CNC Equestrian Committee  
December 13, 2017  

Attendance by Sign-in Sheet. There is a quorum.

Stakeholder and Public Comments:  
Jeanie Plum – Is this committee submitting any comments about Hidden Creek’s EIR because they are changing things in the projects. Date changed to Jan 18th.  
Dean – It was mentioned at the general meeting, but it’s not on this agenda.  
Jeanie – there are many things that need to be addressed in this EIR. And both the Councilman and the new Supervisor are not supporters.  
Dean – in the general meeting the concern is that the entrance had changed. The issue was tabled for address once Jeanie Plum’s comments are presented for comment.  

Darlene – We should talk about evacuation plan.  
Mariana West Valley Equestrians group – a few of us don’t have trailers, so our horses haven’t trailered for years.  
Darlene- Peirce College has a course.  
Mariana – We have to use someone who has insurance: Pat Walsh, Patty Warner, Kathy Trough. Davis and TEE said no to hosting. Karen is interested in teaching and Gail in helping, but not on their facilities. It has to be sponsored by Corral 54 or CNC...  
Dean – Could we do it at your property?  
Mariana – No, I don’t have the space. It has to be a public place. We should circulate names of trainers who can help with problem horses.  
Jan – Your horse can be evacuated by a volunteer, it’s picking it up that is hard. Have a picture of your horse to identify, or mark it.  
Mariana – maybe have some kind of publication for people...  
George - What they need is an evacuation team. There are people who do it.  

Motion to Approve Last month’s meeting minutes by Dean; seconded by Rudy. - Passed

**MOTION:** Date of DOOTH PASSED  
It’s going to be on a Sunday due to lessons on Saturdays. April 22nd 11am-3pm  
Vendors – Mary from Gibson Ranch was going to come  
Jan – What are the vendors?  
Darlene – Michelle Curl, Cowboy Dressage.  
Dean – I have a list, but don’t have contact info yet. We will, and we’ll distribute hopefully before the next meeting.  
Jan – I want the order for the parking. But you haven’t confirmed anybody, yet?  
Dean – They will also be able to use the back of the parking area behind the church.  
Jan – We just have to have it organized. I need a date and a flyer to secure the vendors.  
Dean – I’ll send a flyer. Valley View Vaulters need to be paid. Buffalo Soldiers and Charros will also be there.  
Jan – Buffalo Soldiers and Valley Vaulters haul together.
Rudy – if we need to provide some gas money, that’s ok.
Dean – Please reach out to the mini therapy horses, Darlene to contact next month.
Jan – Shaved ice will also be there.

**MOTION:** Letter of Support for purchase of Lot on top of Canoga for purpose of staging area for horses. **PASSED.**
Jeanie – I have the specific language “Equestrian Staging Area South of 118.” Porter Ranch was supposed to do that years ago. ...discussion of language of law... and of possible sites for public arena. Do you think that Toll Brothers will purchase the Nursery?
Dean – We talked to Millie at Mitch’s office, and she says he is supportive. 
Jeanie – I don’t know if the Nursery has a large enough area. Nobody uses the Aliso Arena. It’s a long ride on the Mission trail to get there. Stoney Point is supposed to be a public arena.
Dean – The trails will be maintained by volunteers and the area policed by sheriffs rangers per the recent Trails Master Plan meeting at the Chatsworth library last month.

**Binder**
Dean – We will be putting together a binder with lists of exhibitors, vendors, etc.

DOTh -Budget – approx. $3,800 for DOTh
Dean – Called the city and they said that because it’s a private property we don’t need permit.
Kiwanis are covered for food service.
Hand out of budget sheet.
Dean – 30% increase in cost. Will submit budget sheet this month.
Jan – possible donations of water...

DOTh Theme Horses in Chatsworth
Assembling of Committee members, assignments.
5 Schools need to be contacted.
Award for art work, another award to be considered for most historic content.
Plan to get kids involved by showing them pictures of local horses in local barns.
History of Chatsworth, Landmarks.

Hand out – draft letter about Laws on Safe Horse Keeping and Preventing horses from being pad-locked into a stall.
Discussed development of letter to send to Mayor and City Attorney changing the current language that allows horses to be pad-locked for lien payments, making it illegal to pad-lock a horse in a stall for any reason, safety issue.

Motion to adjourn by Dean, seconded by Darlene.
Adjourned 8:20pm