

Mira Mesa Town Council Meeting Minutes

June 4, 2018 - 7:00 p.m.

1) Call to order by President Ted Brengel, Pledge of Allegiance

2) Recognition of First Responders (SDPD/SDFD)

- a) SDPD Northeastern Division - numbers are up this month. 7 stolen vehicles, one in Miramar, 6 in Mira Mesa, none recovered. 14 car break-ins in Mira Mesa, 4 in Miramar. 2 commercial burglaries in Mira Mesa, 2 in Miramar. 7 residential burglaries, most through sliding glass doors. IRS scam still going on. Speed trailer set up on Calle Cristobal. Joe – want to find out what caused the fatal accident. Al – coffee with a cop should be later in the day. Q: contractor working on Sunday, illegal under City codes. Jack hammering all day. Call non-emergency number 619 531-2000. May be a 45 minute wait.

3) Minutes of May meeting approved.

4) President's Report, including Fourth of July Parade & Fun Day Update – Ted Brengel.

- a) Rumors to the contrary, we will have a full Fourth of July Celebration this year. Judy Sluyter is event chair. Pancake breakfast 7 AM, Parade at 11:30, fun day all day. 9 PM fireworks.

5) Scripps Mesa Fireworks: 4th of July Fireworks Fundraising Update – Michael Spencer

- a) Shirts for 2018 are now available for sale as fundraiser.

6) Introduction and Recognition of MMTC/Verne Goodwin Scholarship Winners – Eric Kolbeck, Scholarship Committee Chair.

- a) \$1,000 checks presented to Davis Boring, Jessica De Jauregui and Trish Dong.

7) Presentation of MMTC Award to 2017 Mira Mesa Volunteer of the Year Tom Derr

- a) Ted Brengel presented the award to Tom Derr

8) District 6 Mid-Year Update – San Diego City Councilmember Chris Cate

- a) Next week City Council will vote on budget. Had to close a \$45 million deficit. Mayor cut \$200k from Mira Mesa Community Plan update. Got that reinstated. Plan to be completed by 2021. New dispatcher positions. This year \$330 million for infrastructure – largest in history. Trying to reinstitute volunteer code compliance program in Miramar. Gold Coast and Parkdale were not built right, so City crews must rebuild road and make sure utilities are still OK. Will take a long time and will be disruptive. June 27 community meeting 6 pm on these roads. No firm start date yet, but should happen soon. Nonemergency police phone number wait times are reported to average 5 minutes 25 sec, but considerably longer waits have been reported. Code compliance for barking dogs has changed. Second time go to a mediator. City contracts with the Humane society starting July 1, replacing former County contract.

9) Jonas Salk Elementary School Garden – Kayla Compton, Tammy Evans, and Jolene Cook

- a) Developing garden, trying to get to the point where kids can eat what they grow. Asking for donations. MMTC Board will review. Motion (Cox) to allow Board to donate up to \$200. 19-5 approved.

10) MMHS Football Coach Chris Thompson (Coach Thompy)

- a) Long time resident of Mira Mesa, went to Ericson, Wangenheim, MMHS. Starting summer June 18. Allow MMTC to have booth at games. Fearthemecca.com. Mira Mesa Football on Facebook.

11) Government and Community Resources

- a) Mira Mesa Community Planning Group – Jeff Stevens, Chairman
 - i) Next meeting June 18. Will have the first Marijuana Processing Facility as an action item.
- b) Mira Mesa Recreation Council – Bruce Brown, Chairman

- i) June 6 workshop at Sandburg, new joint use park being developed. 6-8 PM, June 12 Recreation Council meeting starts at 6 PM, then at 7 going into workshop on 3rd community park. Carroll Canyon and Camino Santa Fe. 25 acres.
- c) Barbara Schwartz, Mira Mesa Branch Library Manager: Library is polling place tomorrow. Library opens at 11:30, but meeting room with polls at 7 PM. Staff here at 5:45 AM. New children's garden. Monarch butterflies. Lion's club donated time and money for it. Summer reading program for children and adults. Citizenship class.
- d) Ann Marie Council, Deputy City Attorney, representative for City Attorney Mara Elliott. One of the City priorities is neighborhood quality of life. Mira Mesa doesn't have a lot of problems. City attorney can help if quality of rental housing is substandard. Hoarders. Nuisance abatement unit – can be reported online. Ann Marie can be contact for any problem.

12) Elected Officials – standing reports

- a) Mayor Kevin Faulconer – Eric Young. Represent districts 6, 8 and 9. Presented Tom Derr with framed certificate. Tom Derr day. Fire department lifeguards recruiting. The official tryouts for seasonal lifeguard positions will be held on June 7, 8 and 9. Those interested in applying are encouraged to visit www.sandiego.gov/bealifeguard. Newly-appointed San Diego Police Chief David Nisleit has created a new Neighborhood Policing Division to develop and implement a more standardized approach to how his department deploys resources and works collaboratively with the community to address such issues as illegal dumping, graffiti, illicit drug use and distribution, and homelessness. 72 hour abatement. Will pick up abandoned shopping carts after 72 hours. Waived fees to accelerate construction of granny flats. San Diego is #1 for data driven solutions. Trying to improve response times/closed tickets.

13) Open Forum

- a) Sarah Young. This is PTSD prevention month. Obama signed a bill on 2016 warrior care month. New sponsor. Trying to help homeless veterans. Build veterans villages.

14) Other MMTC Committee Reports

- a) Membership – Jenn Kuyper. All memberships expire June 30, so please renew if you have not. Walgreens gives 15% discounts.
- b) Newsletter Editor – Chris Thibodeaux. Hardcopies in back. Electronic newsletter is chock full of information answering many of the questions that were asked here tonight. Get it Done App does work. Keep us connected. Lots of information on website.
- c) Treasurer – Bari Vaz. Checking balance \$53,547. Savings \$15,897.
- d) Street Fair – Jeff Stevens. Vendor and performer applications for the October 6 Mira Mesa Street Fair are now online. See <https://www.miramesatowncouncil.org/mira-mesa-street-fair>.

15) Adjournment 8:55 pm

NOTE: There will be no MMTC meeting in July – we hope to see everyone at Mira Mesa's community Fourth of July celebration on Wednesday, July 4th! Next MMTC meeting will be Monday, August 6, 2018.