



PARADISE IRRIGATION DISTRICT

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Paradise Irrigation District
Community Relations Committee Meeting
6332 Clark Road, Paradise, CA 95969
(Directors Anne Rice & Marc Sulik - Chairperson)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2018 – 9:00 AM

- ❖ Present: Director Marc Sulik, Vice President Anne Rice, Ed Fortner, Mickey Rich, appointed public member, Ward Habriel

1. Opening

2. Minutes of June 26, 2018 – Information item only.

3. Public Participation -

No public attendance

4. PID Demonstration Garden:

Anne presented a list of to-do items for the garden.

Mickey will print a large Aquahawk poster for the garden sign and send out thank you letters which include the amount / item donated.

Ed will work with field staff to address garden fencing, garden shed, leaking manifold, and ongoing landscaping maintenance. The committee members expressed interest in outsourcing the garden and general landscaping to a local landscaping business.

Anne will be using a portion of PID's credit with Mendon's Nursery to replace some garden plants that either died or were removed from the garden.

Ward Habriel presented the idea for a Fire Safe Demonstration Structure. The committee members support this idea as there will be no cost to PID. The plan will be placed on the PID Board agenda.

FINAL ACCOUNTING PID DEMONSTRATION GARDEN				
AS OF JUNE 29, 2018	BUDGET	\$8,000		
Expense to PID (Materials only)		9293.72		
Total Materials Donated		1404.22		
Total Cost of Garden		10697.94		
Total Cash Donated		-1451.00		
Total Materials Donated		-1404.22		
Net Cost to PID		7542.72		
(27% of costs paid by donations)				

5. **PID Historical Information** (Mickey Rich): The Gold Nugget Museum is asking PID for \$5,000 for the purchase and setup of an outdoor miniature "PID office" which will house the historical PID items now in the care of the museum. This item will go to the PID Board for approval.
6. **Paradise Ice Rink – 2018-2019 Season:** PID will purchase signage space and provide artwork for the Ice Rink. The cost for signage is \$400.00.
7. **PID Meet & Greet: New Manager:** Discussion regarding community "Meet & Greet" on September 12, 2018 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Paradise Ridge Senior Center to meet PID's new manager.
8. **PID Newsletter** (Ed Fortner): Discussion regarding PID WaterTalk Newsletter. The committee discussed the frequency and methods of distributing the customer newsletter. The committee supported Ed's suggestion to attempt to create the newsletter in-house on a bi-monthly basis. The first staff-produced newsletter will be issued in October 2018 and in the meantime PID will survey customers to assess readership.
9. **Johnny Appleseed Days Event – October 6 & 7:** PID staff will attend Johnny Appleseed this year using the booth design from last year. Small items will be purchased for giveaways.
10. **Customer Survey Report** (Mickey Rich): Presented survey response statistics for June and July of 2018.
11. **Consider Establishing Future Meeting Date: November 8, at 9 am**
12. **Adjournment**