

CITY OF SAN CLEMENTE

City Council Minutes

Adjourned Regular Meeting - March 19, 1991

A Joint Meeting of the City Councils of the Cities of San Clemente and Dana Point, conducted at Farrantelli's Restaurant, 25001 Dana Point Harbor Drive, Dana Point, was called to order by Mayor Diehl at 7:10 p.m.

PRESENT (SAN CLEMENTE CITY COUNCIL)

ANDERSON
BENEDICT
HAGGARD
MAYOR DIEHL

ABSENT (SAN CLEMENTE CITY COUNCIL)

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SAN CLEMENTE STAFF PRESENT

Michael Parness, City Manager; Jeff Oderman, City Attorney; Myrna Erway, City Clerk; Al Ehlow, Police Chief; Michael Sorg, Interim Assistant City Manager; Jim Holloway, Director of Community Development; and Alicia Powers, Police Captain.

PRESENT (DANA POINT CITY COUNCIL)

CURRERI
EGGERS
LLOREDA
MAYOR BAMATTRE

ABSENT (DANA POINT CITY COUNCIL)

KRAUSE

DANA POINT STAFF PRESENT

William Talley, City Manager; Mary Carlson, City Clerk; Jerry Patterson, City Attorney; Dennis Jue, City Engineer; Gary Dysart, Deputy City Engineer; Dan Martini, Chief of Police Services; and John Donlevy, Assistant to the City Manager.

OTHERS PRESENT

Dennis Erdman, Tri-Cities Water District

1. Introduction

Mayor Diehl and Mayor Bamattre introduced the Council Members and staff from their respective cities.

2. Gangs/Drugs

Alicia Powers, Police Captain with the City of San Clemente, explained that San Clemente has contracted with Community Services Programs to develop a gang education and counseling program to augment the City's enforcement and intervention efforts; relayed hope that the Cities of Dana Point and San Juan Capistrano may still join with San Clemente in its prevention-oriented approach to addressing the gang problem; relayed that San Clemente is investigating the feasibility of a regional gang enforcement program that would be funded through grants; noted that representatives from the Capistrano Unified School District, District Attorney's Office, Sheriff's Department, and the City of San Clemente will conduct a networking session on April 16, 1991 relating to suppression of gang activity; clarified that the County program is enforcement oriented, while the CSP program is primarily geared toward prevention.

John Donlevy, Assistant to the City Manager with the City of Dana Point, reviewed Dana Point's approach to discouraging substance abuse; reported on the efforts of the Drug Consortium and the availability of grants.

3. **Airport Siting**

Michael Parness, City Manager for the City of San Clemente, relayed San Clemente's aggressive attempt to prevent an airport from being developed on the Cristianitos site; noted that San Clemente is monitoring the activities of the Orange County Cities Airport Authority (OCCAA). Mayor Diehl reviewed environmental concerns associated with airport development on the Cristianitos property.

The Dana Point City Council reiterated its adamant opposition to the siting of an airport on the Cristianitos property and requested to be kept apprised of San Clemente's efforts.

4. **Solid Waste**

A. **Recycling**

Gary Dysart, Deputy City Engineer for the City of Dana Point, reported on the curbside recycling program which was initiated as a cooperative effort between the Cities of Dana Point, San Juan Capistrano and San Clemente; noted the Cities of Laguna Niguel and Mission Viejo are interested in joining this combined effort; commented on the benefits associated with a sub-regional approach to recycling.

B. **Relocation of Solag Disposal**

Gary Dysart, Deputy City Engineer for the City of Dana Point, presented possible options for the relocation of Solag Disposal; noted that one of the relocation options involves siting Solag Disposal at the landfill.

5. **Transportation Issues**

A. **Multi-Modal Transportation Station**

Mayor Bamattre reviewed the long-range concept of a multi-modal transportation center, which would facilitate bus and rail service to the Cities of San Clemente, Dana Point and San Juan Capistrano; reviewed location options, including a possible site in the southern portion of Capistrano Beach that is situated in close proximity to the I-5.

6. **Feasibility of Sharing Services**

This item was deferred to later in the meeting.

7. **Water Conservation**

Mayor Diehl and James Holloway, Community Development Director for the City of San Clemente, described San Clemente's water conservation program; noted the Metropolitan Water District is currently requiring a 20% reduction in water usage with a 30% reduction mandate to take effect on April 1, 1991; explained San Clemente's efforts have resulted in a 40% reduction in water usage; stated San Clemente is pursuing a long-term water conservation program.

8. **Offshore Oil Drilling**

Dana Point Councilmember Curreri explained that the federal government has upheld the President's moratorium on offshore oil drilling along the Orange County coast; explained the transport of oil tankers remains a concern and warned that cities should not become complacent in their efforts to prevent offshore oil drilling.

6. **Feasibility of Sharing Resources**

Michael Parness, City Manager for the City of San Clemente, relayed that local City Managers are investigating means of jointly addressing mutual concerns; noted the possibility of a coordinated approach to address such areas as animal control, grantsmanship, lobbying for regional issues, equipment use, and personnel services.

9. **Round Table**

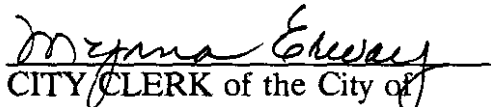
Dana Point Councilmember Lloreda relayed hope that San Clemente and Dana Point can work together to resolve traffic problems associated with intersections shared by both cities, e.g., the La Palmas/Estrella intersection; commended San Clemente's efforts to oppose Cristianitos as a potential airport site.

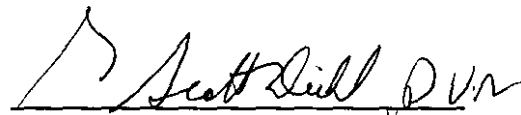
San Clemente Councilmember Haggard relayed that she regularly attends meetings of the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) and offered to share information obtained at those meetings.

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There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:25 p.m.

The next Regular San Clemente City Council Meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 20, 1991 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers, located at 100 Avenida Presidio, San Clemente, California.


CITY CLERK of the City of
San Clemente, California


MAYOR of the City of
San Clemente, California