

**CITY OF SAN FERNANDO
TRANSPORTATION AND SAFETY COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
MINUTES**

September 7, 2016

***THE FOLLOWING MINUTES ARE A SUMMARY OF ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE TRANSPORTATION & SAFETY COMMISSION. ***

CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

Vice Chair Trujillo called the meeting to order at 6:20 p.m. Civil Engineering Assistant II, Manuel Fabian, called the roll call.

The following persons were recorded as present:

PRESENT: Commissioner David Bernal (Fajardo)
Commissioner Dee Akemon (Ballin)
Vice-Chair Rudy Trujillo (Gonzales)

ABSENT: Commissioner Francisco Arrizon (Lopez)

ALSO PRESENT: Deputy City Manager/PW Director Chris Marcarello
Civil Engineering Assistant II Manuel Fabian

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Vice-Chair Trujillo led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Commissioner Akemon motioned to approve the agenda for the September 7, 2016 Transportation & Safety Commission meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Bernal. The motion carried unanimously.

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PUBLIC STATEMENTS – WRITTEN/ORAL

1. Dan O'Connor (866 Orange Grove) – Spoke regarding parking/speeding issue on Lucas and Orange Grove, parking permitting, illegal garage conversion, and water from Los Angeles running onto Orange Grove.
2. Gilbert Berriozabal (606 Hollister) – Discussed possibility of having permit parking at Coronel, Celis and Pico St. It has been brought to his attention that Little League coaches are drinking at Las Palmas park after games. Drug paraphernalia has been found at Las Palmas Park. Tree at 437 N. Brank is lifting sidewalk.
3. Ricardo Benitez – Questioned the condition of the streets and the scope of work of the current street project. Mr. Benitez also addressed the issue of speeding at Las Palmas Park and on Maclay Ave. and the need of handicap signs at Las Palmas Park.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Bernal motioned to approve the minutes for August 3, 2016 Transportation & Safety Commission meeting. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Akemon. The motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

1. **SAFE AND ACTIVE STREETS: SAN FERNANDO UPDATE** – Nico Linesch (LA County Dept. of Public Health) gave presentation on Safe and Active Streets. Another update will be provided in November. Commissioners were encouraged to attend/promote upcoming workshops.

COMMISSION DISCUSSION

Commissioner Akemon – Thanked Public Works for street work.

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Vice Chair Trujillo – Inquired about restructuring of Commission. Recent shootings report was requested.

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STAFF COMMUNICATION

Mr. Marcarello provided the following updates:

- Call for Projects
- HSIP Application
- Metro Double Track

Mr. Fabian responded to questions regarding street resurfacing project (asked during Public comment).

ADJOURNMENT

Vice Chair Trujillo motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:37 p.m. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Akemon. The motion carried unanimously.