

**VISION SONORA COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF
JUNE 25, 2015**

A regular meeting of the Vision Sonora Committee was scheduled on this date at 9:00 a.m. in the Sonora City Hall Council Chambers.

CALL TO ORDER: The Vision Sonora Committee Meeting was called to order at 9:02 a.m. with the following Committee Members present: Rachelle Kellogg, Tim Miller, Connie Williams and Darin Grossi. Absent were Committee Members John Gray, Sherri Brennan and Bill Canning.

PUBLIC APPEARANCES:

Laurie Lehman requested that the minutes of the Vision Sonora Committee meetings be posted to the website. City staff indicated that they would accommodate the request.

1. MINUTES:

Motion: Approve the amended minutes of May 28, 2015 Vision Sonora Committee Meeting. Amended minutes to read: The Design Committee meets on the 2nd Tuesday at 1:30 p.m. at City Hall.

MOTION: Grossi SECOND: Miller

VOTE: AYES: Grossi, Miller, Kellogg, Canning and Williams
 NOES: None (0)
 ABSTAIN: None (0)
 ABSENT: Gray, Brennan and Canning (3)

11. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- A. Council approved budget items for Vision Sonora

Committee Member Tim Miller informed committee members and the public that the City Council approved funding for downtown benches and trash receptacles, architectural services for the new downtown restroom and \$5,000.00 for marketing Vision Sonora within the 2015/2016 budget.

111. ACTION ITEM:

- A. **Consideration to approve the new Vision Sonora marketing flyer.**

Committee Members reviewed the draft Vision Sonora flier prepared by the Tourism, Marketing and Public Outreach Committee. Recommended changes were provided by

Committee members and the public. The Subcommittee members will make the recommended changes and bring revised flier to the July Vision Sonora Committee meeting for approval.

IV. SUBCOMMITTEES REPORTS:

A. Community Design Committee chaired by Connie Williams

Committee Member Connie Williams informed Committee Members and the public that the Subcommittee discussed landscape and vegetation with the City Arborist, Bill Seldon, at their June meeting.

B. Tourism, Marketing and Public Outreach chaired by Sherri Brennan

Laurie Lehman Subcommittee member stated that the Tourism, Marketing and Public Outreach Committee had discussed the flier design at their June meeting. They also discussed developing a Vision Sonora window display that would be in place for Magic of the Night to be held on Friday, August 7th.

C. Finance Committee chaired by Bill Canning

- Finance Committee has not met.

D. Transportation and Mobility Committee chaired by Darrin Grossi

- Committee Member Darrin Grossi stated that the Transportation and Mobility Committee has not met, however, he informed the Committee Members that he has met with CalTrans regarding funding for some of the Plan's projects and also a pedestrian safety study along Stockton Street. He also stated that the bridge on Stockton Road, near the lower Save Mart store, maybe eligible for funding for replacement through CalTrans.

V. INFORMATION & QUESTIONS

None

Chairperson, Connie Williams, thanked everyone for coming and reminded everyone the next meeting would be on July 23rd at 9:00 a.m. and adjourned the meeting at 9:57 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sheala Wilkinson,
Special Programs Coordinator