

## **Cuyama Valley Planning and Advisory Committee Minutes:**

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**Meeting of May 12, 2009:**

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm.

Marty Eifrid chaired the meeting.

Jennifer Lee as Secretary took notes.

George Morgan read the minutes from the February 10, 2009 meeting. John Kidd moved to approve the Minutes as read and Pam Doiron seconded the motion. The Minutes were approved as read and submitted to Marty Eifrid to be posted on the CVPAC website.

**Cuyama Water Basin Study:**

There was some discussion of the use of the Cuyama Elementary School's well for the Hydrology Study.

Dennis Gibbs, Senior Hydrologist will attend the June 2009 meeting.

**New Cuyama Recreation Hall Restoration:**

Pam Doiron researched Oprah.com, HDTV-Deserving Design, and Extreme Home Makeover websites to see if funding might be available for repair of the Recreation Hall. Our community needs a place to meet and 85%-90% of the children in the Valley are in the low-income group.

**Pool and Facilities:**

There is supposed to be an opening ceremony in late June or early July 2009. Four children from Cuyama Valley will be working as lifeguards and swimming lessons will be available.

**Mines Update:**

No new news.

**Valley Planning:**

The Bren School report, a 75 page Conservation Assessment for the Cuyama Valley: Current conditions and Planning Scenarios has been completed and is now available. The link will be posted on the Cuyama Valley website.

**Music Festival:**

They are looking at Coachella for the festival.

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Cuyama Valley emergency goods and services network:

Marty Eifrid proposed that a community list of voluntary services be posted on the Cuyama Valley website. All present were in favor.

SR-166 Safety Task Force:

Marty Eifrid will provide information on time and locations of future meetings.

Information from other groups or committees:

A new non-profit group Cuyama Valley Conservancy is forming to help plan and implement sustainable economic development in the Cuyama Valley.

The Community Environmental Council, a Santa Barbara non-profit environmental group, will be giving a presentation at the Santa Barbara Pistachio Store concerning solar power installation possibilities.

New items or ideas for discussion:

None.

Meeting adjourned at 8:50 pm.

Jennifer Lee as Secretary for CVPAC