

## CVPAC Minutes

May 11, 2006

The meeting was started by John Kidd at 7:05 in the absence of Bob Quirk

John led the flag salute and Judy Kidd read the minutes from the March and April meetings. George Morgan moved and Ron Thrower 2<sup>nd</sup> to approve the Mar. minutes.

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Ron Thrower gave a report on the disaster program, and stated that many important people were there from the various organizations. The meeting had many valuable aspects but lacked the attendance of Cuyama people. It will be up to the local people to take care of themselves. There will be another like meeting Sat, at the Catholic Church for the Hispanic people. Mica said the next meeting needs to be co-ordinate with the school and its programs. We will need a site set-up and co-ordinate with the fire department. Water could be the biggest issue. We could possibly have a mock-up disaster drill. Perhaps the children could produce first-aid kits at school to take home. Discussion followed. Tom Mounts discusses incident command systems that the Forestry has to help with communication. Ron discussed developing a leadership committee to develop a disaster plan. Marty suggested a one-page disaster preparation list and put it in the Cuyama Valley News.

Judy Kidd reported about a meeting on Wed. with the SLO and Santa Barbara Air Resource people, Bolthouse, Grimway, the school, and she and John concerning air quality in the Valley and how some of the dust from the farming could be eliminated. She had also received an email from Eric Hovol about an article in the Santa Barbara paper stating the SB supervisors had approved looking into the development of small "villages" in various areas of the county and Cuyama was on the list.

Marty Efried reported on this website with a hand-out showing the various parts of the website. Pam Doiron suggested the possibility of adding a map to the website.

Tom and Robin Mounts reported on Ranchoil stating the meeting concerning the trailer park will be continued as the trailer park is not abandoned. Discussion on housing followed.

Jim Wegis gave a report on the possibility of Highway 166 becoming a scenic route. 166 is currently designated a scenic highway element and would be eligible if qualifications are met. There are many qualifications that would have to be sent to Cal Trans to evaluate and determined if it would be adopted. If it became a scenic route, the land would be regulated and any projects within the designated areas would have to meet requirements, ie landscaping, color of houses, etc. It would be cumbersome with many regulations.

The possibility of a social event was brought up by John Kidd to be discussed at the next meeting. Two new members of the group were introduced and welcomed.

Jim Wegis moved and George Morgan 2<sup>nd</sup> to adjourn. Passed, 8:10

Judy Kidd