



CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES
"The Pass of the Oaks"
Senior Citizen Advisory Committee
Regular Meeting Agenda

Monday, September 9, 2024, 1:30 PM

Paso Robles Senior Center

270 Scott Street

Paso Robles, CA 93446

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Pages

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. ROLL CALL

Committeemembers: Ruth Grzybicki, Lisa Pohmajevich, Dan Rodriguez, Mara Whitten, Prudence Zalewski

Council Liaisons: Steve Gregory, Chris Bausch

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

D. PRESENTATIONS

1. Know How to Go: Your Transportation Options

Paige Anderson, Rideshare Program Coordinator

2. Recreation Services Division Report

Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Director

E. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS

This is the time the public may address the Commission on items within the Commission's purview but not scheduled on the agenda. Each individual speaker will be limited to a presentation total of three (3) minutes per item. Those persons wishing to speak on any item scheduled on the agenda will be given an opportunity to do so at the time that item is being considered. State law does not allow the Commission to discuss or take action on issues not on the agenda, except that members of the Commission or staff may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed by persons exercising their public testimony rights (Gov. Code sec. 54954.2).

F. CONSENT CALENDAR

ITEMS ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR ARE CONSIDERED ROUTINE, NOT REQUIRING SEPARATE DISCUSSION. However, if discussion is wanted by a member of the

Committee or public the item may be removed from the Consent Calendar and considered separately. Committeemembers and members of the public may offer comments or ask questions of clarification without removing an item from the Calendar.

1. **Approval of the August 12, 2024 Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes** 3 - 4
Gigi Clark, Administrative Assistant III
2. **City Council Meeting Highlights of August 6, 2024 and August 20, 2024** 5 - 8
Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

G. DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. **Select Liaisons to Participate in the Public Focus Group on California’s 2026-2030 Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP).** 9 - 11
Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager
Recommendation:
Select two liaisons from the Senior Citizen Advisory Committee to participate in the SCORP Public Focus Group.
2. **Establish Subcommittees to Pursue the Senior Citizen Advisory Committee’s FY 2024-2025 Goals.** 12 - 13
Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager
Recommendation:
Establish subcommittees on specific SCAC FY 2024-2025 Goals as decided by the Committee. Select subcommittee members.

H. COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR REPORT

Angelica Fortin, Community Services Director

I. COUNCILMEMBER REPORTS

Councilmember Steve Gregory
Councilmember Chris Bausch

J. COMMITTEEMEMBER COMMENTS

K. UPCOMING EVENTS

1. September 15, 2024 Hispanic Heritage Festival, City Park, 2-9 PM
2. September 17, 2024 Paso Robles City Council Meeting, Council Chambers, 6:30 PM
3. October 1, 2024 The Meeting of the 2026-2030 Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) Public Focus Group, Centennial Park 4 PM
4. October 14, 2024 Regular Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Meeting **CANCELED** due to observance of Indigenous Peoples' Day/Columbus Day
5. October 21, 2024 Special Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Meeting, Senior Center, 1:30 PM

L. ADJOURNMENT



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Paso Robles Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Minutes

August 12, 2024, 1:30 PM
Paso Robles Senior Center
270 Scott Street
Paso Robles, CA 93446

A. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 1:32 PM

B. ROLL CALL

Committeemembers: Ruth Grzybicki (absent), Lisa Pohmajevich, Dan Rodriguez, Mara Whitten (absent), Prudence Zalewski
Council Liaisons: Steve Gregory (absent), Chris Bausch

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

D. PRESENTATIONS

1. Agenda Protocols

Angelica Fortin, Community Services Director

2. Recreation Services Division Report

Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

E. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS

Elaine Ernst, Dale Gustin

F. CONSENT CALENDAR

Motioned by Committeemember Pohmajevich, seconded by Committeemember Zalewski, and passed unanimously to approve items 1-3 of the Consent Calendar.
AYES: Pohmajevich, Zalewski, Rodriguez

1. Approval of the July 8, 2024 Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

2. Senior Endowment Report

3. City Council Meeting Highlights of July 17, 2024

G. DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Establish Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Goals for 2024-2025

Committeemembers reviewed the draft goals for Fiscal Year 2024-2025 and changed the third goal to read, "Support senior health, wellness, recreation and transportation services." Motioned by Committeemember Pohmajevich, seconded by Committeemember Zalewski, and passed unanimously to adopt the draft Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Goals for Fiscal Year 2024-2025 as corrected.

AYES: Pohmajevich, Zalewski, Rodriguez

H. COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR REPORT

Community Services Director Angelica Fortin commented in gratitude to the Library and Recreation Services for very successful summer program focused on building community in Paso Robles.

I. COUNCILMEMBER REPORTS

Councilmember Chris Bausch complimented Community Services for their summer program and addressed the first reading of amendments to the Paso Robles Municipal Code regarding camping on public property and protection of waterways.

J. COMMITTEEMEMBER COMMENTS

K. UPCOMING EVENTS

1. August 20, 2024 Paso Robles City Council Meeting, Council Chambers 6:30 PM
2. September 9, 2024 Regular Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Meeting, Senior Center 1:30 PM

L. ADJOURNMENT

Motioned by Committeemember Zalewski, seconded by Committeemember Pohmajevich, and passed unanimously by voice vote at 2:55 PM to adjourn the meeting to the next regular Senior Citizen Advisory Committee meeting on September 9, 2024.

AYES: Zalewski, Pohmajevich, Rodriguez

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City Council Meeting Highlights from August 6, 2024

Here are the highlights of the actions taken during the Paso Robles City Council meeting on August 6, 2024, excluding the Consent Calendar:

Presentations

1. Capital Projects Report

- Presented by Ditas Esperanza, Capital Projects Engineer and David LaCaro, Public Works Operations Manager. The update included a status report on the Creston Corridor project and recently completed Public Works projects.

2. Airport Update

- Mark Scandalis, Airport Manager, gave a brief update on negotiations with Loyd's Aviation for Fixed Base Operations at the municipal airport.

Discussion Items

1. Construction of a New Single-Family Residence at 1707 Via Lantana

- Approved resolutions to amend the building envelope and to approve the Oak Tree Removal Permit for new construction at 1701 Via Lantana. These actions were necessary to proceed with the development of a new single-

family home, ensuring compliance with local regulations while balancing environmental considerations.

2. Amendments to the Paso Robles Municipal Code Chapter 7.50 Regarding Camping on Public Property and Protection of Waterways

- Introduced the first reading of an ordinance amending the Paso Robles Municipal Code regarding camping on public property and protection of waterways.
- This was in response to the recent US Supreme Court decision in *Johnson v. City of Grants Pass, Oregon* and the subsequent executive order by Governor Newsom encouraging local agencies to take action to remove homeless encampments from public spaces and to prioritize those that most threaten the life, health, and safety of those in and around them.
- The amendment includes changes to Chapter 7.50's definitions and clarifies that camping or maintaining an encampment is prohibited in or on public property, including streets, sidewalks, parks, open space areas, high fire risk areas, and the Salinas River corridor.
- This action assists the City in more comprehensively responding to chronic public health and safety issues within Paso Robles, especially near the river.

3. Approval of a Resolution in Support of Proposition 13

- Approved a resolution in support of Proposition 13 and directed staff to forward a copy of the resolution to the offices of Senator John Laird and Assemblymember Dawn Addis. Proposition 13 is an amendment of the Constitution of California enacted during 1978, by means of the initiative process, to cap property taxes and limit property reassessments to when the property changes ownership, as well as require a 2/3 majority for tax increases in the state legislature.

These are the main highlights from the meeting, the full agenda and supporting documentation can be found at www.prcity.com/meetings.

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City Council Meeting Highlights from August 20, 2024

Here are the highlights and brief descriptions of actions taken during the Paso Robles City Council meeting on August 20, 2024, excluding the Consent Calendar:

Presentations:

1. **Airport Update** - Airport Manager Mark Scandalis provided a brief update on current operations at the Paso Robles Municipal Airport, including the current status of FBO negotiations and the upcoming Airport Commission meeting. [View presentation](#)
2. **Central Coast Community Energy Annual Presentation** - Judith Young, the Senior Customer Accounts Manager from 3CE, delivered the annual report on the community energy program's progress and future plans, including information on the current [rebates available to Paso Robles customers](#). [View presentation](#)
3. **Recognition of K-9 Renzo** - Mayor John R. Hamon, Jr. showed a memorial video to recognize K-9 Renzo for his service to the community. K-9 Renzo was born in the Czech Republic on November 10, 2017 and began his career with the Paso Robles Police Department K-9 Unit with Officer Joe Stanley in 2020. K-9 Renzo passed away unexpectedly from a medical complication on August 1, 2024. [View presentation](#)

Discussion Items:

1. **Potential Modifications to the Downtown Employee Monthly Permit Parking and Short-Term Spaces** - Police Chief Damian Nord led the discussion on possible changes to the [downtown employee parking lot permit system and 30-minute on-](#)

street parking spaces. The Council directed staff to: explore options for and associated costs of increasing enforcement of 30-minute parking and keeping employee-permit only lots in place with parking enforcement; considering free employee permits, and conducting downtown employee outreach to gather ideas and identify issues associated with the employee parking lots. [View presentation and discussion](#)

City Manager Report

- Assistant City Manager Chris Huot played the new recruitment video for the Police Department, which has already garnered interest from potential lateral hires, one from as far away as Minnesota. The video is one tool the City is using to recruit new Police officers. [Watch the video](#)

These summaries cover the main actions, discussions, and presentations at the meeting, the full agenda can be found on our website at www.prcity.com/meetings, and the full meeting can be found on YouTube at: www.prcity.com/youtube

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Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Agenda Report

From: Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager
Subject: Select Liaisons to Participate in the Public Focus Group on California's 2026-2030 Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP).

Date: September 4, 2024

Facts

1. The State of California recently initiated the development of the next Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) for 2026-2030 and intends to hold a series of Public Focus Groups across the state beginning now through the fall 2024.
2. California's 2026-2030 SCORP is a five-year plan for increasing park access, community-based planning, and health partnerships through grants. This plan establishes grant priorities to address unmet needs for public outdoor recreation land throughout California. By adopting SCORP, California maintains eligibility for federal Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) grants.
3. Thirty-seven focus groups involving more than 500 public participants, park and recreation providers, university professors, and health sector professionals participated in the development of the initial SCORP.
4. The Community Services Department (CSD) will be hosting one of the 60-90-minute Public Focus Groups on Tuesday, October 1, 2024 at Centennial Park.
5. CSD would like two liaisons from each advisory body - Youth Commission, Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee, and Senior Citizen Advisory Committee - to participate in the Public Focus Group it is hosting. These liaisons will be asked to share their thoughts about parks and recreational programs in our community.

Options

1. Take no action;
2. Select two liaisons from the Senior Citizen Advisory Committee to participate in the SCORP Public Focus Group;
3. Provide alternative direction to staff.

Analysis and Conclusions

The City of Paso Robles has been very proactive in trying to meet the current and anticipated parks and recreation needs of its community. It has developed a well-conceived and comprehensive five-year plan, the Recreation Services Strategic Plan of 2022-2026. Paso Robles is well prepared to contribute to this statewide effort and would gain from understanding how the SCORP is development and its future grant funding priorities. Our advisory board members are well prepared to contribute to the discussion, to represent the park and recreation goals of the City of Paso Robles.

Fiscal Impact

There is no fiscal impact to designating two liaisons to participate in the Public Focus Group.

Recommendation

Select two liaisons from the Senior Citizen Advisory Committee to participate in the SCORP Public Focus Group.

Attachments

None



California Department of Parks and Recreation
Office of Grants and Local Services (OGALS)
Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP)

Your Voice Can Help Shape Future Parks!

Please join us for a focus group and share your thoughts about parks and recreational programs in your community.

1. Has a park and recreation program changed your life? How?
2. We understand there may be health and safety challenges within your community. What types of park projects or programs do you think can help, and why?
3. Has your view of your local park and recreation provider changed since the pandemic?
4. Is there anything else you want to tell State leaders about parks and recreation in your community?

Event:	SCORP Public Focus Group
When:	Tuesday, October 1
Time:	4:00 pm to 5:30 pm
Place:	Centennial Park, Live Oak Room 600 Nickerson Dr, Paso Robles, CA 93446

Copyright (consent) Agreement forms will be handed out for those who give CA State Parks permission to use your photo from the focus group in the SCORP.

Your opinions can reach a statewide audience, health agencies, the Governor's Office, and the National Park Service. A summary of the collective statewide focus groups notes will be included in the 2026-2030 SCORP.



Email contact: SCORP@parks.ca.gov Learn more: <https://www.parksforcalifornia.org/scorp/2021>



Departamento de Parques y Recreación de
California

Oficina de Subvenciones y Servicios Locales
(OGALS)

Plan de Recreación al Aire Libre a-Estatal (SCORP)

¡Tu Voz Puede Ayudar a Dar Forma a los Parques del Futuro!

Únase con nosotros para un grupo de enfoque y comparte sus pensamientos sobre los parques y programas recreativos en su comunidad.

1. ¿Ha cambiado su vida algún programa de parques y recreación? ¿Cómo?
2. Entendemos que puede haber desafíos de salud y seguridad en su comunidad. ¿Qué tipos de proyectos o programas de parques cree que pueden ayudar y por qué?
3. ¿Ha cambiado su percepción de sus parques y programas de recreación locales desde la pandemia?
4. ¿Hay algo más que quiera decirles a los líderes estatales sobre los parques y la recreación en su comunidad?

Evento:	Grupo de Enfoque Público de SCORP
Cuándo:	Martes, 1 de octubre
Hora:	4:00 pm a 5:30 pm
Lugar:	La Sala Live Oak en Centennial Park 600 Nickerson Drive, Paso Robles, CA 93446

Sus opiniones importan y pueden llegar a una audiencia estatal, agencias de salud, la Oficina del Gobernador y el Servicio de Parques Nacionales. Un resumen de las notas colectivas de los grupos de enfoque a nivel estatal se incluirá en el SCORP 2026-2030.



Contacto por correo electrónico: SCORP@parks.ca.gov **Más información:** <https://www.parksforcalifornia.org/scorp/2021>

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Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Agenda Report

From: Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

Subject: Establish subcommittees to pursue the Senior Citizen Advisory Committee's FY 2024-2025 Goals.

Date: September 9, 2024

Facts

1. The Senior Citizen Advisory Committee (SCAC) bylaws allow for the establishment of subcommittees.
2. The Committee is interested in establishing subcommittees to pursue its FY 2024-2025 Goals. At the last advisory board meeting, Committeemembers were interested in initiating efforts to advocate for technology and training programs for seniors. The Committee may also be interested in organizing to pursue other goals at this time.

Options

1. Take no action;
2. Establish subcommittees on specific SCAC FY 2024-2025 Goals;
3. Provide alternative direction to staff.

Analysis and Conclusions

Establishing subcommittees focused on specific committee goals is an effective way to pursue the goals and to develop and implement goal specific action plans. Subcommittee meetings can be called on short notice and city staff is available to support and assist these efforts. The subcommittees are able to bring their plans forward to the whole committee for further direction and approval.

Fiscal Impact

There is no fiscal impact related to establishing subcommittees.

Recommendation

1. Establish subcommittees on specific SCAC FY 2024-2025 Goals as decided by the Committee. Select subcommittee members.

Attachments

1. Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Goals for FY 2024-2025

Attachment 1



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Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Goals for Fiscal Year 2024-2025

1. Advocate for technology and training programs for seniors
2. Participate in workshops, events, and meetings that support services for seniors
3. Support senior health, wellness, recreation, and transportation services
4. Collaborate with City Staff to update the North County Senior Resource Guide
5. Promote volunteer opportunities for seniors

Approved by the Senior Citizen Advisory Committee on August 12, 2024.