MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



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During the oral communication section of the agenda for Tuesday, February 15, 2011, Garry Grant spoke in opposition of RDA bonds and programs.

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Riverside County Board of Supervisors Request to Speak



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Reference R.D.A. the Unknown Government

The Special R.D.A. Meeting called by the Supervisors of Riverside County on Tuesday, January 18, 2011 to consider the request of E.D.A. to establish a bond of 155 million dollars for R.D.A. programs on the books in the County was reported by Mr. Fielding, the Administrator of E.D.A. not a rush to judgement.

Now here is what worries me, I happen to live in Meadowbrook which is made up of mostly 1 acre properties and there published in the Californian was the potential of expenditure of projects listed for Meadowbrook. Among this list was a park for Meadowbrook with a presumed price tag of 4 million dollars. This came as a shock as I am pretty active in our local politics and this was the first time I had heard of this. There must be one person that knew of it, that would be the person willing to sell their property for it! I would like to know who would be paying to maintain such a project and are they sure we need a park or do they know what is best for us?

I have learned from the people that communication in Meadowbrook is very limited. We have two private RV Parks where there are halls sometimes used for our meetings and the only place to post notices. The public does not have open access to these properties. We do however have a Community Municipal Advisory Counsel which was created for the sole benefit of Supervisor Marion Ashley to communicate with the community, however his Board Member was a citizen who owns property here but resides in the city of Riverside. He is involved in Real Estate and owns considerable acreage in our area. The major concern is whether we can trust Representatives to work for all of us. We the people have concerns based on priorities such as safety which we already established as evidenced by State Hiway 74. Six years of fighting an uphill battle to Sacramento. Our direction would be to build sidewalks to the roads that we bought and paid for ourselves since 1966. We didn't borrow money for our projects and feel the direction the County has taken is fraught with Developer favors and lacking in oversight.

THE PEOPLES MONEY IS BEING SPENT AND TRUST IS PARAMOUNT BEFORE IT ALL IS LOST!

Garry Grant Meadowbrook

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