



HOPLAND

MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

Hopland Municipal Advisory Council

December 20, 2017

5:00pm SIP Mendocino

13420 S Highway 101, Hopland, CA

Minutes

Members: Julie Golden, Dave Roderick, John Schaeffer, Anna Beuselinck, Amy Frost

Alternate: Patty Rock

Secretary: Kim Rodrigues

Administrative Support: Beth Burks- LACO Associates

Present at meeting: Julie Golden, Dave Roderick, John Schaeffer, Amy Frost, Kim Rodrigues

1. Review/approve of minutes from November 15, 2017 meeting
November minutes were reviewed. John motioned to approve the minutes, with a second from Julie. All approved, with Kim abstaining.
2. Public comment
Don Mosier, a local resident, was in attendance, but had no comment. He attended the meeting simply as an interested community member.
3. Hopland Downtown Plan update
There were no new updates to the draft of the Plan as of yet. Dave reported that he continues to talk with a representative of Senator McGuire to form a committee, to be made up of local community members, to discuss with Caltrans safety improvements needed in the Hopland corridor. Dave and Julie are planning on meeting with Senator McGuire and his representative to draft a resolution that could be adopted by the MAC to form such committee.
4. Emergency Plan for Hopland
As Mendocino County has a set Emergency Plan, the council members discussed the possibility of the MAC adopting aspects of the County Emergency Plan into the future Hopland Downtown Plan. Kim suggested that the creation of Fire Safe Councils in the Hopland area could help neighborhoods to be prepared for emergencies at a more local level. The County has a Fire Safe Council, but these can be created within neighborhoods to bring awareness and preparedness to communities. Kim plans on bringing additional information to a future meeting.
5. Letter to the Board of Supervisors to address apportionment of emergency/public safety funds
Dave drafted this letter, with the primary purpose of asking the County to evaluate the emergency/public safety system and improve it as needed. Julie will reach out to other



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local MAC's to ask if they will support the ideas of the Hopland MAC and send a similar letter to the Board of Supervisors. The letter was reviewed and approved with direction for Dave to revise the wording. John motioned to approve the minutes, with a second from Julie. All approved.

6. UUSD Hopland Elementary School discussion

MAC members were notified that the Ukiah Unified School District (UUSD) formed a committee, "711" Committee, in December 2016 to evaluate both the properties of the former Hopland Elementary School and the former Redwood Valley Elementary School. At the December 17, 2017 meeting of the Board of Education, the findings of such evaluation were presented. The committee issued a recommendation, the product of a year-long study, that the properties be deemed surplus and sold.

The presentation and report from this meeting can be found at the following links:

Presentation

<http://agendaonline.net/Public/Meeting/Attachments/DisplayAttachment.aspx?AttachmentID=720435&IsArchive=0>

Report

<http://agendaonline.net/Public/Meeting/Attachments/DisplayAttachment.aspx?AttachmentID=719531&IsArchive=0>

7. Adjournment

Adjournment at 6:00.

Next Meetings: 01/17/18, 02/21/18 at 5:00-6:00pm