



North Fair Oaks Community Council

*A Municipal Advisory Council to the
San Mateo County Board of Supervisors*

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May 26, 2022

7:00pm

The North Fair Oaks Community Council provides recommendations on the issues of community health, safety, welfare, public works, and planning for the North Fair Oaks geographic area. It holds regular monthly meetings to address the needs of the community, act as a forum, and serve as an advisory body to the Board of Supervisors.

Pursuant to the Shelter in Place Orders issued by the San Mateo County Health Officer and the Governor, the Governor’s Executive Order N-29-20, and the CDC’s social distancing guidelines which discourage large public gatherings, this meeting was held via videoconference. It began at 7:00 PM and was accessed online at <https://smcgov.zoom.us/j/95040921917> or by calling 1 (877) 568-4106 for Spanish.

1. ROLL CALL

Present: Council Members Juan Carlos Prado, Everardo Rodriguez, Jennifer Ruiz, Blair Whitney, Chair Brooks Esser

Staff Present: Legislative Aid Maggie Cornejo, Deputy County Tim Fox, Deputy County Manager Justin Mates, Community Affairs Office Emma Gonzalez, Joshua Caspillan, Kenny Chu

2. AB 361 Resolution

Motion to adopt the AB 361 Resolution to Make Findings for Conduct of Meetings Via Teleconference

Council Member Juan Carlos Prado/ Second: Council Member Everardo Rodriguez

Verbal roll call vote was taken:

Yes: Prado, Rodriguez, Ruiz, Whitney, Brooks (5)

No: 0

Abstain: 0

Absent: Cerillo, Ake, Curincita (3)

3. Public Comment

No public comment.

AGENDA

4. Presentation: Service Recognition; Honoring Council Member Linda Lopez for her work and dedication to the North Fair Oaks community.

<p>Presented by Chair Brooks Esser</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council Member Linda Lopez served the North Fair Oaks community for over 50 years, working to improve the quality of life for residents • Linda’s leadership contributed efforts to the development of well-established programs and resources in North Fair Oaks such as the Community Center, Health Clinic, Senior Center, North Fair Oaks Library, Child Care, and a strong network of community-based organizations
<p>Council Members Comment</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chair Brooks Esser <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Provided leadership and mentorship • Council Member Everardo Rodriguez <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Shared many community accomplishments in North Fair Oaks ○ Dedicated to voicing the community’s concerns ○ Mentored youth at the Siena Youth Center • Council Member Juan Carlos Prado <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Supported with the establishments of the North Fair Oaks Library and Clinic
<p>Public Comment</p>	<p>No public comment.</p>

5. Recommendation: Plan for adoption of Community Climate Action Plan.

<p>Presented by Carolyn J Bloede, Office of Sustainability</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update 2013 Energy and Climate Change Element and 2013 Energy Efficiency Climate Action Plan in response to changes in State law • Actions for reducing greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in unincorporated San Mateo County • Goal to have Community Climate Action Plan adopted by the Board of Supervisors by summer 2022 <p>Motion to provide recommendation of approval for the Community Climate Action Plan to go to the Board of Supervisors. Council Member Juan Carlos Prado/ Second: Council Member Everardo Rodriguez</p> <p>Verbal roll call vote was taken: Yes: Prado, Rodriguez, Ruiz, Whitney, Brooks (5) No: 0 Abstain: 0 Absent: Cerrillo, Ake, Curincita (3)</p>
<p>Council Members Comment</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Council Member Everardo Rodriguez • Vice Chair Blair Whitney

Public Comment	No public comment.
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6. Discussion: Approval of letter of San Mateo County Board of Supervisors asking that the County ‘action plan’ for women’s reproductive freedom and healthcare privacy’ include a buffer zone around reproductive health facility located at 2907 El Camino Real.

Discussion led by Chair Brooks Esser	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Board of Supervisors passed a resolution affirming the county’s support for women’s reproductive freedom in health care • Develop action plan on specific steps to implement resolution and present to the Board of Supervisors on June 14th • Redwood City Council to send letter to Board of Supervisors requesting the implementation of a buffer zone around the Planned Parenthood facility located at 2907 El Camino Real; the North Fair Oaks Community Council to concurrently send approval letter <p>Motion to provide recommendation to send approval letter to Board of Supervisors to implement a buffer zone around reproductive health facility located at 2907 El Camino Real. Council Member Everardo Rodriguez/ Second: None</p> <p>Verbal roll call vote was NOT taken.</p>
Council Members Comment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deputy County Council Melissa Andrikopoulos • Vice Chair Blair Whitney • Council Member Everardo Rodriguez
Public Comment	No public comment.

7. Report Out

<p>Supervisor’s Report, presented by Maggie Cornejo, Legislative Aid</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Action plan on specific steps to implement resolution to be presented to the Board of Supervisors on June 14th • Redwood City Fire and Menlo Fire co-developing CERT training for North Fair Oaks community <p>County Manager’s Report, presented by Justin Mates, Deputy County Manager</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No report out. <p>Council Member’s Report, presented by North Fair Oaks Community Council</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vice Chair Blair Whitney <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Approve the implementation of CERT trainings • Council Member Everardo Rodriguez <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ North Fair Oaks Bicycle and Pedestrian Railroad Crossing study • Brooks Esser <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Senate bill AB-893 passed the state senate moving on to the assembly ○ Attended community’s response team meeting, Sheriff’s Department to announce the illegal use of fireworks ○ Accepting application for vacant seats on the North Fair Oaks Community Council
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Public comment: No public comment.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10pm.

Next Council Meeting: *

Thursday June 23, 2022; 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

*North Fair Oaks Community Council will have a recess for the month of December.

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