



MINUTES
Inter-Neighborhood Council Organization (INCO)
General Membership Meeting
Wednesday, May 7, 2025

A. ROLL CALL

At 6:01 p.m., Chair Diana Velzy called the meeting to order.

Present were: Christopher Bissonnette, Blackstock South (virtually); Jon Huycke, Bryce Canyon North; Raini Steffen, Cabrillo; Noemi Corpuz, Cypress; Alexis Schmidt (vice chair), East Village; Kim Winch, Fremont South; Roger Poirier, Hobson Park East; Robert Lucio, Kamala; Diana Velzy, Orchard Park; Lissa Hewitt, Oxnard Dunes; Walter Hagedohm, Oxnard Shores; Sandy Diaz, Rio Lindo; Alfonso Arroyo, Rose Park; Isaac Khalaf, Sea View Estates; Debbie Arevalo, Southbank; Michael Gleason, West Village

A quorum of members was present.

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES April 9, 2025

Motion by Lissa Hewitt, seconded by Alfonso Arroyo. Minutes of April 9, 2025, approved as corrected: the date of "April 2, 2025," on the agenda was incorrect; the correct date was "April 9, 2025."

D. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Jon Huycke - issues with bicycle lanes on Channel Islands Blvd
Noemi Corpuz - accidents at railroad crossings in City

The Chair read a comment about the Executive Secretary.

E. NEW BUSINESS

SUBJECT: Casa de Carmen Oxnard Navigation Center

RECOMMENDATION: That the INCO General Membership receive a presentation from Mercy House on the Casa de Carmen Oxnard Navigation Center, followed by Q&A

Representatives from Mercy House provided an update on the Casa de Carmen Oxnard Navigation Center on 2nd St and B St. Topics included the layout of the center, number of beds, impacts on Downtown Oxnard, tax deductible donations

F. NEIGHBORHOOD CHAIR REPORTS

Alexis Schmidt, East Village - Disaster preparedness and parking at next neighborhood council meeting; neighborhood watch is starting, looking for donations for signage
Robert Lucio, Kamala Park - Next meeting is an election meeting on May 12 at Kamala School
Debbie Arevalo, Southbank - Next meeting is meeting on May 21; topics will include updated fire maps, Santa Clara River Levee 3; June 21 neighborhood cleanup is June 21

Roger Poirier, Hobson Park East - working on growing neighborhood councils in District 4; have been hosting District 4 neighborhood informal drop-in meetings informally via Zoom
Raini Steffen, Cabrillo - Neighborhood Council meeting is May 28, City Manager and Parks Manager will be in attendance; information on Quimby fees
Isaac Khalaf, Sea View Estates - Next neighborhood meeting is May 22, Vianey Lopez will be in attendance

G. EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORTS

Chair Diana Velzy - working on activating neighborhood councils; Windsor North / River Ridge will be having an activation meeting on May 8

H. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

None received.

I. ADJOURNMENT

Without objection, Chair Velzy adjourned the meeting at 6:29 p.m.