MINUTES - REGULAR MEETING – VIRTUAL MEETING – SEPTEMBER 22, 2022 – 1:30 P.M.

IVECA BOARD OF DIRECTORS
Economic Development Department
1249 W. Main Street
El Centro, CA 92243

Governor’s Executive Order N-25-20 (March 17, 2020) allows the Board Members and the public to participate in the meeting via teleconference.

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Economic Development Department - 1249 W. Main Street, El Centro, California.

All supporting documentation is available for public review in the Imperial Valley Emergency Communications Authority “IVECA” office located at 2514 La Brujerie Road, Imperial, CA, 92251, during regular business hours, Monday through Friday, excluding holidays, 7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in this public meeting, you should contact the office of IVECA at (442) 265-6029. Notification at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable IVECA to make reasonable accommodations, modifications, or arrangements to assure accessibility to this public meeting.
AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER:
1. Verify the quorum of Board Members. Quorum achieved.
2. Verification of posting of Agenda. Agenda posted on 09/15/2022.

II. PUBLIC COMMENTS: This is a public meeting. The IVECA Board welcomes your input and you may address the Board on items that are within the jurisdiction of IVECA but are not on the agenda. Members of the public may comment on items that are on the agenda when that item is being addressed by the Board. Please state your name and address for the record. Speaking time is limited to three (3) minutes. The Board is prohibited from discussing or taking any action on any item not appearing on the agenda.

III. CONSENT AGENDA: Consent agenda items are approved by one motion. IVECA Board or members of the public may pull consent items to be considered at a time determined by the President.

- Approval of IVECA’s Minutes: Regular Meetings.
- Approval of IVECA’s Monthly Financial Reports.

Recommendation: Approval of the Consent Agenda.

Final Action: Motion to approve the Consent Agenda made by Chief York, seconded by Sheriff Loera. Motion approved unanimously.

IV. NEW BUSINESS:

1. Discussion/Action: The Board will consider ratifying the emergency purchase and installation of one each, west, wall-mount HVAC package unit from Vic’s Air Conditioning and Electrical for the Brundt’s Corner IVECA communication shelter.

Recommendation: Ratify the emergency purchase.

Final Action: Motion to ratify the emergency purchase made by Mr. Campos, seconded by Chief York. Motion approved unanimously.

2. Discussion/Action: Request by Mr. Dan Weiss, Deputy Regional Administrator, Southern Response Operations, Cal OES, for access to the IVECA mutual aid fleetmap for 16 radios.

Recommendation: Approve the mutual aid access request for 16 radios.

Final Action: Motion to approve the mutual aid access request for 16 radios made by Sheriff Loera, seconded by Ms. Ramirez. Motion approved unanimously.

V. REPORTS:
1. Other: Reports from officers and committees.
   - Mr. Campos: Closure of roads in El Centro; 8th street and La Brucherie along with Euclid Avenue. Should take about 2-3 weeks to restore.
   - Discussion regarding VHF; need additional financial information from Chief Flores, ICFD.

VI. INFORMATION:
1. IVECA Updates.
   a. Legal Counsel, Attorney Smerdon. No report.
   b. Emergency Communications Project Coordinator – Mr. Mark Schmidt. Harris radio training suggested for the week of October 17, 2022 in coordination with Chief Ceseña, ECFD.

2. Round Table.
   - Chief York: Discussion of the 800 MHz Motorola cache radios. They are still viable, but at some point will need to be replaced. Radios are not encryption capable. Brief discussion and review of radio inventory – 62 total. Consider identifying funding for replacement. Evaluate if IVECA will maintain 800 MHz or VHF cache radios.

VII. ADJOURNMENT:
Meeting adjourned at 1:54 p.m.

The next regular meeting date is October 27, 2022.