

# Neighborhoods Commission notes June 12, 2019

Informal notes taken by Jim Carter D6 Commissioner

**Call to order:** Meeting called to order by Chair Gary Cunningham 6:05 p.m.

## **Public Comment**

### **Jose Posados**

County Board of Supervisors voted to change how voting is done. Starting in 2020 you will not have to go to a neighborhood voting place but will be able to vote anywhere in the county. It will then be up to 11 days of voting. Primary voting will be moved to March

Looking for places to have voting centers there is compensation 150 locations

Minutes for May 8 minutes approved. One abstention

<http://www.sanjoseca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/85379>

**Chair report:** Chair Cunningham stated he will comment on certain parts of the agenda when appropriate.

**Staff Liaison:** Sabrina reiterated that this is a volunteer commission please refrain from giving the impression that you have power. Commissioners are representatives of their respective districts.

**San Jose Fire Department Ryan Dulin.** Fireworks Presentation. From June 1 to July 8 use the on line reporting tool. 24x7 hot line. <https://sicdot.knack.com/fireworks#report-illegal-fireworks/>

**Ryan Dulin** Will come back in September for a formal report. Ryan will come to our meetings as often as possible.

## **Commission Roundtable: Vice Chair Carter**

D9 several new associations have been formed. D9 Commissioners have a monthly meeting with Council Member Foley standing meetings.

D10 Sanctuary city policy comments disappointed about the county policy.

D1 New resurrection of an association which borders the city of Campbell. Many homeless issues

D2 ongoing high speed rail issues homeless situation is getting worse.

D3 Homelessness voter registration disaster preparedness.

D4 Have some good things happen with the homeless cal -trans is cleaning up around the freeways

D5 Lack of equitable distribution about the budget appropriations unhappy with the appointment on the planning commission.

D6 The Fire station is finally going in on Lincoln Avenue, Station 37

D7 Safe parking pilot has attracted RV's and lots of traffic and people are feeling unsafe

D8 VTA board of directors approved Bart down to Berryessa.

**Ad Hoc committee reports.**

Disaster preparedness Final Report submitted. 114 associations and or groups were contacted.

<http://www.sanjoseca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/85397>

**Traffic Ad hoc**

<http://www.sanjoseca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/84434>

Illegal Dumping

<http://www.sanjoseca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/85396>

**Community Outreach format**

<http://www.sanjoseca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/85386>

**All Ad Hoc committee reports were approved with the Amendment to put outreach final report on web-site**

**Public Comment** Tina Morrill D3 the city will fund what is it prioritizes. Tina thanked the commission for the budget letter with recommendations for increasing funding to the Fire Department to enforce the Fireworks Ordinance

**Annual Report** Chair Cunningham explained the Commissions Annual Report

<http://www.sanjoseca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/84551>

Chair also passed out an evaluation form and requested feedback regarding how effective we [are](#) [you](#) can put your name on it or not but the Chair is requesting feedback

**Next meeting is August 14. New Chair and Vice Chair will be elected.**