

Byron Municipal Advisory Council



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2015 Annual Report to the Board of Supervisors

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Activities and Accomplishments

The primary goal of the Byron MAC in 2015 was to continue to be the connection between the residents of Byron with the County.

During the 2015 Byron MAC meetings the following presentations were made to the community.

- Public Works staff regarding traffic items
- Public Works staff regarding the Camino Diablo/Byron Highway intersection project.
- CCTA consultant regarding Tri-link 239 Airport Connector
- CHP regarding speed related traffic concerns
- Chief Henderson regarding ECCFPD failed benefit assessment and funding questions
- CC Regional Integrated Water Management regarding grant funding for water related projects

During 2015 the Byron MAC activities and efforts included:

- A successful Community Clean-Up Day held on August 22, 2015. The Brentwood Disposal company brought multiple dumpsters and the event was free of charge to Byron residents. It was a wonderful opportunity for a community clean up and the Byron MAC members and community volunteers, lead by Council member Lopez, assisted several elderly property owners clean up their residences.
- Byron MAC continued to send a representative to the monthly Code Enforcement meetings held at the Supervisor's office to discuss and set code enforcement priorities for the Byron community. Significant

- improvement in enforcement and compliance was completed throughout the year.
- The Byron MAC discussed concerns with the Public Works Department regarding the Camino Diablo and J-4 intersection and submitted comments regarding future projects in this area.

Members in 2015

- Chair Linnea Juarez
- Vice Chair Steve Larsen
- Council member Dennis Lopez
- Council member Mike Nisen
- Councilmember Father Ron Schmit

Attendance in 2015

January- Councilmember Lopez absent
February- All present
March- Councilmember Schmit absent
April- Chair Juarez and Councilmember Lopez
May- Meeting cancelled
June- Councilmember Schmit and Councilmember Nisen absent
July- Chair Juarez and Councilmember Lopez absent
August- Vice Chair Larsen absent
September- Councilmember Nisen absent
October- All present
November- All present
December- No meeting – combined with November meeting

Work Plan and Objectives for 2016

The Byron MAC's priorities for 2016 will continue to be to provide the Byron community with the opportunity to communicate with the various County Departments.

We will work to schedule pertinent and informative speaker presentations at the monthly meetings.

We will continue to work on:

- 1.) Heart Safe Community Designation
- 2.) Code Enforcement Priorities
 - a) Illegal Dumping
- 3.) Continued efforts regarding speed and truck traffic on Camino Diablo/Holway
- 4.) Measure WW Funds
- 5.) Promote Community Identity
- 6.) Annual Clean-Up Day
- 7.) EOP(Emergency Operating Plan)

Byron MAC
2015 Annual Report and 2016 Work Plan

- a) Recognize potential hazards to the community
- b) Does Byron have a Disaster Relief Center? Has the Red Cross contracted with the school district for use of the school grounds? ST. Anne's? Other?
- c) Have we considered creating caches of medical supplies and Red Cross shelter supplies?

The Byron MAC is scheduled to meet on the 4th Tuesday of the month at 6:00p.m. at Byron Unified School District Board Room.