

Antelope Valley RPAC Meeting Minutes December 4, 2014

RPAC Member Attendees:

Katy Buell
John Vannoy
Bruce Woodworth
Tim Fesko
Mark Langner
Orval Mosby
Judy Curti
Mike Curti
Victoria Victor

Excused Absences:

Arden Gerbig
Dan Anthony

Guests:

Gerry Le Francois (Mono Co. Planning)
Jeff Ulrich (USFS)
Doug Power (Marine Base representative)
Bill Van Lente (resident)

Public Comment:

M. Curti announced that burning season has begun. Last year's permit will be good through 12-31-2014
To burn, one must call Sacramento to confirm that it will be a burn day and then call the Mono
Co. Sherriff's office (760) 932-7549 #7.

Van Lente has taken over as the manager of the Health Clinic, 73 Camp Antelope Rd. in Walker. He
indicates that plans are for either an MD or PA to be available 5 days a week and a dentist after
01-01-2015.

Approval of Minutes:

Minutes for November 6, 2014 approved.

Informational / Discussion of Actions:

Ulrich indicated that the Forest has planted 6,000 sage/bitterbrush plantings and further seeding at Rosaschi
Ranch. Snow mobiles will be allowed in designated areas after it is determined that there is 24" of snow
accumulation.

Power reported that the Marine Base is gearing up for winter training.

Langner described a faulty announcement of intentions by the Marines to install seven story
communication towers. In discussion, both Ulrich and Power said they would look into it and report back to
the RPAC. Fesko/Langner recommended that the comment period be extended and a presentation be made
to the RPAC.

Fesko announced that the County had received six bids for the Mountain Gate Park construction, which will go forward in spring, 2015. Part of the contract will be the stewardship of plantings for a year, including weekly watering. Low bidder was Sierra View Equipment.

LeFrancois said the Opticos planning is active and continuing.

Nominations for 2015 Officers are:

Welsh, Chair
J. Curti, Vice Chair
Buell, Secretary

Next Meeting:

Next meeting: February 5, 2015, 630PM Walker Community Center, Walker