

Beautification, Walkability and Pride Committee Agenda



**Friday, September 15, 2023
675 Wildwood Avenue
Rio Dell, CA 95562
9:00 a.m.**

Beautification, Walkability, and Pride Committee Members:

Membership:

**City Council (2)
City Staff (1)
Public Member (3)**

City Council	Julie Woodall - Chair
City Council	Amanda Carter
Public Member:	Ania Laniewski
Public Member:	Elizabeth Warren
Public Member:	Rey De La Cruz
Secretary:	Karen Dunham

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. ROLL CALL

C. PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

D. REGULAR MEETING MATTERS

- 1) Approve Minutes of the August 25, 2023 Meeting
- 2) Update on the River Bar Clean-Up Event
- 3) Discuss Regular Meeting Schedule
- 3) Items for the Next Agenda

E. MEMBER REPORTS

F. ADJOURNMENT – Set date for next meeting



Beautification, Walkability and Pride Committee Virtual Meeting Minutes

**August 25, 2023
675 Wildwood Avenue
Rio Dell, CA 95562
9:00 a.m.**

Beautification, Walkability, and Pride Committee Members:

City Council	Julie Woodall
City Council	Amanda Carter
Public Member:	Ania Laniewski
Public Member:	Elizabeth Warren
Public Member:	Rey De La Cruz
Secretary:	Karen Dunham

Membership:

City Council (2)
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CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Secretary Dunham called roll for attendance. Members present were Carter, Laniewski, and Woodall. Absent were members Cruz and Warren (excused).

Others present were Secretary Dunham and Sarah Reback from the Community Resource Center.

PUBLIC PRESENTATIONS

None

REGULAR MEETING MATTERS

Approve Minutes of the July 7, 2023 Meeting

A motion was made by Carter/Woodall to approve the minutes as presented. Motion carried 3-0.

Study Session – Review Draft Farmers’ Market Interest survey and Discuss Recommended Revisions

Members reviewed the draft Farmers' Market Interest Survey presented by Secretary Dunham.

Sarah said that she would be willing to distribute the survey to various groups including at the Food Commodities Day, to the moms at the First 5 Group, and at the Senior Luncheon. She also agreed to have copies available at the Community Resource Center.

In reviewing the survey, Ania suggested expanding on question No. 12 to ask what types of produce they grow and if they need any help with harvesting.

Sarah suggested adding "social media" to question No. 16 regarding notification methods.

The committee members agreed with the suggested revisions to the survey.

Karen agreed to make the changes and email the final survey to Sarah to be included in their newsletter which goes out to approximately 650 people.

MEMBER REPORTS

Sarah announced the date for the next river bar cleanup on September 30, 2023, from 9-11 a.m. She said that the cleanup event will be organized by Jonathan Brodeur, the Community Resource Center, and local volunteers. The Resource Center will provide contractor bags for the event and Amanda volunteered to provide snacks for the volunteers.

Ania asked if buckets and grabbers could be made available for volunteers to do random clean-up.

Sarah indicated that the Resource Center already does that with kids.

Jonathan was invited to attend the next meeting of the committee to update members on the river bar cleanup efforts. Amanda noted that information regarding the clean-up event can be found on Jonathan's Facebook page.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 9:50 a.m. to the next meeting scheduled for September 15, 2023, at 9:00 a.m.