



SOUTH MODESTO MUNICIPAL ADVISORY COUNCIL

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*Monica Harvey, Vice Chair
Silvia Camarillo, Secretary
Álvaro Ramírez, Member*

**Thursday, September 11, 2025, Meeting Minutes
Stanislaus County Ag Center Building
Harvest Hall (Room G)
3800 Cornucopia Way, Modesto, CA**

1. Call Meeting to Order and Pledge of Allegiance
Meeting was called to order at 6:06pm
2. Recording Secretary establishing Quorum by roll call. Members present are marked with an "X".

X Silvia Camarillo
X Mónica Harvey
X Álvaro Ramírez
3. Approval of Minutes for July 10, 2025.
Motion by Vice Chair, Harvey to approve July 10, 2025 minutes as written, second by member, Ramirez. All in favor.
4. Monthly Reports (Limited to 5 Minutes)
 - a. Stanislaus Sheriff's Department- Not in Attendance
 - b. California Highway Patrol – Not in Attendance
Chief Executive Office (Jennifer) gave stats; 5 minor collisions, 7 hit & runs, 14 arrests, 3 recovered vehicles.
 - c. District 4 – (Supervisor Mani Grewal), Not in Attendance
 - d. District 5 – (Supervisor Channce Condit) – Not in Attendance
 - e. Assemblyman, District 22 Juan Alanis, Representative gave report.
-Working diligently on all Bills being submitted to Governor.
-Two Bills passed, one of which deals with the way the county will be able to count ballots faster.
-Defibrillators to be made available for sports, working on proper verbiage to finalize.
 - f. Stanislaus County Chief Executive Office – Community Relations Manager, Jennifer Hidalgo – Nothing to add, other than the county still hasn't received applications for the Farm Worker committee.
 - g. Mobile Crisis Response Unit – Not in Attendance, Chief Executive Office was asked to remind community of 24/7 Hot line to call 1-888-376-6246.

- h. Public Works Rep, Juan Maldonado; Light post on Pecos and Herndon, spoke with City of Modesto and was told that they are working with the insurance company of person responsible for damage and are waiting for funds to replace post.
Comment: Secretary, Camarillo, asked Chief Executive Office if we could get a contact number to the City of Modesto. It's been over 5 months since the post was removed and that corner is pitch black.

5. Public Comments – Pertaining to Items Not on the Agenda (3 Minute Maximum) - None

6. Information Item(s)

- a. Presentation by the Valley Water Collaborative about their work in the Central Valley.
They offer free well testing to residents and if found that water is not safe to drink, they offer free bottled drinking water. Contact them at 209/750-3867 to make an appointment. They are also looking for a location in South Modesto where to place a Kiosk to offer residents free bottled water. The first one in the area is placed at a Ceres Park on Hatch Road.
Comment: Secretary Camarillo, suggested Fire Station on Bystrum. She would reach out and get a contact name and phone number for them.

7. Action Items- None

8. Correspondence - None

9. Special Order of Business / Updates / Announcement - None

10. Council Comments and Suggestions for Future Agendas –

-Secretary Camarillo requested City of Modesto Parks and Recreation to discuss Mancini Park.

11. Adjournment: 6:43pm, Next Regular Meeting, October 9, 2025.