

CITY OF SAN FERNANDO TRANSPORTATION AND SAFETY COMMISSION

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES APRIL 6, 2022 ZOOM MEETING STREAMED ON YOUTUBE

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CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

Chair Rudy Trujillo called the meeting to order at 6:01 p.m. Executive Assistant, Maria Padilla, called the roll call.

The following persons were recorded as present:

PRESENT:

Chair Rudy Trujillo, Vice Chair Adriana Gomez, Commissioners Dee Akemon, and Nicole Mohr

ABSENT:

Commissioner Francisco Arrizon

ALSO PRESENT:

Director of Public Works Matt Baumgardner, Chief of Police Fabian Valdez, Civil Engineering Assistant II Manuel Fabian, and Executive Assistant Maria Padilla

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Commissioner Akemon led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Commissioner Akemon motioned to approve the agenda for the April 6, 2022 Transportation and Safety Commission meeting. Vice Chair Gomez seconded the motion. The motion carried with the following votes:

AYES: D. Akemon, A. Gomez, N. Mohr, and R. Trujillo - 4

NOES: None

ABSENT: F. Arrizon - 1

ABSTAIN: None

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PRESENTATION

A. **INTRODUCTION OF NEW SAN FERNANDO POLICE CHEIFE FABIAN VALDEZ** - Chief of Police Fabian Valdez shared his goals and priorities for the Police Department. Chief Valdez responded to questions from the Commission.

PUBLIC STATEMENTS – WRITTEN/ORAL

None.

CONSENT CALENDAR

Commissioner Mohr motioned to approve the Consent Calendar approving the Minutes of the March 2, 2022 Transportation and Safety Commission Meeting. Commissioner Akemon seconded the motion. The motion carried with the following votes:

AYES: D. Akemon, A. Gomez, N. Mohr, and R. Trujillo - 4

NOES: None

ABSENT: F. Arrizon - 1

ABSTAIN: None

STAFF COMMUNICATION

- **1. GAS COMPANY PROJECT UPDATES** Manuel Fabian provided updates on the two Gas Company projects. Commissioner Mohr would like to have Nixel alerts when work is done on a major artery to prevent traffic impacts.
- **2. INFILTRATION PROJECT UPDATE** Manuel Fabian provided update and informed the Commission of a couple of pop-up events took place to inform residents of the project.
- **3. PICO STREET PROJECT UPDATE** Pico St. projects consists of repaving, sidewalk improvements, driveway approach improvements and ADA improvements on Pico Street from Kalisher to S. Brand.
- **4. HARDING AVENUE TRAFFIC STUDY UPDATE** First study was conducted in November for a period of 24 hours. A second study for a longer period of time will be conducted.

GENERAL COMMISSION COMMENTS

Commissioner Akemon would like to know if there are any plans to have street addresses painted on curbs.



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ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Mohr encouraged the Commission to watch the November T&S Commission meeting video regarding speed limit changes. Commissioner Mohr shared some of the features that will be part of the Safe and Active Streets project.

Vice Chair Gomez is glad to be on the Commission.

Commissioner Akemon thanked staff for their work.

Chair Trujillo welcomed Vice Chair Gomez, congratulated the new Chief of Police and thanked staff for their dedication.

Commissioner Mohr motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:58 p.m. Commissioner Akemon seconded the motion. The motion carried with the following votes:

AYES: D. Akemon, A. Gomez, N. Mohr, and R. Trujillo - 4

NOES: None

ABSENT: F. Arrizon - 1

ABSTAIN: None

