



NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL JOINT COUNCILS MEETING

TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 2023, 7:00 p.m.

CITY HALL COMMUNITY ROOM

2929 TAPO CANYON ROAD

AGENDA

NC #1 Chair	Jill Abele
NC #2 Chair	Karl Birch
NC #3 Chair	Julie Bershin
NC #4 Chair	Bobby Calderon
NC Coordinator	Emily Habib
City Council Liaison	Mayor Fred D. Thomas

1. Call to Order/Welcome/Pledge of Allegiance

2. Approval of Minutes

3. Public Statements/Comments

This is the time allotted for public statements or comments on matters within the subject matter and jurisdiction of the Neighborhood Councils not on the agenda. Statements and comments are limited to no more than three (3) minutes per speaker.

4. Informational Presentation

The Simi Valley Police Department's Community Policing Bureau

5. New Business

Nomination of a Neighborhood Council Executive Board member to the Youth Employment Services (YES) Advisory Board

6. Executive Board Comments

7. Adjournment: Date to be determined

/s/

Yvette Moore
Administrative Officer

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DRAFT MINUTES

1. Call to Order/Welcome/Pledge of Allegiance

The meeting began at 7:00 p.m. and staff confirmed that a quorum was present.

NC #1 Chair	Jill Abele	P	NC #3 Chair	Julie Bershin	P
NC #1 V.C.	Dalila Minter	A	NC #3 V.C.	Jeremy Yablan	A
NC #1 Sec.	Cameron Thompson	P	NC #3 Sec.	Evelyn Gatewood	E
NC #2 Chair	Karl Birch	P	NC #4 Chair	Bobby Calderon	E
NC #2 V.C.	Al Brown	P	NC #4 V.C.	Gina Truncale	P
NC #2 Sec.	Suzanne Aguilar	A	NC #4 Sec.	Amy Obringer	A

2. Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Al Brown and seconded by Karl Birch to approve the November 1, 2022 minutes as presented. The motion passed unanimously.

3. Public Statements/Comments

A resident announced that Soroptimist International of Simi Valley would be presenting a fentanyl awareness community discussion on April 27, 2023. Many community activists would be speaking.

A resident noted that he attended the April 3, 2023 City Council meeting. The City Council discussed removing 60+ eucalyptus trees on Sinaloa Road. He was happy that they decided to only remove 13 trees. He also commented that Simi Valley needs more than the two motorcycle officers that they currently have.

4. Discussion Item

Mock Exercise

A mock development project exercise was conducted as training for new Executive Board members.

5. New Business: None

6. Executive Board Comments

Jill Abele informed the Executive Board members that the Boys and Girls Club of Simi Valley would be holding a Kentucky Derby style fund raising event on April 15, 2023.

Brian Kane shared the City Pothole Hotline phone number, which is (805) 583-6400.

Salwa Scarpone shared that the Cultural Arts Center Foundation would be sponsoring a magic show to support the Cultural Arts Center on April 14, 2023.

Karl Birch noted that he is working with the Calleguas Municipal Water District looking into the use of groundwater for drinking/home use.

Al Brown told the Executive Board members about the new Charge Point phone application. He also announced that the Simi Valley Council on Aging would be holding a meeting on Monday, April 10, 2023.

7. Adjournment: Date to be determined

By consensus of the members, the meeting was adjourned at 8:43 p.m.