



Yolo County/City of Davis 2x2 Meeting Minutes Wednesday, June 10, 2020

Participants: Councilmember Will Arnold, Councilmember Dan Carson

County Supervisor Jim Provenza, County Supervisor Don Saylor

Staff: City Manager Mike Webb

County Administrator Patrick Blacklock

1. Call to Order & Roll Call

Meeting called to order at 12:02

Present: Dan Carson, Don Saylor, Jim Provenza, Will Arnold, Patrick Blacklock, Mike

Webb

2. Designation of Chair for Day – Jim Provenza

3. Approval of Agenda

Will Arnold moved, with a second by Don Saylor for approval of the agenda

Ayes: all Noes: none

4. Public Comment

None

5. Discussion Items

A. Update on latest State/County COVID-19 Health Orders

Blacklock: Provided and update on measures being taken and the requirements throughout the county. There is already a team of contract tracers at the county that is expanding with the assistance of cities and UC Davis. The surveillance testing plan is being developed. Explained that there will be challenges as cold and flu season approaches. Talked about the food delivery programs that provide meals to seniors and those with underlying conditions. Gave an update on Project Roomkey.

Webb: Shared that the city is continuing to follow county and state lead on orders. City is working with businesses in downtown with Open Air Davis which will allow businesses to expand onto sidewalk, plaza or even parking spaces adjacent to the businesses. Preparing to open up city pools for lap swimming, but not recreational swimming. Rolling out announcement on that as soon as the county makes their announcements.

Carson: Asked about the volunteer base for the food delivery programs, as most of the volunteers are 65 and older.

Blacklock: Explained that there have been volunteers, which include county and city staff when there aren't enough volunteers, but as staff come back to work, it's becoming more challenging to fill those spots.

Arnold: Talked about Project Roomkey and how cities are interested in continuing this program to provide housing for those that are otherwise homeless. Some cities in the county are considering purchasing motels.

Blacklock: Provided an update and what West Sacramento and Woodland are considering and steps to continue housing of homeless.

Webb: Shared that since before COVID, the City had been looking into overnight housing for the homeless, expanding services from the daytime respite center. Is looking at a range of concepts for housing to present to council.

Saylor: Shared that Sonoma County did a motel acquisition a few years ago and they could be looked at as a programmatic model. Also talked about how with regards to COVID, the air quality has improved since people have been working from home and the workforce has been very productive.

B. Aging Commission/City Commission Consideration of Disaster Preparedness Recommendations

Provenza: Discussed the recommendations being made by the commission to deal with situations such as finding means for people to power their medical devices in the event of a power outage, and identifying people who might be isolated and need to connect with others in the event of an evacuation. The Aging Commission would like to meet with the city commission first and collaborate on bringing forward recommendations.

C. North Fork Putah Creek – Land Ownership and Maintenance Analysis/Recommendations

Elisa Sabatini, Yolo County: Shared a map of the area that is located on the southern city limits near Willowbank and Putah Creek Park. Gave some background about the maintenance that has taken place to this area over the years. A formal legal survey of the property was done to determine both public and private legal ownership as well as the ownership between the city and county. The county was told that the city would access the area and determine areas of concern. These have not yet been received.

Webb: Staff has been working on this for years. Suggested that he and Patrick Blacklock work together on what the delays might be and address those.

Would like to bring this item back to a future meeting

D. Meeting Schedule for July and August 2020

It was agreed that a meeting will take place on July 8.

6. Board of Supervisors/City Council Comments None

7. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 12:58