South County Advisory Council Meeting Minutes March 27, 2023

Present: Harry Walls Steve Shumann Jerry Bridge

Gary Spelbring Richard Wright

Correspondence from the Chair: Ron Smith has resigned from the Council.

Community Presentations:

Commander Kevin Kurker, CHP reports in the last month there were six DUI arrests and several accidents.

Public Comment:

Herb Kandel is concerned about our recommendation opposing the Battery Storage project. He suggested future projects of this size be discussed in a special meeting for community input.

Consent Agenda:

Motion by Jerry Bridge and seconded by Richard Wright to accept the Consent Agenda. Motion passed unanimously.

Election Report:

South County Advisory Council's 2023 Election Results

The South County Advisory Council's (SCAC) mission is to provide a forum for citizen involvement, education and information on issues which affect the greater part of San Luis Obispo's South County. The Council is recognized by the County's Board of Supervisors and provides recommendations to the County's planning process by reviewing pending projects at their monthly public meetings.

The SCAC holds annual elections to allow citizen volunteers to become Council representatives for its seven geographical areas. Each area has two representatives who are required to reside within the area. Additionally, there are special representative positions for agriculture and public safety.

The South County Advisory Council has just concluded its 2023 election process. There were no contested positions and the five incumbents up for election were returned to their seats. The five incumbents are: Darrell Sisk, Area 3, Jerry Bridge and Steve

Schumann in Area 5, Kevin Beauchamp, Area 6 and Pat Duron as the Agricultural Representative.

Currently there are additional Area Representative positions available through an appointment process. Interested candidates may obtain applications and further information from the SCAC website (SCAC.CA.gov.).

Darrell Victor has applied for the Council position in Area Four. He has completed the application.

Motion by Jerry Bridge and seconded by Richard Wright to accept Darrell to the Council. Motion passed unanimously.

Election of Council positions

Nominations Chair Kevin Beauchamp

Vice ChairJerry BridgeRecording SecretaryHarry WallsCorrespondence SecretaryRichard WrightTreasurerGary Spelbring

Motion by Harry Walls and seconded by Richard Wright to elect as nominated. Motion passed unanimously.

Next meeting is April 24, 2023

Meeting adjourned