



# TOWN OF LOOMIS

ACTION MINUTES  
REGULAR MEETING OF  
LOOMIS TOWN COUNCIL  
LOOMIS DEPOT

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TUESDAY

August 8, 2023

7:00 P.M.

**CALL TO ORDER: 7:00 PM By Mayor Cartwright**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

<b>ROLL CALL</b>	Mayor Danny Cartwright	PRESENT
	Mayor pro tempore Stephanie Youngblood	PRESENT
	Councilmember Amanda Cortez	PRESENT
	Councilmember Jenny Knisley	PRESENT
	Councilmember David Ring	ABSENT

#### **ADOPTION OF AGENDA:**

Motion to adopt agenda Councilmember Knisley, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Councilmember Cortez

Ayes: Knisley, Cortez, Youngblood, Cartwright

Noes: None

Absent: Ring

Abstain: None

**RECOGNITIONS/PROCLAMATIONS:** None

#### **MATTERS OF INTEREST TO COUNCILMEMBERS**

Councilmember Knisley spoke on the National Night Out Event hosted by the Town. She also asked that the Strategic Plan be evaluated for current relevance and potential updates.

Councilmember Youngblood spoke on the progress of the Public Safety Committee

#### **TOWN MANAGER REPORT**

Town Manager Wes Heathcock highlighted the following from the posted Town Manager Report

- Progress on the Finance Department restructure.
- The PCWA Eastside Canal alternatives presented by the PCWA Board
- Collaboration efforts on mitigating the downtown / Taylor Road Traffic in and around our schools.

#### **LOOMIS LIBRARY AND COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTER LIBRARIAN'S REPORT**

Library Director Sarah Comstock spoke on the success of the summer reading program and the plans for fall events at the Loomis Library and Community Center. To view the current events calendar for the Loomis

Library click on the following link

<https://loomislibrary.org/>

## LOOMIS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE UPDATE

Loomis Chamber of Commerce President Ashley Summers spoke on the updated plans for the Eggplant Festival, the upcoming Chamber Mixer and the Chamber Coffee Connection. To view the Chamber Calendar, click on the following link: <https://www.loomischamber.com/#>

## PARTNER AGENCIES UPDATE

PCSO Lieutenant Tindall and Deputy Bilodeau gave an update on PSCO activities and Statistics in the Town of Loomis

## PUBLIC COMMENT FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA:

Alicia Watkins: Spoke in favor of the landing Spot and voiced displeasure on the Meme posted by Loomis Council member Cortez

Pam Blake – Town of Loomis resident: Spoke in favor of the Landing Spot and the services they provide

Rebecca Golling- Tudsbury Lane: Voiced displeasure on the Meme posted by Loomis Council member Cortez

Rachel Halverson – Magnolia Lane: Spoke in favor of the Landing Spot, and stated the need of the Councilmembers and the Town as a whole to be kind and inclusive and requested an apology for the post.

Carrie Fanthom – Rimrock Circle: Voiced displeasure on the Meme posted by Loomis Council member Cortez,

Dave Dalli- Delmar Road: Spoke out against the Landing Spot and the services they provide. He voiced his opinion that people have a right to say or post things that others may not like.

Matthew Oliver – Rocklin resident: Thanked the Council for their leadership. He also stated his opinion that he honors one flag – the American flag.

Bonnie London – Shady Canyon: Spoke on the need to promote a unified community.

She also spoke on the Placer County Rezone Project Town Hall meeting on August 9, 2023

Charlie Simons: Spoke out against the Landing Spot and the services they provide, and voiced his opinion and reason for his stand on this.

Nicolle-: Stated she is a frequent visitor to the Town of Loomis, and stated her appreciation for the council.

Tim Onderko – Loomis Resident; Stated his opinion that people have a right to state their beliefs and also voiced his concern about the Landing Spot and the services they provide.

Alice: Spoke in favor of the landing Spot and voiced displeasure on the Meme posted by Loomis Council member Cortez.

## OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT ON CONSENT CALENDAR:

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** None

### CONSENT AGENDA

1. Council Action Minutes – 7/11/2023
2. Disbursement Report A. June 2023  
B. July 2023
3. Statement of Activity A. April 2023  
B. May 2023  
C. June 2023
4. Treasurer’s Report – June 2023
5. Planning Status Report
6. General Plan Status Update
7. Engineering Status Update
8. A Resolution of the Town Council of the Town of Loomis  
Authorizing the Town Manager to enter into a three-year agreement

### RECOMMENDED ACTION

APPROVE  
RECEIVE AND FILE  
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APPROVE RESOLUTION

With the Placer County Sheriff-Coroner-Marshal's Office beginning Fiscal year 2023/24.

9. Finance Director Updated Job Description *APPROVE*
10. A Resolution of the Town Council of the Town of Loomis *APPROVE RESOLUTION*  
Authorizing staff to Advertise the 2023 Asphalt Rubber Cape Seal Project for Bids, Appropriation of Funds, Approval of a Construction Budget, and Authorization to Enter into a Contract with the Lowest Responsible Bidder

Motion to approve the Consent Agenda: Councilmember Cortez 2<sup>nd</sup>: Councilmember Youngblood

Ayes: Cortez, Youngblood, Knisley, Cartwright

Noes: None

Absent: Ring

Abstain: None

## **BUSINESS**

### **11. PRESENTATION ON THE LOOMIS WELCOME SIGN BY KEN TEICHMANN OF SOLACE GRAPHICS**

The Welcome Sign Project was started back in 2016 when the Town hired Coastland Civil Engineering to design a sign structure that could be placed on the northeast corner of Sierra College Boulevard and Taylor Road (Attachment B), within the Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) right of way.

Concurrent with finalizing the sign structure portion of the project, the Chamber of Commerce and Town staff met as part of an Economic Development Committee with Ken Teichmann of Solace Graphics to discuss design options for graphics, lettering, and lighting that would make up the interior portion of the sign. The final recommendation from this committee is included with this report and will be presented as a power point during the meeting (Attachment C).

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Staff recommends that the Town Council receive a presentation by Ken Teichmann of Solace Graphics on the Town of Loomis Welcome Sign Project and adopt a resolution appropriating \$55,000 to fund the project, from the General Fund Capital Reserves (Fund 110).

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Jean Wilson – Barton Road

Alicia Watkins – Main St

Linda Kelly- Barker Rd

Pam Blake – Arcadia Ave.

Sonja Cupler - Tudor Way

Miguel Ucovich – Craig Court

Motion to approve recommended action: Councilmember Cortez 2<sup>nd</sup>: Councilmember Youngblood

Ayes: Knisley, Youngblood, Cortez, Cartwright

Noes: None

Absent: Ring

Abstain: None

## **COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Councilmember Knisley – reported on the Zoom SACOG meeting she attended, and the Marysville infill project

that was discussed.

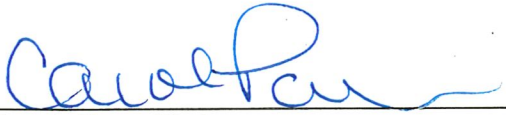
Youngblood – Reported on the SPMUD Strategic Plan and the 2 by 2 SPMUD is scheduling to discuss the plans with the local jurisdictions.

To view the video recording of this meeting please click on the following link:

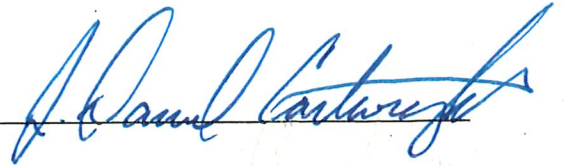
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p9fQo1UZzBI&t=2115s>

**ADJOURNMENT 08:28 PM**

*Signed, September 12, 2023, at Loomis, California*



Deputy Town Clerk



Mayor