

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE
DISABILITIES ADVISORY BOARD
NORTH MESA SENIOR CENTER
1112 N MESA
FRIDAY, AUGUST 2, 2013 AT 10:30AM

Voting Members Present: Don Neighbors
Tom Kirby, Chairman
Charles Gray (entered at 10:38)
Michelle Tackett
Deborah Pinching

Voting Members Absent: Jesse Haas

Ex-Officio Members Present: Patsy Jackson-Christopher,
CRC Director

Ex-Officio Members Absent:

Others Present: Olga Ramirez, CRC Exec' Assistant

- 1. ROLL CALL OF VOTING MEMBERS AND DETERMINATION OF QUORUM:** Meeting was called to order at 10:35 by **Tom Kirby**, Chairman. It was determined there was a quorum.
- 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:** **Mr. Neighbors** motions to approve the Agenda, **Ms. Pinching** seconded the motion. The vote was as follows: Yes – Neighbors, Kirby, Tackett, Pinching No-None Absent – Gray, Haas.
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM JUNE 21, 2013:** **Mr. Neighbors** motions to approve the minutes, **Ms. Tackett** seconded the motion. The vote was as follows: Yes – Neighbors, Kirby, Tackett, Pinching No- None Absent – Gray, Haas.

4. DISCUSSION OF CITY ACCESSIBILITY ISSUES:

Mr. Kirby stated that work has begun on Canal Street. **Mr. Kirby** asked if **Ms. Christopher** knew what the jurisdiction was. **Ms. Christopher** stated the highway and the mistakes that were made are from the state. The state is responsible to make the ADA corrections.

Mr. Neighbors stated the young man that worked on the project had never done an urban project before. He took some old guidelines instead of updating the new guidelines.

Mr. Kirby asked what issues they were fixing. **Mr. Neighbors** said one was relocation on a signal light. **Mr. Neighbors** stated from the North Y they have to dig the street up all the way to the old Furr's Cafeteria building.

Mr. Kirby suggested that any concerns sent to 311 should be directed to one of the board members so they can address the concern. **Mr. Kirby** suggested that the board meeting start being posted in the Little Argus. He will start emailing them with the date and time of any meetings.

Mr. Neighbors said he had a complaint regarding accessibility to the beach area in particularly the picnic tables and restrooms. He asked if the bath house at the beach area had been completed. The picnic tables have an elevated slab you have to step up to get to the table and the restrooms by the bandshell are not very accessible.

Mr. Kirby asked if the board would like to make a walk-through of the beach area to see if there are any other concerns that need to be brought up. **Mr. Neighbors** asked if any of the board members could meet by the maintenance buildings next to the golf course by the Picnic Pavilions sometime next week.

Ms. Pinching asked where the Disability Business Complaint Sign was. She asked if they could vote at the next meeting for another business.

Mr. Neighbors requested that Ms. Moore, Manager of Transit, be invited to the next meeting to talk to the board about their services.

5. SET NEXT MEETING – FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2013 @ 10:30 AM. Mr. Kirby motioned to have a special meeting on Thursday, August 8, 2013 at 10:30 at Lake Carlsbad. Mr. Gray seconded. The vote was as follows: Yes – Neighbors, Kirby, Gray, Tackett, Pinching No – None Absent – Haas. Meeting was adjourned at 11:28 a.m.



Chairman



Date