



# Coachella Valley Animal Campus

## COMMISSION AGENDA

### **Animal Campus Commission**

#### City of Indian Wells

Councilmember Ty Peabody

#### **Chairman**

Mayor Dana Reed  
(Alternate)

#### City of La Quinta

Councilmember Steve Sanchez  
Councilmember Kathleen Fitzpatrick  
(Alternate)

#### City of Cathedral City

Councilmember Mark Carnevale

#### **Vice-Chairman**

Mayor Pro Tem Ernesto Gutierrez  
(Alternate)

#### City of Coachella

Mayor Pro Tem Emmanuel Martinez  
Vacant (Alternate)

#### City of Desert Hot Springs

#### City of Indio

Councilmember Lupe Ramos Amith  
Scott Trujillo (City Staff Representative)

#### City of Palm Desert

Councilmember Karina Quintanilla  
Mayor Kathleen Kelly  
(Alternate)

#### Palm Springs Animal Shelter

Gabrielle Amster, Executive Director

#### Friends of Palm Springs Animal Shelter

Tamara Hedges- President  
Ex- Officio

#### City of Rancho Mirage

Mayor G. Dana Hobart  
Mayor Pro Tem Ted Weill  
(Alternate)

#### County of Riverside

V. Manuel Perez, 4<sup>th</sup> District  
Amy Cuen, Board Assistant  
Jeff Hewitt, 5<sup>th</sup> District

#### Animal Samaritans

Len D. Betz, President  
Ex-Officio  
Tom Snyder, CEO

#### County Staff

Laurie Dozier  
Executive Assistant I

PLEASE NOTE THAT ITEMS ON THIS AGENDA MAY RESULT IN ACTION TAKEN BY THE ANIMAL CAMPUS COMMISSION

The next meeting of the Coachella Valley Animal Campus Commission is as follows:

### Commission Meeting

**Thursday**

**May 6, 2021**

**9:30 a.m.**

**Via ZOOM**

#### Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84809459085?pwd=OHFpcjVuU2FrQVRUQStrMWhvSGdZdz09>

**Meeting ID: 848 0945 9085**

**Passcode: 755425**

1. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
2. **CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL (CHAIRMAN or VICE-CHAIR)**  
Chairman and Mayor Ty Peabody, City of Indian Wells or Vice-Chairman and Councilmember Mark Carnevale
3. **FINALIZATION OF AGENDA**  
IF YOU HAVE ANY ITEMS YOU WANT ADDED TO THE AGENDA, THE BROWN ACT REQUIRES THAT YOU DO SO AT LEAST 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING.
4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**  
Approval of February 6, 2020 Minutes  
Approval of February 4, 2021 Minutes
5. **ELECTION OFFICERS FOR 2021**  
Chairman and Vice-Chairman
6. **PUBLIC COMMENTS**  
THIS IS THE TIME AND PLACE FOR ANY PERSON WISHING TO ADDRESS THE ANIMAL CAMPUS COMMISSION ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA. COMMENTS ARE LIMITED TO 3 MINUTES PER PERSON.

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## 7. **ANIMAL CAMPUS COMMISSION MEMBERS AND DIRECTOR COMMENTS:**

THIS IS THE TIME AND PLACE FOR ANY MEMBER WISHING TO ADDRESS THE ANIMAL CAMPUS COMMISSION TO DO SO.

## 8. **RIVERSIDE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SERVICES:** Julie Bank (Director)

- Department Updates (standing agenda item)

## 9. **ANIMAL SAMARITANS:** Tom Snyder, CEO

- Adoption Alliance Update (standing agenda item)

## 10. **PALM SPRINGS ANIMAL SHELTER:** Gabrielle Amster, Executive Director

- Cat Challenges and Support

## 11. **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next meeting of the Animal Campus Commission is scheduled for August 5, 2021 at 9:30 a.m. via ZOOM or at the Coachella Valley Animal Campus, 72-050 Pet Land Place, Thousand Palms, CA 92276

## 12. **ADJOURNMENT**

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: [www.rivco4.org/web/cvacc](http://www.rivco4.org/web/cvacc)

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Please contact Laurie Dozier via email at [LDozier@rivco.org](mailto:LDozier@rivco.org), 72 hours before the meeting, from 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.