

## GENERAL MEETING

October 26, 2017

**Board Present:** President Pat Overstreet; Vice President Kathy Kramer;  
Secretary Doris Higgins; Treasurer Denise Sutherland

**Call to Order:** 7:00 pm

**Welcome by:** President. Pat Overstreet

**Pledge of Allegiance:** Linda Kromka

**Minutes:** Not available; will be in the bulletin for reading

**Treasurers Report:** \$8474.08

### **Old Business:**

- Thank you to all the helpers for the Celebration of Life, for Rose Eldridge who left us after 97 yrs. She started her advocacy for Seniors and their needs back in 1962 and worked hard over several decades for that cause.
- Articles of Association and By-Laws were presented to the members for acceptance. They were voted upon, accepted and with a few minor typos will be corrected and available to all via the website.
- Norco Conservancy update: The conservancy will change it's direction and RURAL will be taking over the Ranch Tour. Next Ranch Tour will be May 3rd, 2018, Saturday.

### **New Business:**

- Farmer's Market will be every Sunday, 10-2. Check with City Hall for all particulars. (City Hall has also sent a flyer to all residents in Norco with all the items of interest to help generate more attendance. Watch your mailbox or just check the City Hall website.
- Caprock Partners will be planning various ideas to be presented to the City Council for the use of the Norco Egg Ranch properties. Speaker was Becky Whatley, who represented Caprock Partners. More information will be in January.
- Councilman Hoffman spoke regarding Veteran's Day Ceremonies at the Veterans' Memorial at Ingalls Park, on November 11 at 10 am.

### **OTHER:**

- Dos Lagos Veterans ceremony on Nov. 4 (at the Veteran's Ceremony) check their website for time and further information.
- Happy Birthday U. S. Marines on November 10th

### **SPEAKER: Council Corner**

- Councilman Kevin Bash shared some of the various activities that were or have occurred throughout the City (ex: Wheelchair basketball competition for the disabled vets at our community center; Gridiron "Spooktakular"). Discussed Norco's background since 1948 and key points of interest like the I-15 going through our City in 1989. Norco's Financial pluses and struggles.
- Discussed his ongoing concerns regarding some groups pushing petitions for voting districts and term limits for council. Before signing any petitions, please educate yourself on the pros and cons of such actions. Come to the City Council meeting on November 1st where redistricting will be discussed. **Stay Informed / Vote Informed.**
- Freeway to bridge expansion is expected to take 5 years for completion and will be a traffic challenge to all residents. Prepare for a mess before it gets better. A
- Also the City is trying 'flyers' for a new way into transparency. Watch your mail.
- Discussed December 7th Pearl Harbor 10am activities at the Naval Base here in Norco. All invited.

Question and answer period concluded the above information

**Next General Meeting:** No meetings for November (Happy Thanksgiving) No meeting for December **BUT** a fun Christmas Potluck and Silly Gift Exchange, will be on December 17, 2017 2 pm, at the Overstreet's home. The gift should be "silly", but desired, that way the exchanges and takeaways, are in full competitiveness.

**Meeting Adjourned: 8:20 p.m.**

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