to have plenty of DUI and crash violations. They are experience low staffing levels and don't see the situation changing soon. Was unable to provide stats because their system was down.
 - 6.2. Sheriff's Office: **Deputy Yom** – Most of the problems in our area continue to be suspicious activity reports. We haven't had much in the way of violent crime recently. Mark Riggins thanked the officer for help with an illegal pot grow in the area.
 - 6.3. Salida Fire Protection District: **Pat Burns** reported that the call volume for 2020 were slightly less than 2019. So far this year most call have been related to COVID 19.
 - 6.4. Woodland Ave. Fire Department: **no report**
 - 6.5. Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors: **Terry Withrow** – Right now the biggest issue in our county is the continuing impact of COVID 19. 75,000 of our residents are 65 and over and waiting or beginning to receive vaccinations. It has been very difficult to schedule and implement because of the lack of information coming from the State of California and the Federal Government. **Raul Mendez** was introduced, he is the Assistant Executive Office with Stanislaus County.
 - 6.6. Modesto Irrigation District: – **no report**
 - 6.7. Hart Ransom Union School District: – no report.
7. **Action Items**
 - 7.1 2021 Officer positions were nominated and unanimously approved as follows:
 - a. Secretary - Lori Wolf
 - b. Vice Chairman - Lisa Braden
 - c. Chairman - David Jones

7.2 Motion was made and carried to approve the 2021 calendar as prepared and presented. Our thanks to Erica Inacio.

7.3 An addendum to the bylaws to reflect COVID 19 as it pertains to future meetings will be presented as an action item for the next meeting and voted upon.

8. Council Concerns/Comments/Suggestions for Future Agenda Items

8.1 Future presentation and discussion of the Groundwater Sustainability Act which affects the Wood Colony Groundwater basin.

9. Next Meeting: Wednesday, February 10th, 2020 at 7 pm.

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