



# COMMISSION AGENDA

## **Animal Campus Commission**

### Voting Members

#### Cathedral City

Councilmember Nancy Ross  
Councilmember Mark Carnevale  
(Alternate)

#### City of Coachella

Councilmember Denise Delgado  
Councilmember Frank Figueroa (Alternate)

#### City of Desert Hot Springs

Councilmember Gary Gardner

#### City of Indian Wells

Councilmember Ty Peabody

#### **Vice-Chair**

Councilmember Dana Reed (Alternate)

#### City of Indio

Mayor Lupa Ramos Amith  
ACM Jonathan Nicks (Alternate)

#### City of La Quinta

Councilmember Steve Sanchez  
Councilmember Kathleen Fitzpatrick  
(Alternate)

#### City of Palm Desert

Mayor Karina Quintanilla

#### **Chair**

Councilmember Evan Trubee (Alternate)

#### City of Rancho Mirage

Councilmember Michael O'Keefe  
Councilmember Lynn Mallotto (Alternate)

#### District 4

Supervisor V. Manuel Perez, 4<sup>th</sup> District  
Esmeralda Perez (Alternate)

### Non-Voting Members

#### Animal Samaritans Ex-Officio

Len D. Betz, President  
Tom Snyder, CEO

#### Loving All Animals Ex-Officio

Michael Phipps Russell  
Shelley Daily (Alternate)

#### Palm Springs Animal Shelter Ex-Officio

Dan Rossi Executive Director  
Tamara Hedges - President

#### County Staff

Interim Director Dr. Kimberly Youngberg  
Outcomes for Pets – Consultant Kristen  
Hassen  
Exec. Asst. Kasey Saldarelli

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, December 05, 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

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT AND ABSENT ARE RECORDED.

### 3. ELECTION OF NEW CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR TO START FEBRUARY 2025.

### 4. UPDATES TO AGENDA

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

### 5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

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

- APPROVAL OF MINUTES, OCTOBER 03, 2024.

## **6. STAFF REPORTS AND ACTION ITEMS**

- NO STAFF REPORTS OR ACTIONS WERE SUBMITTED

## **7. 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.

## **8. 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.

### **8.1 COMMISSION MEMBERS**

#### **8.2 RIVERSIDE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL SERVICES:**

INTERIM DIRECTOR DR. KIMBERLY YOUNGBERG

##### **• DEPARTMENT UPDATES**

- COACHELLA VALLEY ANIMAL CAMPUS BUDGET (HANDOUT)
- MAP OF 4<sup>th</sup> DISTRICT TERRITORY (HANDOUT)
- STATE LEGISLATION LAW UPDATES: [Advocacy | California | California Animal Welfare Association](#)
- ORIENTATION HANDBOOK
- EUTHANASIA PROCEDURES
- OUTCOMES FOR PETS – KRITSTEN HASSEN

##### **• COMPANION ANIMAL SURVEY FINDINGS BY DANIEL POLK WITH HARC, INC.**

### **8.3 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

## **9. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE ANIMAL CAMPUS COMMISSION IS SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 06, 2025, AT 9:30am. (IN-PERSON)

LOCATION WILL BE DISCLOSED ON THE NEW AGENDA 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING ON DISTRICT 4'S WEBSITE AND AT THE COACHELLA VALLEY ANIMAL CAMPUS.

## **10. 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 \(rivco4.org\)](https://www.rivco4.org/Coachella-Valley-Animal-Campus-Commission-Supervisor-V-Manuel-Perez-Fourth-District-County-of-Riverside)

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](mailto:ksaldare@rivco.org), 72 hours before the meeting, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.