MINUTES REGULAR TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS OCTOBER 21, 2010

CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Radoumis called the Traffic Commission meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Present:

Traffic Commissioners Gaitan, Zevallos, and Chairperson

Radoumis.

Excused:

Traffic Commissioner Valenzuela.

Absent:

Traffic Commissioner Gregory Berg.

Also Present: Frederick W. Latham, City Manager; Donald K. Jensen, Director of Public Works; Jose Gomez, Director of Finance & Administrative Services; Tom R. Lopez, Assistant Director of Public Works; Marsha D. Chavez, Support Services Supervisor; Rafael Casillas, Principal Civil Engineer and Public Safety Officer Daryl Pedigo.

3. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE

Chairperson Radoumis announced that this is the time when comments may be made by interested persons on matters not on the agenda having to do with any City traffic-related matter. There being no one who addressed the Commission, Oral Communications were declared closed.

4. REPORT FROM POLICE SERVICES

Public Safety Officer Collins submitted a Traffic Bureau Report showing that there were a total of 46 accidents reported during the month of September 2010, which is a slight increase from September 2009. Additionally, there were six driving under the influence incidents, one bicycle incident and no pedestrian incidents. There were 14 hit and run accidents reported. Moving Citations, Moving Violations and Parking Violations were all down for this month and there was a slight increase in Warning Notices.

5. REPORT FROM THE CITY MANAGER

Mr. Latham addressed the Commission regarding a ballot measure, "Measure S" and asked if anyone had any questions. There being no questions, Mr. Latham thanked the Commission for their time.

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Gaitan moved to approve the minutes of the Regular Traffic Commission meetings of August 19, 2010 and September 16, 2010. Commissioner Zevallos seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

7. COMMUNICATIONS

Commission

There were no comments from Commissioners.

Staff

Mr. Lopez gave an updated on the I-5 Mitigation street improvement projects and the Norwalk/Santa Fe Springs Transportation Center project. Mr. Lopez estimated that the projects would be completed by March 2011 and November 2010, respectively.

Mr. Lopez also invited the Commissioners to attend the next City Council meeting of November 9, 2010 for an informational presentation on the High Speed Rail project.

9. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Traffic Commission, it was motioned by Chairperson Radoumis and seconded by Commissioner Zevallos that the meeting be adjourned in memory of Carlos Martin, the father of Traffic Commissioner Arcelia Valenzuela, the time being 7:27 p.m.

ATTEST:

SUPPORT SERVICES SUPERVISOR