



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

Monday, February 10, 2025, 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: Karen Murray, Lisa Pohmajevich, Dan Rodriguez, Mara Whitten, Prudence Zalewski

Council Liaisons: Steve Gregory, Chris Bausch

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

D. PRESENTATIONS

1. Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Projects relating to Seniors in our Community

Leslie Frazier, City Engineer

2. Recreation Services Division Report

Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

3. Technology Working Group Report

Committeemembers: Prudence Zalewski and Lisa Pohmajevich

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.

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| 4. Paso Robles Senior Center Report for February 2025 | 8 - 9 |
| Elaine Ernst and Micki Wright, Senior Volunteer Services Coordinators | |
| 5. Paso Robles Recreation Services Volunteer Opportunities Report for February 2025 | 10 - 10 |
| Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager | |

G. COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR REPORT

Angelica Fortin, Community Services Director

H. COUNCILMEMBER REPORTS

Councilmember Steve Gregory

Councilmember Chris Bausch

I. COMMITTEEMEMBER COMMENTS

J. UPCOMING EVENTS

February 18, 2025 Paso Robles City Council Meeting, Council Chambers, 6:00 PM

March 4, 2025 Paso Robles City Council Meeting, Council Chambers, 6:00 PM

K. ADJOURNMENT



CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES

"The Pass of the Oaks"

Paso Robles Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Minutes

January 13, 2025, 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 1:31 PM.

B. ROLL CALL

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

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

D. PRESENTATIONS

1. Recreation Services Division Report

Lynda Plescia, Recreation Services Manager

2. North San Luis Obispo County Senior Resource Guide Working Group Report

Committeemembers: Dan Rodriguez and Karen Murray

3. Technology Working Group Report

Committeemembers: Prudence Zalewski and Lisa Pohmajevich

E. GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENTS

Elaine Ernst
Micki Wright

F. CONSENT CALENDAR

Motioned by Committeemember Whitten, seconded by Committeemember Zalewski, and passed unanimously to approve items 1-5 of the Consent Calendar. **AYES:** Whitten, Zalewski, Murray, Pohmajevich

1. Approval of the December 9, 2024 Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Regular Meeting
2. City Council Meeting Highlights of December 17, 2024
3. Senior Endowment Report for December 2024
4. Paso Robles Senior Center Report for January 2025
5. Paso Robles Recreation Services Volunteer Opportunities Report for January 2025

G. COMMUNITY SERVICES DIRECTOR REPORT

Community Services Director Angelica Fortin reported the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee would be considering the recommendation to rename the new Turtle Creek Park in the Olsen Chandler Ranch Specific Plan to Creekside Park at their meeting today at 4:00 PM.

H. COUNCILMEMBER REPORTS

Councilmember Steve Gregory reported on City Council elections, the changing of City Council's meeting time from 6:30 PM to 6:00 PM, the ongoing review of the employee parking lots, and the success of the New Year's Eve Bonfire event.

I. COMMITTEEMEMBER COMMENTS

Committeemember Whitten thanked City Council for all that it does. Committeemember Pohmajevich complimented the City for its good communication with its residents through its website.

J. UPCOMING EVENTS

January 15, 2025 Paso Robles City Council Meeting, Council Chambers, 6:00 PM
 January 16, 2025 Library and Recreation Services will be closed for staff development
 January 20, 2025 Martin Luther King Jr. Community March from Robbins Field at Noon and Celebration in City Park at 1:00 PM

K. ADJOURNMENT

Motioned by Committeemember Whitten, seconded by Committeemember Murray, and passed unanimously by voice vote at 2:15 PM to adjourn the meeting to the regular Senior Citizen Advisory Committee meeting on February 10, 2025. **AYES:** Whitten, Murray, Pohmajevich, Zalewski

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January 15, 2025 City Council Highlights

Here are the highlights and actions from the Paso Robles City Council meeting agenda for January 15, 2025, [excluding the Consent Calendar](#):

Presentations

1. Proclamations

- **Big Brothers Big Sisters Proclamation:** Recognized the organization's 30 years of service and contributions to the community, coinciding with National Mentoring Month. [View the proclamation](#)
- **Doug Harris Retirement:** Honored Fire Engineer Harris for 31 years of exemplary service in public safety. [View the proclamation](#)
- **John Prickett Retirement:** Celebrated Fire Captain/Paramedic Prickett's 35 years of dedicated service to Paso Robles. [View the proclamation](#)

Public Hearings

1. Special Tax Revision - Olsen/South Chandler Ranch Community Facilities District

- A public hearing was held to revise the tax apportionment method for Improvement Area No. 2.
- Actions included conducting a special election, approving the results, and introducing an ordinance to authorize tax levy adjustments. [View presentation and discussion](#)

2. Proposition 218 Process - Solid Waste Collection Rates

- Concluded the Prop. 218 process for updating solid waste rates under the Paso Robles Waste and Recycle franchise agreement.
- The council approved the updated rates and authorized relevant documentation.

- The new rates will go into effect on February 1, 2025 and are applicable to all residential and commercial customers within the City of Paso Robles.
[View presentation and discussion](#)

Discussion Items

1. 2025 Fourth of July Fireworks Celebration

- Staff provided an update on the costs associated with the annual 4th of July celebration at Barney Shwartz Park. Costs are rising, while sponsorship dollars are declining. Because demand is high and supply is limited, fireworks must be reserved as soon as possible.
- The council directed staff to move forward with obtaining fireworks for the 2025 show and also asked staff to identify cost saving measures and bring options back for further discussion.
[View presentation and discussion](#)

2. Animal Control Ordinance Updates

- Introduced updates to the municipal code addressing animal control regulations as part of a countywide effort to create consistent regulations among the various jurisdictions.
[View presentation and discussion](#)

3. Sale of 417 Cool Valley Drive Property

- Announced intent to sell city-owned property at 417 Cool Valley Drive, exempt from the Surplus Land Act.
- Set a hearing date March 4, 2025 to declare the parcel as exempt from the Surplus Land Act in order to start the process of selling the parcel to an interested party and to hear any public protest.
[View presentation and discussion](#)

4. Support for SLOCOG Transportation-Specific Tax Measure Legislation

- Authorized the mayor to sign a letter in support of legislative efforts allowing a San Luis Obispo Council of Governments voter-approved transportation measure exempt from the two percent local sales tax limit.
[View presentation and discussion](#)

5. City Council Meeting Video Production Upgrades

- Approved adding video production equipment to the City Council chamber to allow for video coverage of Council meetings and workshops; allocated \$225,000 in Public, Educational, and Government (PEG) funds.
[View presentation and discussion](#)

SENIOR ENDOWMENT REPORT
FY 2024-25
QUARTER 2 THRU JANUARY

Account #	Account Title	Beginning Balance	YTD Actuals Q1 (Jul-Sept)	YTD Actuals Q2 (Oct-Dec)	January	February	March	YTD Actuals Q3 (Jan-Mar)	YTD Actuals Q4 (Apr-Jun)	TOTAL YTD
401-10010	Fund Cash	66,532.54								
401-20010	Accounts Payables (Previous FY)	(1,080.00)								
401-13020	Int Receivables (Previous FY)	415.01								
401-10010	Cash Resources		(415.01)	-				-	-	(415.01)
401-10010	Cash Disbursements		(3,630.00)	(3,770.00)	(1,305.00)			(1,305.00)	-	(8,705.00)
	Fund Cash	65,867.55	(4,045.01)	(3,770.00)	(1,305.00)	-	-	(1,305.00)	-	(9,120.01)
Revenue:										
401-45010	Interest Earnings***		(415.01)	-				-	-	(415.01)
401-48020	Miscellaneous		-	-				-	-	-
4011661-48010	Donations		-	-				-	-	-
	Total Revenues		(415.01)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(415.01)
Expense:										
4011661-52240	Professional Services		(2,160.00)	(4,320.00)	(1,080.00)			(1,080.00)	-	(7,560.00)
4011661-52350	Scholarships		(390.00)	(530.00)	(225.00)			(225.00)	-	(1,145.00)
	Total Expenses		(2,550.00)	(4,850.00)	(1,305.00)	-	-	(1,305.00)	-	(8,705.00)

*** Interest is posted quarterly

Ending Balance Q3 (Thru JAN)
56,747.54

The total attendance for the month of January was 2,123. In addition, we assisted more than 100 individuals with AARP tax information

Highlights from the past month include the following:

- Cuesta Emeritus Classes returned on January 21st. We had a late start for two of the classes: Introduction to iPads, February 4th and Painting with Donna, February 10th.
- We had a party for our receptionists on January 24th to celebrate our first-rate volunteers. We couldn't run the PRSC without them.



- The tax season is in full swing. We are helping people get appointments and forms. It is great to partner with Mike Cussen and AARP Tax Aid Program

Upcoming Events:



- The Magic Yarn Project is returning on Tuesday, February 11, 2025. Participants work together to create soft yarn Disney-inspired wigs for children who suffer from sensitive scalps due to cancer treatments and other conditions.
- Kristin Allen, is returning with a workshop on Healthy Living for the Brain and Body on February 27th, this workshop is sponsored by Alzheimer's Assoc.
- Be sure to check our calendar and the newsletter for more information, events, and resources.
- February is our Membership Drive, if not already, **please become a member**, \$20/ year. Membership form on the back.
- A Community Grant seeking funding for additional IPADS has been written and submitted to John Peschong, County Supervisor.



**Paso Robles Senior Center
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION
Effective January 1, 2025**

New Membership

Membership Renewal

Type of Membership:

Individual \$20.00 per year

Friend Individual - \$50.00 per year

Household \$30.00* per year

Sponsor - \$100.00 per year

*2+ members same address

Lifetime – Individual - \$200.00

Lifetime – Household - \$300.00

Additional Donation: Your Support allows us to continue to offer a variety of events and activities at low or no cost to our community.

\$10 \$20 \$50 \$100 Other Amount \$ _____

Member Information:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Household Membership Only –Spouse/Family Member’s Name: _____

Address or P.O. Box: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

Would you like to receive your newsletter via email: Yes: No:

If **YES**, email address: _____

Emergency Contact Name and Phone: _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: SENIOR VOLUNTEER SERVICES or SVS

For Office Use Only

Amount Received: \$ _____ Cash or _____ Check payable to SVS Check Number: _____

Received By: _____ Today’s Date: _____

Membership Expiration Date: _____

Computer Entry: _____ Manager Reviewed _____ Money Deposited: _____

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PASO ROBLES RECREATION SERVICES



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

TEEN CENTER and OPEN GYM

The Teen Center and Open Gym programs at Centennial Park are going strong! We're always recruiting volunteers to work weekly shifts, or as-needed to fit your schedule. Volunteers assist with setup, facilitating games, socializing with the teens, and clean-up. It's a fun, high energy environment.

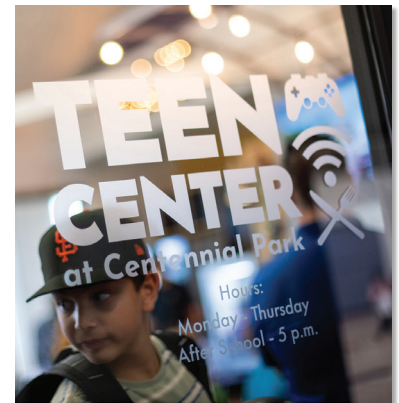
Hours:

Monday • 1:30pm (Open Gym), 2pm (Teen Center) - 5pm

Tuesday-Thursday • 2:30pm (Open Gym), 3pm (Teen Center) - 5pm

Volunteer shift times TBD

Contact: Wyatt Lund, 805-635-1200



EARTH SHINE CLEANUP DAYS

Earth Shine is a Paso Robles based non-profit dedicated to the continued beautification of our community, as well as cities throughout SLO County. In addition to coordinating Paso Robles' Adopt-a-Street program, Earth Shine organizes a Salinas River cleanup day on the third Saturday of each month at the River Walk in Paso Robles.

Saturday, February 15, 2025 • 10am-12pm. The group meets behind Wendy's (141 Niblick Rd.) Earth Shine's full list of dates is available at earthshineorg.com

Contact: Mike Campa, 805-591-4691

