



DENAIR MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

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Denair Municipal Advisory Council Meeting Minutes
Leadership Board Room
3460 Lester Road, Denair, CA
February 1, 2022, 7:00 PM

I. Opening and Pledge of Allegiance

A. James Brugger called meeting to order at 7:00 PM and led the pledge to the flag.

II. Introduction and Roll Call

A. Members present James Brugger, Adam Dalton, Billy Myers, and Kimberly Stokes

III. Public Comments

A. Brandy Way – recycling is no longer offered under SB 1383 exemption; deferring comment to waste management agenda item

IV. Approval of Minutes from January 4, 2022

A. January 4, 2022 meeting minutes were approved:
i. Motion by Adam Dalton, Second by Billy Myers
ii. All approved

V. Agency Reports and Updates

A. Public Safety:

i. California Highway Patrol (<https://www.chp.ca.gov/home>) – Officer Moore

a. Reports for January 2022 –

- Two hit and run
- (1) broke down vehicle
- (2) non-injury collisions
- (1) injury collision
- (1) vehicle vs bicycle (minor injury)
- (1) abandoned vehicle (stolen from outside of Denair)

b. Public comment - Dirt Bikes riding on canals near Gratton and Zeering

- One stolen vehicle – recovered without tires and wheels

ii. Stanislaus County Sheriff - (<https://www.scsdonline.com/>) – Deputy Davis (Community Resource Officer)

a. Reports for January 2022

- 76 calls
 - i. Assault, burglary
 - ii. 9 arrents – warrant-related
 - iii. Felony-violation on Sioux Dr

b. Public comment – (Adam Dalton) – is fentanyl an issue in Denair?

Officer Moore – it is found in surrounding areas (South Turlock) and

sometimes related to the transient/homeless populations (not impacting Denair)

iii. Denair Fire Department - See attached report

B. Stanislaus County Planning Commission – Kristen Anaya Assistant Planner

- i. CEQA Early Consultation Referral for Rezone & Vesting Tentative Subdivision Map Application No. PLN2021-0101 – Hoffman Ranch Subdivision
- https://www.stancounty.com/planning/pl/act-proj/PLN2021-0101_EC.pdf
 - a. Park increase by 6,000 square feet
 - b. Denair Community Services District – ‘can serve’ area; ‘will serve’ area hasn’t yet been received
 - c. Frontage – curb, gutter, sidewalk, then landscape – preferred for street sweeper access, trees are set back further from curb (~ 10 ft)
 - d. Denair MAC agrees to hold vote until Initial Study is available
- ii. Monte Vista and Waring proposed development undergoing a traffic study
- iii. WPD development (near Denair Library) – in planning phase
- iv. Concrete Business (Monte Vista and Santa Fe) – in planning phase

C. Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources –

<https://www.stancounty.com/er/> - **Wallace Low** (Solid Waste Management Division; #209-525-6741)

- i. SB 1383 – New Waste Management Plan for Denair -
<https://www.stanislausrecycles.org/sb-1383>
- ii. Passed and signed by Governor Jerry Brown
- iii. 3 carts – (1) for landfill trash [black or grey]; (1) for recyclables [blue]; and (1) for organic waste [green]
- iv. DER is looking into methods for neighbors to share carts and accounts to reduce/share fees; must give an exemption for a customer not having the state-mandated minimum service
- v. 2020 Census determines how many people live within a square mile based on census tract boundaries (not necessarily a square, can be oddly shaped)
 - a. If fewer than 75 people live within the square mile (according to the 2020 Census boundaries), then they are exempt from new program and only receive trash pickup (no longer receive complimentary recyclable pickup, i.e. former program, and are not eligible for new SB1383 program with three carts)
- vi. [Turlock Scavenger](#) – Jesse and Allen Marchant present to explain the new program
 - a. Started waste management in Denair in 2009
 - b. New bins will have QR codes can be scanned for information on trash separation
 - c. Bins will be delivered in February and pickup will start in March 2022
 - d. General trash = \$26.44 per month; Recycling and organic waste cans = \$25.47
 - e. If exempt areas opt-out of general trash pickup, mandatory to bring trash to transfer station once per week (\$30 charge for drop-off)
 - f. If Turlock Scavenger continued to pickup recycling in exempt areas, they could get fined up to \$10k by the State

D. Board of Supervisors – Vito Chiesa (District 2 Supervisor and Chair;

vito.chiesa@stancounty.com; #209-531-5235)

- i. Will look into the 2022 census tracts for the waste management exemptions
- ii. Received one application for the open MAC member seat
- iii. Amtrak – there will be seven round-trip trains by summer 2022
- iv. Main & Santa Fe – camera license plate reader will be installed within 60 days

- v. Joint Powers Authorities – Stanislaus County creating its own oversight for Emergency Management Services – starting July 1 2022
 - a. Objective to increase response times
 - b. Goal to advocate for better benefits for EMS employees but doesn't have mandate powers
- E. **Chief Executive Office – Erica Inacio** (Community Manager - inacio@stancounty.com)
 - i. Point in Time Count – must sign up by February 4th -
<https://www.stancounty.com/newsfeed/pdf/PIT-Flyer-2.pdf>
- F. **Animal Services** (<http://www.stanislausanimalservices.com/>) – absent
- G. **Local:**
 - i. **Denair Public Library – Not Present**
 - ii. **Denair High School Leadership – Preston Roe**
 - a. Boys Soccer and Softball competing in playoffs
 - b. 8th Grade Orientation (February 6th – 8th)
 - c. Freshman Orientation (February 9th)
 - d. H.S. Winter Formal (February 19th)
 - e. Pancake Breakfast – M.S. (February 20th)
 - iii. **Denair Unified School District – Dr. Terry Metzger**
 - a. Fiscal Services (new hire) – Daisy Swearingen
- VI. **Informational Items**
 - A. Open MAC seat –
 - i. Mary Riner – MAC member since 2009; stepped down in January 2022
 - ii. Sam Paulissian – applied for open seat
 - iii. Vacancy – 10 working days to fill
 - iv. Secretary/Chair – initial review of applicants and then advise Board with feedback
 - B. McCauly and Salluce – new stop sign to be installed (see attached)
 - C. Lions Club –
 - i. Tri-Tip fundraiser (240 meals sold); \$6k went to scholarships for local students
 - ii. March 4th – Crab Feed
- VII. **Correspondence – None**
- VIII. **Action Items - None**
- IX. **MAC Board Comments/Issues/Topics for the next Agenda**
 - A. **Topics for Next Agenda**
 - i. SB 1383 waste management for the County
 - B. **Comments:**
 - i. Billy – it would be helpful to have Turlock Scavenger and Stanislaus County Department of Environmental Resources come back to a future Denair MAC meeting to update the community on the waste management program (SB 1383)
 - ii. Adam – thank you for a great show out
 - iii. Kim – Happy Groundhog's Day
 - iv. Jim – thanks to Erica Inacio for supporting the Denair MAC
- X. **Next Denair MAC meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 1, 2022 at 7:00 PM**
 - A. The meeting will be in-person at the DUSD Leadership Board Room; face coverings are required on school premises (indoors)
- XI. **Adjournment.**
 - A. The meeting was adjourned at 8:52 PM.

Respectfully submitted by James Brugger, Chairperson.

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EMS	25	65.79%	174	51.94%
Fire\CO alarm	1	2.63%	9	2.69%
Gas Leak	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Grass fire	0	0.00%	8	2.39%
Hazmat	0	0.00%	1	0.30%
Illegal burn	0	0.00%	2	0.60%
Injury traffic col	4	10.53%	24	7.16%
Mutual aid	1	2.63%	55	16.42%
Non-Injury TC	0	0.00%	8	2.39%
Other	1	2.63%	2	0.60%
Other fire	0	0.00%	5	1.49%
Public assist	6	15.79%	26	7.76%
Rescue	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Smoke check	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Station standby	0	0.00%	4	1.19%
Structure	0	0.00%	6	1.79%
Trash	0	0.00%	3	0.90%
Vehicle fire	0	0.00%	4	1.19%
Wires down	0	0.00%	4	1.19%
No. of calls	38	100.00%	335	100.00%

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
BOARD ACTION SUMMARY

DEPT: Public Works

BOARD AGENDA: 7.C.5
AGENDA DATE: January 11, 2022

SUBJECT:

Approval of a Resolution Establishing Stop Sign Controls on Anna Avenue at Amaryllis Way in Keyes and McCauly Avenue at Salluce Drive in Denair

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-0019

On motion of Supervisor Grewal Seconded by Supervisor C. Condit
and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: B. Condit, Chiesa, Grewal, C. Condit, and Chairman Withrow


Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

- 1) Approved as recommended
- 2) Denied
- 3) Approved as amended
- 4) Other:

MOTION:

ATTEST: 
ELIZABETH A. KING, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

File No.

**THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
AGENDA ITEM**

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CONSENT:

CEO CONCURRENCE: YES

4/5 Vote Required: No

SUBJECT:

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STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

1. Approve a resolution establishing Stop Sign Traffic Controls on Anna Avenue at Amaryllis Way in Keyes and McCauly Avenue at Salluce Drive in Denair.
2. Authorize the Director of Public Works to take any appropriate action necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of these recommendations.

DISCUSSION:

Public Works staff is recommending the installation of all-way stop controls at two intersections in the County:

1. Anna Avenue at Amaryllis Way
2. McCauly Avenue at Salluce Drive

Anna Avenue at Amaryllis Way

The intersection of Anna Avenue at Amaryllis Way lies within the unincorporated town of Keyes, California. Vehicles on Anna Avenue travel in the east/west directions, while vehicles on Amaryllis Way travel in the north/south directions. There are existing stop controls on Amaryllis Way only and crosswalks present across all legs of the intersection. There also is the neighborhood Bonita Ranch Park located on the southwest corner of the intersection.

Prior to 2016, Anna Avenue began at its intersection with Motsinger Road and proceeded east until 10th Street where it terminated. From 2016 to present, this area saw the completion of the Bonita Ranch Subdivision Units 1 through 6 which added almost 400 additional single-family homes just east of the intersection of Anna Avenue at 10th Street. Anna Avenue was extended further east from that intersection creating a new intersection at Anna Avenue at Amaryllis Way. Numerous constituent inquiries have been made regarding what could be done to make this intersection safer. Reports of increased through traffic and near misses with vehicles and pedestrians were made.

An all-way stop analysis was conducted and it was determined through engineering judgement that all-way stop controls are warranted at the intersection of Anna Avenue at Amaryllis Way to reduce the potential for vehicle collisions involving pedestrians.

There are four crosswalks at this intersection, two being uncontrolled crossing Anna Avenue. There is a potential for increased pedestrian traffic using these crosswalks due to the adjacent Bonita Ranch Park and nearby elementary and middle schools.

Staff is recommending the Board of Supervisors approve the installation of all-way stop controls at the intersection of Anna Avenue at Amaryllis Way. Public Works Road Operations staff will perform all work to install the recommended signs and associated striping.

McCauly Avenue and Salluce Drive

The intersection of McCauly Avenue at Salluce Drive lies within the unincorporated town of Denair, California. Vehicles on Anna Avenue travel in the east/west directions, while vehicles on Amaryllis Way travel in the north/south directions. There are stop controls on Salluce Drive only and crosswalks present across all legs of the intersection. There also is a neighborhood park located on the southwest corner of the intersection.

An all-way stop analysis was conducted and it was determined through engineering judgement that all-way stop controls are warranted at the intersection of McCauly Avenue at Salluce Drive to reduce the potential for vehicle collisions involving pedestrians. There are four crosswalks at this intersection, two being uncontrolled crossing McCauly Avenue. There is a potential for increased pedestrian traffic using these crosswalks due to the adjacent neighborhood park and routes to nearby schools.

Staff is recommending the Board of Supervisors approve the installation of all-way stop controls at the intersection of McCauly Avenue at Salluce Drive. Public Works Road Operations staff will perform all work to install the recommended signs and associated striping.

POLICY ISSUE:

California Vehicle Code Section 21355 grants local authorities to erect stop signs in their respective jurisdiction. This project is a Class 1, categorical exemption under Section 15301(c) of the California Environmental Quality Act.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Each intersection will require six new signs and pavement markings: two stop signs and four all-way plaques. The cost to improve each location is approximately \$1,200 per installation, for an estimated total cost of \$2,400 for two intersections. Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Public Works Road and Bridge budget.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS' PRIORITY:

The recommended actions are consistent with the Boards' priority of *Delivering Efficient Public Services and Community Infrastructure* by ensuring that freight and vehicles travel safely and efficiently.

STAFFING IMPACT:

No additional staffing is required for the no parking zone creation or sign installation.

CONTACT PERSON:

David A. Leamon, Director of Public Works

Telephone: (209) 525-4151

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Resolution

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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2022-0019

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Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None
Abstaining: Supervisor: None

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS ADOPTED:

Item # 7.C.5

**A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE INSTALLATION OF AN ALL-WAY STOP AT THE
INTERSECTIONS OF ANNA AVENUE AT AMARYLLIS WAY AND MCCAULY AVENUE AT
SALLUCE DRIVE**

WHEREAS, California Vehicle Code Section 21351 Local Authority authorizes local jurisdictions to erect and maintain traffic signs, signals and other traffic control devices upon streets and highways; and

WHEREAS, the California Department of Transportation adopted the California Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices 2014 Revision 6 (CAMUTCD) to provide for uniform standards and specifications for all official traffic control devices in California; and

WHEREAS, Anna Avenue, Amaryllis Way, McCauly Avenue, and Salluce Drive are local highways not affecting state highway traffic; and

WHEREAS, Section 2B.07 Multi-Way Stop Applications of the CAMUTCD establishes criteria for the installation of Multi-Way Stop Signs; and

WHEREAS, criteria is based upon the traffic volumes, collision history, need for a traffic signal, and need to control conflicts; and

WHEREAS, Stanislaus County Traffic Engineering staff conducted engineering studies; and

WHEREAS, the findings satisfied the requirements in the CAMUTCD Section 2B.07 for the installation of all-way stop control; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF STANISLAUS COUNTY does hereby confirm the resolution for the placement of the all-way stop signs.

ATTEST: ELIZABETH A. KING, Clerk
Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors,
State of California



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