

HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION MINUTES THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 2013

CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the La Quinta Historic Preservation Commission was called to order at 3:05 p.m. by Chairperson Redmon.

Chairperson Redmon led the Commission in the Pledge of Allegiance.

PRESENT: Commissioners Kevin Maevers, Skip Morris, Leila Namvar, Maria Puente, and Chairperson Peggy Redmon

ABSENT: None

STAFF PRESENT: Planning Manager David Sawyer and Secretary Monika Radeva

PUBLIC COMMENT - None

CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA – Confirmed

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

<u>Motion</u> – A motion was made and seconded by Commissioners Morris/Maevers to approve the Historic Preservation Commission Minutes of February 21, 2013, as submitted. AYES: Commissioners Maevers, Morris, Puente, and Chairperson Redmon. NOES: None ABSENT: Commissioner Namvar. ABSTAIN: None

BUSINESS SESSION

1. Presentation by Maggie Gordon, Author of the book "Historical Casitas of La Quinta Cove."

Planning Manager David Sawyer introduced Ms. Maggie Gordon, Author of the book "Historical Casitas of La Quinta Cove." She gave a brief overview of her background, experience, and qualification. She explained how the book came about to be and talked at length regarding the knowledge and information she had gathered while writing it.

Commissioner Namvar joined the Commission at 3:09 p.m.

Ms. Gordon played an audio recording by Mr. Isadore Benjamin Kornblum, an attorney associated with the early developers of La Quinta, regarding the early days history of The Desert Club, the La Quinta Cove, and other relevant information.

The Commission thanked Ms. Gordon for the presentation and said they were very pleased with the information she provided.

CORRESPONDENCE AND WRITTEN MATERIAL – None.

REPORTS AND INFORMATIONAL ITEMS: – None.

COMMISSIONER ITEMS – None.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, it was moved and seconded by Commissioners Maevers/Namvar to adjourn this meeting at 3:55 p.m. Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

MONIKA RADEVA, Secretary City of La Quinta, California