

County of Placer

RURAL LINCOLN MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

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RURAL LINCOLN MAC MINUTES June 16, 2014

1. Call to Order and Introduction of Members

Members Present: George Alves
Joyce Bachman
Deirdre Lefty
Karla McAnally

2. Pledge of Allegiance:

3. **Approval of Minutes:** May 19, 2014 - Deirdre motioned to approve; Joyce seconded the motion. The Minutes were approved 4-0

4. **Approval of Agenda:** June 16, 2014 Joyce motioned to approve. Deirdre seconded motion. Agenda approved 4-0

5. Public Comment:

Any member of the public may address the Municipal Advisory Council on any matter that is NOT listed on the agenda. Comments will normally be limited to five minutes at the discretion of the Chairperson.

6. Public Safety and School Reports:

A. Placer County Fire (530) 277-2317 –Battalion Chief Jim Mathias –
jim.mathias@fire.ca.gov –

- There have been a few vegetation fires.
- We survived the Big Wake Weekend with only a few minor incidents:
- Cal Fire received their Support vehicle. This will aid in refilling air bottles on fires and provide rehab for firefighters
- Defensible space inspections have begun.
- As a reminder, ensure that your address is clearly marked and visible
- Be aware of conditions when mowing. It is best to mow in the morning; avoid mowing on windy days and afternoons.
- All stations are fully manned.

B. Placer County Sheriff (916) 652-2419 – “NO REPORT”

C. CA Highway Patrol – (916) 663-3344 – Dave Martinez – “No Report”

D. WPUSD – “No Report”

E. Greater Lincoln Fire Safe Council – Warren Bostick

They made progress with getting the letters out regarding disking – they are addressed and folded and ready to go out.

They are receiving phone calls from residents indicating that they feel like they are being forced to disc their property.

They meet the first Thursday of each month at the Paige Station.

They will be having a booth at the Lincoln Community Event on May 24, 2014 in the Staples/Target parking lot.

7. MAC Committee & Local Government Reports:

A. Traffic & Public Safety – George Alves and Joyce Bachman – No Report

B. Schools & Parks – Karla McAnally /Joyce Bachman – “No Report”

C. Land Use – Karla McAnally, Deirdre Lefty – No Report

D. Health Issues – Deirdre Lefty – No Report

E. City of Lincoln, Mayor Gabriel Hydrick –Gabriel Hydrick –

- The City is looking at the medical marijuana ordinance and possibly banning it altogether.
- Approved 14 million dollar budget
- The City’s financial condition is ok.
- The 2016/2016 fiscal year is looking at a potential downturn.
- A couple businesses have closed: Staples and Mimi’s
- There is a potential big employer coming to Lincoln bringing 100 new jobs.
- The City received money from the Indian Community for the fire department to purchase gear.
- The City will be having their annual fireworks show. They City will be covering the cost of providing safety.
- The Lincoln Blvd restoration plan still is not complete. Phase I will be from 7th Street to Highway 193
- Family Dollar store moving into the old ACE Hardware building.
- Lincoln Farmer’s Market will be starting soon.

F. Placer County – Jennifer Merino/Lyndell Grey – “ NO REPORT”

8. Information/Non-Action Item:

- A) Update on Bickford Ranch Project
- B) Overview of Placer County Veteran’s Services provided by John Melrose.

The office helps facilitate the beginning process of filing claims, collecting proper documents and assisting with the application. They provide a conduit between veterans and the County. They assist veterans understand letters they receive from the VA; meet with local, State and Federal legislature to promote veteran issues.

Services they provide assistance in are:

- Non-service connected pension
- Education benefits
- Health Care
- VADP (VA dental plan)

They also have a California College Fee Waiver program that benefits spouses and children of U.S. veterans. Students meeting the eligibility criteria may get their college tuition fees waived if they attend a California Community College, a California State University or a University of California campus.

Continuing Goals:

- Where to get information
- Provide outreach to Sierra College
- Work with Nevada County to set up outreach events
- Work with non-profits to ensure they know where to refer veterans
- Veteran’s court. (relatively new)
- Kiosk Plan (allows veterans to skype and apply for services on the computer.

9. Action Item: NONE

10. Correspondence: “None”

11. Announcements & Information:

12. Action Item: N/A

13. Next Regular Meeting: June 16, 2014

14. Adjournment