



San Diego Regional Litter Abatement Subcommittee

Item: **1**

September 30, 2020

Action: **Approve**

September 16, 2020, Meeting Minutes

Chair Catherine Blakespear (City of Encinitas) called the meeting of the San Diego Regional Litter Abatement Subcommittee to order at 10:03 a.m.

1. Approval of Meeting Minutes (Approve)

Action: Upon a motion by Chair Blakespear and a second by Mayor Serge Dedina (City of Imperial Beach), the Subcommittee voted to approve the minutes from its September 2, 2020, meeting.

The motion passed.

Yes: Chair Blakespear, Mayor Dedina, Deputy Mayor Jack Feller (City of Oceanside), and Councilmember Jennifer Mendoza (City of Lemon Grove).

No: None.

Abstain: Mayor Alejandra Sotelo-Solis (City of National City).

Absent: Councilmember Monica Montgomery (City of San Diego) and Deputy Mayor Amanda Rigby (City of Vista).

2. Public Comments/Communications/Member Comments

B. Seipel, member of the public, spoke regarding her appreciation for the recent litter removal along the State Route 94 corridor.

Randy Wortman, member of the public, spoke in support of the Subcommittee.

Reports

3. Caltrans Updates (Discussion)

Caltrans District 11 Executive Director Gustavo Dallarda and Caltrans District 11 Maintenance Program Manager Andrew Rice presented an overview on the role of the Department of Transportation in litter abatement efforts throughout the San Diego region including the largest sources of trash, mitigation activities like the Adopt-a-Highway program, state funding for these efforts, and service levels.

Action: Discussion only.

4. Tarp Your Load (Discussion)

Mark O'Connor, Janis Jones, and Jenny Roberts, Surfrider Foundation; Jill Whitebook, Marin Clean Highways; and Len Hering, I Love a Clean San Diego presented an overview of the Tarp Your Load campaign in Marin County, including a proposed blueprint for potential implementation of a similar program in the San Diego region.

Rob Hutsel, San Diego River Conservancy, spoke in support of the item and expressed his willingness to present at a future meeting.

Action: Discussion only.

5. Upcoming Meetings (Information)

The next San Diego Regional Litter Abatement Subcommittee meeting is now scheduled for Wednesday, September 30, 2020, at 10 a.m. The Subcommittee discussed and agreed to meet every three weeks following this scheduled meeting.

6. Adjournment

Chair Blakespear adjourned the meeting at 11:50 a.m.

Confirmed Attendance at San Diego Regional Litter Abatement Subcommittee Meeting

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Jurisdiction	Name	Member/ Advisory	Attend
City of Encinitas	Chair Catherine Blakespear	Primary	Yes
City of Imperial Beach	Mayor Serge Dedina	Primary	Yes
	Councilmember Mark West	Alternate	No
City of Oceanside	Deputy Mayor Jack Feller	Primary	Yes
City of Lemon Grove	Councilmember Jennifer Mendoza	Primary	Yes
City of San Diego	Councilmember Monica Montgomery	Primary	No
City of Vista	Deputy Mayor Amanda Rigby	Primary	Yes
City of National City	Mayor Alejandra Sotelo-Solis	Primary	Yes
Advisory Members			
Caltrans	Executive Director Gustavo Dallarda	Advisory	Yes
City of San Diego	Interim Director for Environmental Services	Advisory	Yes