MINUTES REGULAR TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS AUGUST 18, 2011

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Valenzuela called the Traffic Commission meeting to order at 7:04 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Present:

Traffic Commissioners Berg, Gaitan, Radoumis, Zevallos and Chairperson Valenzuela

Also present: Noe Negrete, Assistant Director of Public Works, Crystal Martinez, Administrative Clerk I and Officer Jim Demasi, Whittier Police Department.

3. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE

Chairperson Valenzuela 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.

NEW BUSINESS

4. Traffic Bureau Report – July 2011

Officer Demasi reviewed the Traffic Bureau Report for the month of July. The report reflected that there were 41 accidents reported during the month of July 2011, an decrease from June 2010. There was 1 driving under the influence incident; no bicycle incidents and 1 pedestrian incident. There were 15 hit and run accidents reported. Moving Citations, Moving Violations, and Warning Notices decreased and Parking Violations increased from July 2010 compared to July 2011.

Commissioner Gaitan made a motion to receive and file the report for July 2011; Commissioner Zevallos seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Commissioner Radoumis moved to approve the minutes of the Regular Traffic Commission meeting of July 21, 2011 and Commissioner Berg seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.

7. **COMMUNICATIONS**

Commission

Commissioner Zevallos reported a pothole on Joslin Street and Gard Avenue.

Mr. Negrete noted that this information would be forwarded to the Municipal Services Division for review and resolution.

Staff

Mr. Negrete updated the Commission on the traffic study currently being done on Florence Avenue at Ringwood Avenue. Staff will provide the results upon completion of the report.

Mr. Negrete gave the Commission information regarding the Interstate 5 Freeway expansion with an invitation to attend a tour of the project site on September 19, 2011. Staff will provide further details to the Commission on the proposed tour.

8. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Traffic Commission, it was motioned by Commissioner Gaitan and seconded by Commissioner Zevallos that the meeting be adjourned, the time being 7:40 p.m.

ATTEST:

SUPPORT SERVICES SUPERVISOR