

MINUTES

GARDEN GROVE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

A Regular Meeting of the Traffic Commission of the City of Garden Grove was called to order in the Council Chamber of the Community Meeting Center, 11300 Stanford Avenue, on Tuesday, May 3, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL: PRESENT: (5) Commissioners: Arbgast, Alejandro, Dalton, Feather and Rodriquez

ABSENT: (0)

ALSO PRESENT: Dan Candelaria, Executive Secretary, Mayor William Dalton, Traffic Officer, Jason Perkins, Deputy City Clerk, Teresa Pomeroy, and Recording Secretary Rosemarie Jacot

PLEDGE

Commissioner Feather led The Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor William Dalton gave the oath to new Commissioner Robert Dalton

The Deputy City Clerk, Teresa Pomeroy, swore-in the Commissioners.

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

None

WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

None

MINUTES

File and Receive the minutes from March 1, 2011

It was moved and carried to receive and file the minutes from March 1, 2011.

ACTION:

(5) AYES – Commissioners: Arbgast, Alejandro, Dalton, Feather and Rodriquez

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

4-a. All-Way Stop – Melric Avenue and Yawl Street

The staff report dated May 3, 2011 was introduced to request the installation of an all-way stop at the intersection of Melric Avenue and Yawl Street.

Two residents spoke in favor of the all-way stop citing speeding and accidents as the reason for installing the all-way stop.

Staff clarified that the City's accident data on the report goes through 12/31/2010 but the data in the City's system only goes through 9/31/2009 because there is a lag time from the time they receive the data from the State. So if any accidents occurred between 10/01/2009 and 12/31/2010 it would not yet be recorded in the system.

Staff clarified that none of the required four warrants was met and also reiterated why speed bumps are not used in the City.

It was moved and seconded to accept staff's recommendation and not approve the installation of an all-way stop at the intersection of Melric Avenue and Yawl Street.

ACTION:

(5) AYES – Commissioners: Arbcast, Alejandro, Dalton, Feather and Rodriquez

MATTERS FROM COMMISSIONERS

Commissioner Feather was nominated for Chair, Commissioner Rodriquez for Vice Chair. It was moved and seconded to accept both nominations; the motions carried unanimously.

ACTION:

(5) AYES – Commissioners Arbcast, Alejandro, Dalton, Feather, and Rodriguez

MATTERS FROM STAFF

The dynamic message sign at the corner of Acacia Parkway and Euclid is now complete.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted

Rosemarie Jacot