



Picfair Village Neighborhood Association Minutes –
General Meeting June 9, 2025: Zoom

Call to Order - Board Roll Call: Joe Carrabba (Pres), Dave Riva (VP), Cindy Levey (Secretary), Darren Davis (Treasurer), Leah Yananton

Meeting called to order at 6:02 p.m. May meeting minutes were approved. Inclusive of Board, 17 attendees.

Item 1: Update Reports

- A. CD 10 representative Mayra Guevara was unable to attend the meeting.
- B. Interim Senior Lead Officer Samuel Colwart was unable to attend. He was reassigned/redeployed in Los Angeles for the evening.
- C. Pico Neighborhood Council PVNA Representative Monique Carrabba
 - Please when there are outages in streetlights, report to My311 and ask for the Department of Public Works.
 - The PVNA Kiosk in front of Vons is being replaced. It was shattered in an act of vandalism.
 - Monique serves as the homeless liaison for the Pico Neighborhood Council. If you would like to provide outreach to any Picfair Village unhoused residents, please feel free to contact Monique at outreach@piconc.com or 323-899-2900.
 - The next Pico Neighborhood Council Meeting is on June 11th at 6:30 p.m. at the Claude Pepper Senior Center.

Item 2: Committee Reports

- A. Bylaws Committee: Current bylaws are on the website. Bylaws Committee – currently Dave Rivas and Cindy Levey – will be doing a review.
- B. Outreach Committee:
 - Report out by Darren Davis: There will be 1 winner to the PVNA Youth Art Contest. The winner will be presented with an award from CD 10's Office and PVNA will upload a photo of the artwork onto the website. The artwork will be displayed in the kiosk in front of Vons. There was less participation than expected in the art contest.
 - Report out by Joe Carrabba: There is interest in an ad hoc committee for a one-off PVNA community event. PVNA Board will discuss.
- C. Treasury Committee: There is now a button on the PicFair Village website where money can be donated.

Item 3: Public Comments

- Todd Lombardo, Candidate for US Congress, California District 37, lives in PicFair and introduced himself to the group. For any questions, thoughts, concerns, and interest in volunteering, please contact Todd: info@toddforcongress.us, 310-998-7127, www.toddforcongress.us
- Comment was made to please make the Zoom link linkable on the website.
- Coffee with Cop was mentioned and Todd Lombardo agreed to host a “Coffee with a Cop” event in the future.
- Comment was made about holding PVNA meetings in-person more often.

Item 4: Board Member Comments

- Sharing the number 1800CutSmog to report debris-ridden demolition.
- Leah Yananton is bringing together a coalition to advocate for safety in the face of the acid maintenance process at the Spaulding oil rig.
- Board mentioned that on June 28th the Spaulding/Airdrome intersection is having a block party.
- Darren Davis mentioned that there are stolen copper exposed wires near Airdrome that look unsafe.
- Leah Yananton mentioned the public comment period is open for people who want to advocate for and protect sea life, pollution and quality of life in the face of an expanded Space X launchpad on Federal land in Central, CA - <https://www.vsfbfalconlaunches.com/>. Additionally, there are concerns about National Nuclear Security Administrations transport of plutonium through Los Angeles. Public comment is open until July 15th. [Say No to Plutonium Transport through L.A. - LA Progressive](#)