

**MINUTES, BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
**FIDDYMENT FARM NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION &**  
**WESTPARK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION (Joint meeting)**

Date: May 11, 2021 (Online Video Meeting)

The Board of Directors Meeting of the Fiddymment Farm and WestPark Associations was called to order pursuant to notice electronically given in Roseville, CA. by FFNA President Loren Cook at 7:03 PM.

Board Member attendance:

Fiddymment Farm		WestPark	
P	President—Loren Cook	P	President—Bryan Ludwig
P	Vice President—Bob Gorman	NP	Vice President—Kelly Montgomery
P	Secretary—Sue Hallahan-Cook	NP	Secretary—Raymund Nanadiego
P	Treasurer—Chris Erickson	P	Treasurer—Erik Lawson
NP	MAL—Pete Constant	P	MAL—Connie Logg
NP	MAL—Ed Kriz	P	MAL—Scott Alvord
		NP	MAL—Curtis Hunter

**Guests present:** Jason Collins, (FBI Task Force);

**Roseville Police Department:** Off. Lopez (Beat 7 officer)

Off. Lopez noted little crime in this area, just an incident around the Fiddymment School in the North Fiddymment area. Comments from board members indicated people are running stop-signs at North Hayden and Blue Oaks Blvd., and racing along Blue Oaks Blvd. ; we'd like to get that streetlight activated. Off. Lopez said they are monitoring that situation during swing and grave shifts, and they'll will keep us updated. They're also monitoring the Solaire area for drag racing. They have been enforcing prohibitive 'street racing' laws and said word is getting about to 'stay out of Roseville'.

**Roseville Fire Station #9:** None present

**Guest Speakers:**

#1-- Jason Collins, Detective Sacramento PD, and FBI Human Trafficking Task Force (unit formed Jan. 2020). (916) 216-9712; jcollins@pd.city of sacramento.org.

Det. Collins explained the difference between Human Trafficking (act of exploiting and coercion by 'exploiters'[pimps], and Human Smuggling (illegal aliens), and terminology used. In this reporting district there were 48,326 contacts this last year, and 11,500 of them were actual cases

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reported; California is 13% of the nation's Human Trafficking. Incidents are most common in casinos, truck stops, low-income apartments, internet soliciting, etc. Many young people are coerced into the exploitation life; watch your teens for signs of manipulation/ recruitment. Their task force and area law enforcement work with Victim Advocacy Programs, Stand-Up Placer, and other support groups to help get exploited individuals out of the life. Human Trafficking crimes still require state prison sentences with stiff penalties. If you have a concern to share, contact Det. Collins or check the human trafficking hotline or Roseville PD.

#2—Paul@sactoMoFo (Food truck industry business)

Scott Alvord introduced Paul representing a business group interested in coordinating with the Neighborhood Associations for putting on 'food truck evenings' once a month in our neighborhoods. Their downtown operations are set to begin June again, but they want to spread out beyond that. They would provide entertainment, make arrangements at parks, provide their own insurance, and they hope to attract 400-600 people per event. They said the City earns local sales tax of each sale. What they would like from the NAs is to promote the events.

Scott suggested Leuken Ppark (Village Center) be used for events at WestPark; Loren said Fiddymment Farm does not really have a park suitable at this time (our regional park not finished yet). First proposed events would be 1<sup>st</sup> Fridays of each month at Leuken Park, 5-9 PM July thru October, parking in the park facing the park and using the stage for entertainment. Loren said he and Bryan would discuss it further with the NAs and hold votes whether the NAs should get involved or not.

#### **General Board Items:**

**President's Report, Fiddymment Farms:** None

**President's Report, Westpark:** None

**Minutes:** Hearing no corrections, the April 13, 2021 minutes were ordered approved to be placed on file.

#### **Treasurer's Report:**

- FF: \$1,491.08 balance remained after FFNA paid the \$54 insurance for our combined NAs' storage unit. Chris also indicated the bank had changed programs and he was unable to get into the statement online. Erik indicated he'd had similar problems; Sue said she would report our issues to the RCONA Treasurer.

- WP: [\$844.33 last month] Erik said he also had issues getting to his statement, but he had no changes this month.

#### **Planning Committee: Loren Cook**

- Bob shared his photos of the pedestrian bridge at Blue Oaks/near the substation; also shared his photos of the latest work at the high school.

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- Loren stated construction on the newest FFNA site (former soccer field area) has begun—99 homes.
- Parking at Siena Apartments, they hope to have in by end of this year.
- F-21—Development for 342 apartments on SW corner of Blue Oaks at Fiddymment (across from Sutter) in preparation; Loren has asked the City to schedule a meeting with the developers with our NAs.

**Schools Committee:** (no report)

**Activities Committee:** (no report announced)

**Neighborhood Watch:** (no report)

#### **RCONA Updates: Bob Gorman and Sue Cook**

Two votes were held for upcoming decisions at RCONA: Sue announced quorums present both NAs:

- Sue announced the names to be proposed for the Sierra Vista Specific Plan Neighborhood Associations: Silver Springs, Market Side, Vista Grande, and Solaire (which has already been adopted separately). Without opposition, the names were approved by both our NAs.
- Sue announced the amounts of the proposed RCONA scholarships for graduating high school students who have contributed to RCONA, our NAs and the Roseville community. Names of the students to be awarded cannot be released per the School District request, however, the amounts are to be: 1 award at \$500, and 4 awards at \$300. With no opposition, both boards approved the proposal. Both results will be contributed at this month's RCONA Board meeting.

#### **Review Old & New Business:**

- Scott posted openings for City Commission positions online.
- Roccucci Park dedication has been scheduled for 6/26/2021.
- Scott indicated he went on a police ride-along in the Beat 4 area, and said how much more activity noted there than we have here in Beat 7.

#### **Round Table:**

- Deacon Hanson: Let them know to help notification for the Food Truck event.
- Bob Gorman—North Fiddymment residents are getting their own petition together to oppose the HDR project (F-25 & F-26).
- Bryan Ludwig attended a meeting for the independent redistricting of Roseville; Bryan was selected as one of the committee members. They will start regular meetings in late June. Congrats to Bryan—another concerned community member recognized for his dedication.
- Sorry to hear Connie shattered her upper right arm—let us know if we can help out, Connie.

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**Next Meeting:** June 8, 2021 7:00 pm (online meeting). Loren stated no guest speaker was scheduled for the next meeting; but later Scott Alvord said Julie Hilton would like to speak to update the community on the Village Center commercial center opening this July.

Meeting adjourned at 8:46 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Sue Hallahan-Cook (FFNA Secretary).