Riverside County
Regional Park & Open-Space
District Advisory Commission Meeting
Thursday, September 2, 2021, 1:30 p.m.

Zoom Call Meeting
Participant Call in: 1 669 900 6833
Meeting ID: 858 7516 3349
Password: 166269

In Person Location
Park District Headquarters, Riverfront Room
4600 Crestmore Road, Jurupa Valley, CA 92509

M I N U T E S

1.0 Workshop/Study Session - None

DISTRICT ADVISORY COMMISSION MEETING

1.0 Call to Order
The meeting was called to order at 1:31 p.m.

2.0 Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag – The Pledge of Allegiance was led by CM Hake.

3.0 Roll Call – Commissioners Present: Anderson (1), Balys (1), Hake (2), Chair Reid (3), Grady (4) and Giedroyce (5); Commissioners Absent: Migliore (3), and Van Horn (4); Staff Present: Gettis, McLain, Alferez, and Luciano.

4.0 Approval of Minutes – Action
May 6, 2021 approved. (M/S/C Balys, Reid) with the following corrections.

Commissioners Report
CM Anderson also gave a brief update as it related to Butterfield Trail Silver Meadows and the Master Plan.

Commissioner Hake gave a brief update about visiting Butterfield Trail Silver Meadows and the Master Plan.

5.0 Special Recognition
5.1 District Employee Badge Presentation
Dustin McLain, Bureau Chief
Bob Grady, DAC Commissioner
- Mike Herman, Park Ranger Supervisor
5.2 Introduction of New Employees  
Dustin McLain, Bureau Chief  
- Robert Williams, Natural Resources Manager

5.3 Special Recognition  
Erin Gettis, Assistant Director  
Robin Reid, DAC Chairwoman  
- Amie Kinne  
- Rick Croy

6.0 Public Comments Related to Fish and Game – None

7.0 Fish and Game Related Business  
7.1 Fish & Game Trust Fund – Informational  
As of 08/31/2021 = $14,878.11.

7.2 Fish & Game Report – Informational  
BC McLain gave a brief update as it related to Fish & Game.

There has been a slight uptick in coyote/human interaction due to the drought.

Fish & Game could be changing the way they currently handle tickets and fee collection schedules. They might be implementing a diversion program, which will now enable the judge to send the defendant to a conversion/work release program instead of paying a fine.

8.0 Public Comments Related to Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation (OHVR) – None

9.0 Public Comments Related to the Regional Park & Open-Space District – None

10.0 Old Business  
10.1 CIP Trails Update – Informational  
Erin Gettis, Assistant Director  
A few questions were asked by the Commissioners, which were addressed by AD Gettis.

11.0 New Business  
11.1 2022 Meeting Calendar – Action  
Job Code 2021-05  
The District Advisory Commission approved the 2022 meeting calendar. *(M/S/C Hake, Balys)*

11.2 Election of Chair of the District Advisory Commission for 2021/22 – Action  
Job Code 2021-07  
Nominations were opened and Thomas Giedroyce was nominated to serve as Chair for FY 2021/22.

*Thomas Giedroyce was elected as Chair of the District Advisory Commission for FY 2021/22. (M/S/C Hake, Balys).*

11.3 Election of Vice Chair of the District Advisory Commission for 2021/22 – Action  
Job Code 2021-08  
Nominations were opened and Patricia “Trixie” Anderson was nominated to serve as Vice Chair for FY 2021/22.
12.0 Tentative Future Agenda Items
12.1 Homelessness as it relates to all District Parks and Open-Space; what are the management and enforcement strategies (CM Balys/CM Reid)
12.2 E-bike Policy (CM Reid)
12.3 Hunting Regulations and Changes/Financial Impact/Funding Sources (CM Grady)
12.4 Joint Commission Meeting with Historical Commission regarding Salt Creek Trail Mural (CM Reid)
12.5 OHV Feasibility Study update from 12 to 6 sites (CM Reid)
12.6 Redistricting and the effects on DAC seats (CM Balys)

13.0 Commissioners Report – Informational
Commissioner Anderson was approached by a young Eagle Scout (Matthew Hut) he proposed putting in mile markers at skyline. He would like to put in 5-8 miles of mile markers.

Due to the fire dangers Cleveland National Forest is closed through September 17, 2021.

Commissioner Balys stated he is concerned about the Census results and the impacts it might have on the DAC seats if any.

Commissioner Hake mentioned he stayed at Idyllwild Park. Staff was great and very friendly, gave good praise to Martin our newest Park Ranger, stated that he was friendly and energetic. Also, commented that the Park was in good shape.

Commissioner Reid stayed over at Rancho Jurupa Park, they all had lots of fun and it was an enjoyable experience.

Commissioner Grady mentioned he noticed Palo Valley tourism is really changing and declining.

14.0 Park District Status Reports – Informational
14.1 Miscellaneous Items of Interest
Erin Gettis, Assistant Director
AD Gettis provided an informational report updating the Commission. A few questions were asked by the Commissioners, which were addressed by AD Gettis.

15.0 Next Meeting – Thursday, November 4, 2021, 1:30 p.m. Gilman Ranch, 1901 West Wilson Street, Banning, CA 92220 and via Zoom.

16.0 Adjournment
Meeting adjourned at 2:22 p.m.

[Signature]

Erin Gettis, on behalf of Kyla Brown, General Manager
Secretary to the District Advisory Commission