

Westport Municipal Advisory Council

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MINUTES 2 April 2019

Westport Community Church, 24900 Abalone Street, Westport

- 1. Roll call Called to order at 7:05 pm. Directors Thad Van Bueren, Robert Scott and Sally Grigg present. Directors Bill Knapp and Gary Quinton were absent. Supervisor Dan Gjerde was also present. No others attended.
- 2. Approval of the minutes of 4 January 8, 2019 was unanimous.
- 3. Public Expressions. There were none.
- 4. New Business.
 - a. Climate Change Committee: Director Van Bueren reported on County approval of the formation of an ad hoc committee to study and recommend actions to address Climate Change in Mendocino County. Supervisor Gjerde reported the committee structure will be considered by the BOS on April 16. The WMAC wishes to remain informed and will seek community input at future meetings to contribute to the BOS and committee.
- 5. Old Business:
 - a. Local Cancer Incidence: An update on cancer research was provided by Director Van Bueren based on a report provided by Dr. Klapheke at the Cancer Register of Greater California. No further action is planned based on the absence of elevated rates of leukemia, breast cancer, and bladder cancer in local populations.
- 6. Announcements/Correspondence: Director Sally Grigg asked to be appointed as a regular Director to fill one of the current vacancies.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:45 pm

These minutes were prepared by the Chair.