

Cuyama Valley Planning and Advisory Committee Minutes:

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Meeting of September 8, 2009:

The meeting was called to order at 7:15 pm.

Marty Eifrid chaired the meeting.

Jennifer Lee as Secretary took notes.

The minutes from the July 14, 2009 meeting were read and approved as read. No minutes are available for the August 11, 2009 meeting. DVD's of the presentations given at the August meeting are available upon request.

Cuyama Valley emergency Goods and Services Network:

Nothing has changed.

Cuyama Water Basin Study:

Dennis Gibbs, Senior Hydrologist and representatives from the USGS gave presentations at the August 11, 2009 meeting. Dennis gave an update of the Cuyama Water Basin study. The drill rig has been set up on Bell and Foothill, and will be moving to foothill and Santa Barbara Canyon. All drilling should be completed in 2009. Dennis has been getting permits for the well sites and is making quarterly well measurements. October 13, 2009 the Santa Barbara Board of Supervisors will vote on whether or not to continue funding for the Cuyama Water Study. The website with results of the Water Study should be available in September and Dennis will get the site information to Marty Eifrid to put on the CVPAC website.

Proposed Solar Energy Project:

Discussion was held about the possible Edison Mission Energy presentation of their solar project information at the October CVPAC meeting.

George Morgan moved and Jennifer Lee seconded the motion to put the Edison Mission Energy proposed solar project on the October 13, 2009 agenda.

New Cuyama Recreation Hall Rehabilitation:

The Recreation Hall will be repaired in the near future.

Rural Region Plan:

The CVPAC idea-list for the Rural Region Plan will be resubmitted to Supervisor Centeno and the Santa Barbara Planning Commission.

International Arts and Music Festival:

The festival may not happen in 2010, it is on the "back burner".

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SR 166 Task Force:

The next meeting will be September 15, 2009.

New items or ideas for discussion:

The Cuyama Valley Conservancy will hold it's first public meeting on October 6, 2009 at 7:00 pm, at the Santa Barbara Pistachio Store in Ventucopa.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 pm.

Jennifer Lee as Secretary for CVPAC