OTAY MESA-NESTOR COMMUNITY PLANNING GROUP MEETING MINUTES October 10, 2018

Members Present:
District 1 John C. Swanson
District 3 Armond Moore
District 4 Patty Swanson
District 5 Sabine Prather
District 7 Robert Broomfield
District 9 Jacki Farrington
District 11 Albert Velasquez
District 12 Carlos Sanchez
District 13 Brian McGonagill
District 15 Walt Zumstein

District 16 Bobby Hicks

Members Absent:

District 2 Sam Mendoza District 8 Edgar Gonzalez District 10 Bob Mikloski District 14 Johnny E. Swanson

Vacant District Seats: District 6

Guests Present: See the OMNCPG Secretary for the sign-in sheet.

- 1. **Call to Order/Introduction of Members:** Otay Mesa-Nestor Community Planning Group (OMNCPG) Chair Alberto Velasquez called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m. He welcomed all Board members and members of the community to the meeting.
- 2. **Approval of minutes:** A motion was made by Patty Swanson to approve the minutes of the September 12, 2018 OMNCPG meeting. Motion approval was unanimous.

3. Non-Agenda Public Comments:

- a. Robert Broomfield requested that the apartments adjacent to the Border to Bayshore Bikeway project are informed of the potential new bike lane.
- b. Patty Swanson offered thanks to Sam Mendoza (absent) on behalf of his wife, Maria Mendoza, for her many years of service in our community planning group. Maria was a valuable asset to our group. Everyone was saddened by her sudden passing and wanted to convey to Sam our heartfelt condolences for his loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with Sam during this difficult time.

4. **SDPD Community Relations:** Officer Aida Liufau, <u>aliufau@pd.sandiego.gov</u>, 619-424-0412.

- a. Officer Lacarra reported that Aida is in training this week, so he will cover the meeting tonight.
- b. Officer Lacarra brought a flyer on Halloween Safety tips, and asked that it be shared with family and friends.
- c. He mentioned that transactions from a Craig's List ad need to be done safely. He said it should be conducted in a well-lit place, like a police station, where there will be cameras and lights.
- d. There was a fatality at a large nearby intersection when a pedestrian did not cross at the corner. The person who hit the individual was not charged, and it was found to be an unfortunate incident.
- e. The City of San Diego Police Department Academy training will be completed next week, and trainees will be incorporated into the police force.

- f. City of San Diego Police Department Southern Division Captain Sharki was also in attendance and asked if there were any questions for the captain or regarding the police department.
- 5. **Council District 8 Report:** District 8 Representative Vivian Moreno, Council Representative, 619-236-6688 <u>vmoreno@sandiego.gov</u>.
 - a. Ruth reported that the Caltrans project for the I-805 towards the Oceanview community is beginning shortly. A meeting is scheduled for October 24, 2018 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. and handed out a flyer.

6. Sub-Committee Reports:

- a. Volunteer Code Compliance, By-Laws, Project Review and Parks and Recreation sub-committees: No reports.
- 7. **Informational Item:** Alison Moss (Project Manager, SANDAG) provided an updated report on the Border to Bayshore Bikeway – a 6.5-mile project that will connect the Bayshore Bikeway in Imperial Beach all the way to the Pedestrian East Border Crossing in San Ysidro. Informed by several rounds of community input, a preferred route with preliminary design has been developed. Based on community input received at the August 8th meeting of the OMNCPG, concepts for the Oro Vista Road segment of the project were revised. Members of the OMNCPG are asked to provide input on the revised concept plans. Contact: (619) 595-5354 <u>alison.moss@sandag.org</u>

8. **Chair's report:** No report.

- 9. City Attorney's Office report: Martin Arias, Crime Prevention Specialist, from the office of Summer Stephan, District Attorney, County of San Diego, handed out a flyer to invite the public to the Resource Fair in National City on October 20 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Many resources provided, including free food distribution. Any questions or concerns for the City Attorney, please contact Martin Arias at Martin.Arias@sdcda.org or call (619) 961-3990.
- 10. **City Planner's Report:** Elizabeth Ocampo Vivero, Senior Planner, 619-236-6301 <u>eocampo@sandiego.gov</u>. No report.
- 11. **Adjournment:** Sabine Prather made a motion to adjourn at 7:42 p.m. The vote was unanimous.

Respectively submitted by John C. Swanson, Secretary