



Animal Campus Commission

Cathedral City

Council-member Nancy Ross
Council-member Ernesto Gutierrez
(Alternate)

City of Coachella

Council-member Denise Delgado
Frank Figueroa (Alternate)

City of Desert Hot Springs

Gary Gardner

City of Indian Wells

Council-member Ty Peabody

Vice-Chair

Council-member Dana Reed (Alternate)

City of Indio

Mayor Pro Tem Lupa Ramos Amith
Rob Rockwell – City Rep. (Alternate)

City of La Quinta

Council-member Steve Sanchez
Council-member Kathleen Fitzpatrick
(Alternate)

City of Palm Desert

Mayor Pro Tem Karina Quintanilla

Chair

Evan Trubee (Alternate)

City of Rancho Mirage

Councilmember Meg Marker Councilmember
Lynn Malotto (Alternate)

Animal Samaritans - Ex-Officio

Len D. Betz, President
Tom Snyder, CEO

Palm Springs Animal Shelter

Dan Rossi Executive Director
Tamara Hedges - President

Ex-Officio

Loving All Animals - Ex-Officio

Michael Phipps Russell
Shelley Daily

County of Riverside

V. Manuel Perez, 4th District
Esmeralda Perez

County Staff

Director DAS, Erin Gettis
Asst. Director DAS
Dr. Kimberly Youngberg
Executive Assistant
Kasey Saldarelli

COMMISSION AGENDA

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

The next Coachella Valley
Animal Campus Commission Meeting is:

Commission Meeting
Thursday, August 01, 2024
9:30 a.m.

In-Person

Coachella Valley Animal Campus
72-050 Pet Land Place
Thousand Palms, CA 92276

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

2. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL (CHAIR or VICE CHAIR)

CHAIR: KARINA QUINTANILLA, CITY OF PALM DESERT
VICE CHAIR: TY PEABODY, CITY OF INDIOWELLS
ANY COMMISSIONERS PRESENT AND ABSENT ARE RECORDED.

3. UPDATES TO AGENDA

STAFF SHALL BE ASKED FOR ANY UPDATES ON THE AGENDA ITEMS AS SUBMITTED.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MINUTES OF ANY PRECEDING ANIMAL CAMPUS COMMISSION MEETING ARE SUBMITTED FOR APPROVAL TO THE COMMISSION.

- APPROVAL OF MINUTES, MAY 02, 2024.

5. STAFF REPORTS AND ACTION ITEMS

ACTION ITEMS:

1. APPROVE RETURNING THE COMMISSION MEETINGS TO MONTHLY.
2. REVIEW THE OPERATING BUDGET AND REQUEST FOR COMMISSION BUDGET.
3. APPROVE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW COMMISSION ORIENTATION.
4. APPROVE CREATION OF AN EDUCATION COMMITTEE AND 4 PROPOSED EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS.
5. REQUEST FUNDING FROM BOS FOR SUPPORT OF EDUCATION SESSIONS BY EDUCATION COMMITTEE.
6. UPDATE OF STATE LEGISLATION IMPACTING ANIMAL WELFARE.
7. STUDY SESSION/WORKSHOP SCHEDULE AND STATUS.
8. REMOTE ATTENDANCE OF COMMISSION MEETINGS.

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 REQUIRE A SPEAKER CARD INCLUDING NAME FOR THE RECORD AND ARE LIMITED TO 3 MINUTES PER PERSON, UNLESS DETERMINED OTHERWISE BY COMMISSION CHAIR.

- STAFF SHALL NOTE ANY SUBMITTED WRITTEN PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR THE RECORD.

7. COMMISSION AND STAFF COMMENTS:

THIS IS THE TIME AND PLACE FOR ANY COMMISSION MEMBERS WISHING TO ADDRESS THE BALANCE OF THE COMMISSION TO DO SO.

COMMISSION MEMBERS

RIVERSIDE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SERVICES:

DIRECTOR ERIN GETTIS AND DR. KIM YOUNGBERG; ASST. DIRECTOR.

- DEPARTMENT UPDATES (STANDING AGENDA ITEM)
- COMMUNICATIONS WITH STAFF

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS:

ANIMAL SAMARITANS: (Ex-Officio)
TOM SNYDER, CEO

- ADOPTION ALLIANCE UPDATE (STANDING ITEM AGENDA)

LOVING ALL ANIMALS: (Ex-Officio)
MICHAEL PHIPPS RUSSELL

PALM SPRINGS ANIMAL SHELTER: (Ex-Officio)
DAN ROSSI, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, AND TAMARA HEDGES – PRESIDENT

8. ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE ANIMAL CAMPUS COMMISSION IS SCHEDULED FOR:

Thursday, November 07, 2024, at 9:30 a.m. (In Person) Coachella Valley Animal Campus.

9. ADJOURNMENT

For copies of agendas and past meeting minutes please visit [Coachella Valley Animal Campus Commission | Supervisor V. Manuel Perez Fourth District County of Riverside \(rivco4.org\)](http://Coachella Valley Animal Campus Commission | Supervisor V. Manuel Perez Fourth District County of Riverside (rivco4.org))

Accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act are available upon request. (Advanced Notice is Needed). Please contact Kasey Saldarelli via email at Ksaldare@rivco.org, 72 hours before the meeting, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.