

# Residents of Norco Urging Protection of Rural and Animal Keeping Lifestyles



Dedicated to Civic Accountability

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings Norco and Happy Independence Day from the road in Northern California. By the time you read this, we shall be home again, after our yearly family campout in Alpine County, near Lake Tahoe . . .and a visit to our very first Norconian friend's cabin. . .high in gold-mining country near the Oregon border. Driving through and enjoying hundreds of miles of forests, farm land, pastures and open-space is heart and soul rejuvenation to say the least. All these beautiful areas come complete with a cute little town and locals protective of their environment and lifestyles.

Seeing the Patriotic decorations was a fun way for us to celebrate July 4th. Norco has a bit of attitude in common. Too bad we are surrounded by uber-urban sprawl, and our OPEN-SPACE is mostly linear. We have our Hills as a backdrop, more Parks than most cities our size, and we can have our Critters in most back-yards. For these qualities of life, I am most appreciative. My concern is always for the future of Norco. As we who are involved and pay attention to Civic Concerns age and slow done due to that inevitable process . . . we need those younger residents to please pay attention to what Horsetown, USA provides as a unique place to raise a family, raise some vegetables, raise some farm critters and raise the American Flag. Happy Birthday America.

I hope to see you at our Annual RURAL Elections BBQ & Potluck at the AZEVEDO's on Sunday, July 23rd, 5 p.m.

BTW...I did NOT see a Red, White & Blue stripe down any other main streets!!

Pat Overstreet 951-734-5081



## Next Meetings

### **SUNDAY:**

July 23: Election/Membership Renewal Pot-luck/BBQ at the Azevedo's

August: **No meeting!**  
It's Rodeo Time!!

# July 2017

## GENERAL MEETING

June 22, 2017

### Board Present:

Pres. Pat Overstreet  
Secretary Doris Higgins  
Treasurer Denise Sutherland

### Call to Order:

7:00 pm

### Welcome by:

Pres. Pat Overstreet

### Pledge of Allegiance:

Sec. Doris Higgins

### Minutes:

Read and Approved

### Treasurers Report:

Ending balance for General and Trail  
Marker Fund as of 05/31/17  
**\$8117.32**

### Old Business:

- Memorial Day celebration at Ingalls Park was fantastic. Missed it...try next year's event.

### New Business:

Day of the Cowboy, July 22 at 9 am for the opening ceremony, at the rodeo grounds on 6th Street. Moreno Arena.

Getting ready for the Posse Rodeo and the Norco Fair; volunteers will be needed for both.

### SPEAKER: Councilmember Robin Grundmeyer

Robin spoke of the different commissions she sits on for the City.

- Youth Advisory Council for Government Processes. Applications went out to JFK and Norco H.S. Grades 9-12th invited to apply. Nine students attended training from Oct. to May. Several volunteered at various government happenings. Will become more active when school starts up in the fall. A Youth & Govt. Day is planned for late fall.
- U.N.L.O.A.D. Committee Lt. Riddick states that there are a lot of resources that are being made available. Several students are in need of the basics and through teachers and other members of the public they are being identified and helped. (Some need food, housing and help coping with parents who are failing to support them because of alcohol or drug use.) General information meeting to be announced in Aug or Sept.
- School Committee Meetings attended which deals with the City and the School District's needs.
- New help at the Norco High School called "Food Insecurities" started by the FFA faculty and students. It offers reduced sales of food to families (students) who need food. The products are grown at the high school's Agriculture Dept. and is helped subsidized by various grants supplied for this purpose. Along with food, basic toiletries are also supplied to those students/families who are in need.

Question and answer period concluded the above discussions.

**Next General Meeting:** BBQ; POTLUCK and Election, at Kathy and Danny Azevedo's home. 2 pm

**Meeting Adjourned: 8:13 p.m.**

**REMEMBER TO SHOP NORCO...SHOP NORCO...SHOP NORCO**  
**(especially for gas)**

Interesting photos and articles for our newsletters are always appreciated. Contact Dana Adams at [editor@rural-norco.com](mailto:editor@rural-norco.com)

This was a short recap of the meeting; please plan on attending the next general meeting.

**Minutes respectfully submitted by:** Doris Higgins, Secretary

**July 2017**

EST BUCKLE BONANZA 2017

**WELCOME GUYS AND GALS**

City of Norco & Lunde Enterprise Presents

**RANCH SORTING**

at the George Ingalls Equestrian Event Center

**BUCKLE BONANZA**

sponsored by **zevia**

July 11, 2017 | 5:30pm sign ups | Sorting 7:00pm

First to enter, first to go. First team cut 7:00pm Sharp

For more Info call Jerry Lunde (951) 212-2238  
For full info go to @HeavensRanchNorco

# July 2017

## RURAL Executive Staff 2017

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Doris Higgins 951-898-3698

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Denise Lynn Sutherland  
951-545-4312

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2017 SUMMER  
**CONCERTS**  
*in the park!*

6:30pm - 8:30pm Pikes Peak Park

Join us for some summertime fun!  
**July 7<sup>th</sup> - Heartache Tonight**  
**July 21<sup>st</sup> - Western Express Band**

Bring your friends and family and enjoy two hours of entertainment each Friday night! The Norco Lions Club will have refreshments and delicious BBQ available for purchase. Parking is available through Gate 4 off Sixth Street. Pets must be on a leash. Alcohol not permitted. Donations gladly accepted!

**FREE EVENT! FREE PARKING!**  
INFO: 951.270.5632 [www.norco.ca.us](http://www.norco.ca.us)

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HELP PRESERVE THE WESTERN HERITAGE National Day of the American Cowboy is coming back to Horsetown USA on **Saturday, July 22, 2017**, at the George Ingalls Equestrian Event Center. Bring the entire family and join us for some western fun, filled with participation events, which include an obstacle course, barrels, a ribbon race, poles one and speed barrels (participation fees apply), a kids zone with pony rides, and a petting zoo, as well as food and craft vendors, chuck wagon and chariot races, performances by the Mane Attraction Drill Team and much more! The Grand Entry Celebration will begin at 9 a.m., participation events will begin at 10 a.m., and the PCJBR Rodeo will begin at 12 p.m. Admission is free for all and parking is \$5 per vehicle. For more information, please call (951) 270-5632



**National Day of the Cowboy** Fourth Saturday  
[www.NationalDayCalendar.com](http://www.NationalDayCalendar.com) in July

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**July 2017**



**JULY 23rd SUNDAY:**

RURAL'S Annual Potluck/BBQ & ELECTIONS event  
at the Azevedo Residence, 3627 Temescal @ 5 p.m.

**IT'S RODEO TIME NO AUGUST MEETING**



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