

**CITY OF SAN DIEGO PARK & RECREATION DEPARTMENT
ROBERT EGGER SR., - SOUTH BAY RECREATION COMMUNITY GROUP
PUBLIC NOTICE & MINUTES**

**September 21, 2022
6:30 p.m.**

TIME AND PLACE OF MEETING

A regular meeting of the Robert Egger, Sr.-South Bay Recreation Community Group was held at 1885 Coronado Avenue, San Diego, California 92154.

ATTENDANCE

Rosa Ruesga - Chairperson
Robert Broomfield
Steve Egger
Bobby Hicks
Walter Zumstein
Lupe Arebalo

Guest

Mayra Hernandez

ABSENT

Joel Vazquez
Johnny Swanson
Edgar Garfias

STAFF

Albert Hara, Area Manager II
Kevin Kirkpatrick, Assistant Center Director
Carlos Lacarra, SDPD –Substituting Community Relations Officer

CALL TO ORDER:

Rosa Ruesga called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m.

INTRODUCTIONS:

All present at this meeting introduced themselves.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

MOTION: It was moved/seconded (S. Egger/B. Hicks) to approve the minutes from the June 2022 meeting. Motion carried (3) ayes, (0) nays, and (0) abstentions.

COMMUNICATIONS:

1. Mayra Hernandez, a representative for Assemblymember, District 80 – David Alvarez explained the types of constituent services one can access through the District Office.
2. Water Zumstein requested to have the following removed from the Robert Egger, Sr. – South Bay Recreation Center web site:

History of the Center

“The South Bay Recreation Center Gymnasium is dedicated to the memory of Robert Egger Sr., a dairy farmer, who in 1946 donated the land upon which the park now stands, to ensure the community would have park facilities at that location. Egger died in 1978 after living in and serving the South Bay community for 58 years.”

COMMUNICATIONS: (Continued)

Mr. Zumstein stated factual inaccuracies in the description from the above, History of the Center description. Chairperson Rosa Ruesga interjected by recommending the City of San Diego Parks & Recreation Department look into the matter. The RESBCG preceded to vote on the following:

MOTION: It was moved/seconded (W. Zumstein/ R. Broomfield) to submit this matter to the City of San Diego Parks & Recreation Department, for fact-checking the validity regarding the History of the Center description. Motion carried (3) ayes, (2) nays, and (0) abstentions.

COUNCIL DISTRICT 8 REPORT:

Gerardo Barja introduced Intern Cynthia Pena helping Community Representative to the Egger Highland area. He added that they will be continuing the community dumpster drop-off events in the coming months – dates TBA. He shared information on a Housing Stability Protection Program, as well as updated the community group that Councilmember Vivian Moreno has maternity leave, having given birth to a healthy, three week old baby girl.

SAN DIEGO POLICE DEPARTMENT COMMUNITY RELATIONS REPORT

Officer, Carlos Lacarra – San Diego Police Department, updated everyone on the following topic:

1. SDPD ticketing oversize boats vehicles, recreational vehicles and non-motorized vehicles for illegal parking.
2. Theft and homeless encampments are rising – he encourages community to use the GetItDone app.
3. Officer Lacarro thanked South Bay staff for their contributions hosting the largest National Night Out event in the San Diego region.

STAFF REPORTS:

Kevin Kirkpatrick, Assistant Center Director reported the following:

1. An increase in the Teen Nite program attendance and participation.
2. Summer Camp enrollment filled up first day of registration.
3. Recently concluded and hosted our first Futsal league.
4. Movies in the Park averaged (250) in attendance.
5. Listed and shared flyers for upcoming Pumpkin Carving, Halloween Carnival, and Halloween Costume Party.

Albert Hara, Area Manager reported the following:

1. Delay for installing new flooring for Teen Center and site offices.
2. Sports field lighting has electrical issue awaiting parts for electrician.
3. Gymnasium roof needs repair.

REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE:

None

INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

None

ADJOURNMENT:

MOTION: It was moved/seconded (W. Zumstein/L. Arebalo) to adjourn the meeting at 7:28p.m. Motion carried (3) ayes, (0) nays, and (2) abstentions.

NEXT REGULAR MEETING:

October 19, 2022 at 6:30pm.

Robert Egger, Sr., - South Bay Recreation Center
1885 Coronado Avenue, San Diego, California 92154

Submitted by,

Reviewed by,

Approved by,

Kevin Kirkpatrick
Assistant Center Director

Albert Hara
Area Manager

Rosa Ruesga
Acting Chairperson