

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



On motion of Supervisor Ashley, seconded by Supervisor Benoit, and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the meeting of Tuesday, March 20, 2012, is adjourned in memory of Minnie Hernandez, a longtime resident of Perris and an amazing woman who will always be remembered for her incredible strength and tenacity and for the devotion she gave to her family.

Minnie was a loving wife, mother, and friend whose memory and passionate spirit will live forever in the hearts of those who knew and loved her. She will be deeply missed.

The Board of Supervisors commemorates her service to the County of Riverside.

IT WAS FURTHER ORDERED that the Board of Supervisors expresses its heartfelt condolences to the family of Minnie Hernandez.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full true, and correct copy of an order made and entered on
March 20, 2012 of Supervisors Minutes.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Board of Supervisors

Dated: March 20, 2012

Kecia Harper-Ihem, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, in
and for the County of Riverside, State of California.

By: *Melba Allison* Deputy

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On motion of Supervisor Ashley, seconded by Supervisor Benoit, and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the meeting of Tuesday, March 20, 2012, is adjourned in memory of James B. "Jim" Tatum, a 76-year-old prominent resident of Victorville and great regional leader in all phases of development, including construction of houses, multiple family dwellings, and commercial properties.

Born on June 21, 1937, in Loma Linda, California, Jim attended Victor Valley High School and Cal Poly Pomona prior to joining the U.S. Army. After his military service, he went to work on the family's cattle ranch in Fallon, Nevada, where he met and married his wife Madeline of 50 years. They moved back to Victorville in 1963, and Jim joined the family construction and development business, developing approximately 9,000 single family homes, 2,000 multiple family dwellings, numerous commercial projects throughout Southern California, and Holiday Inns throughout the western states. When the family company was sold to Dart, Jim stayed on and was responsible for large lot development sales programs, including developing 28,000 acres in Tehachapi-Bear Valley Springs and the Silver Lakes project in Helendale.

In 1978, Jim and Madeline formed their own construction firm, building over 200 single family homes per year and several hundred units of multiple family dwellings. They formed "Narcissa Homes by Tatum" with Ray Watt in 1983 and became one of the first developer-construction-sales corporations in the Antelope Valley, developing over 3,000 single family homes from 1983 to 1989 and selling an average of 400 to 500 homes a year.

In 1994, Jim and his son Todd started Citizens Water Resources LLC, assisting private firms in their water resource development projects, and in 2001, they founded American Housing Group, Inc. which was named the fifth fastest growing homebuilding company in the United States by Builder Magazine. The Building Industry Association of Southern California named Jim and Madeline Tatum to the Homebuilding Hall of Fame in 2007, and in 2009, the Tatums established the AHG Companies in response to the housing crisis that arose in 2007.

Jim was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, brother, and friend whose memory and passionate spirit will live forever in the hearts of those who knew and loved him. He will be deeply missed.

The Board of Supervisors commemorates his service to the County of Riverside.

IT WAS FURTHER ORDERED that the Board of Supervisors expresses its heartfelt condolences to the family of James B. "Jim" Tatum.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full true, and correct copy of an order made and entered on
March 20, 2012 of Supervisors Minutes.

WITNESS my hand and the seal of the Board of Supervisors

Dated: March 20, 2012

Kecia Harper-Ihem, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, in
and for the County of Riverside, State of California.

By: *Madeleine Allison* Deputy

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