

Isla Vista Tenants Union
University of California, Santa Barbara
Committee Meeting Minutes Oct. 25, 07

I. Welcome

Call to order at: 5:35pm

II. Attendance

Carmela Galvez, Joel Rodriguez Flores, Gerson Sorto, Julio Martinez, Marilyn Dukes, Lindsey Quock.

Leg Council Rep: Ana Contreras

III. Announcements

a. Pardall will be closed for Halloween

b. Lynsey is doing door hangers for Halloween, needs volunteers for tonight.

IV. Business

A. Art Exhibit Update

No updates other than speaker is confirmed

Julio mentioned he could have Das Williams from Santa Barbara City Council

i. Door Hangers

Ready, 1000 door hangers for Art Exhibit. Take few and do apartments next to you or block. Another option will be to get together and put them up.

Lynsey: Are we going to focus on a part of IV.

Gerson: I was aiming towards the long term residents, so Abrego and Picasso.

Move: To put up door hangers in IV Sunday morning at 10am, meet at IVTU office. Lindsey and Julio will go on second shift at 4:00pm.

ii. Facebook Event

Gerson to make a Facebook add for Art Exhibit.

B. IVPOA Code -Final Draft

Approved final draft, changes are in bold.

Main point discussed: diversity, them supporting that they care about IV. Even though we changed the word diversity, the IVPOA didn't agree on the wording.

Letter of Recommendation: Agreed to the more neutral letter, which states that tenants were evicted because of the complex being sold, not because of any negative actions they took.

Number 9 should be revised as a last resource.

Move: To revise and change the wording of the example given in the second page at the top. To erase the "60 days" and just leave "90 days".

Move: To change first and second paragraphs under second bold heading on page one to make it more balanced in the code among the IVPOA and IVTU.

Move: To have # 2 Bilingual.

Move: To change "should" to "shall" in #'s 2, 3, 4(to undo delay) and 8.

Move: To change the "Background" on the first page. Instead of going over background as it is now, have something that says about IVPOA and IVTU getting together for the Code of Conduct. If this proves to be too difficult, then it might be best to just eliminate the first part altogether.

C. Update on Zolia

Lindsey: Since Friday she needed \$800, we have the money solved. Donations are being accepted for her and her kids.

To Support campus workers: Every Wednesday 7:30pm to 9:00pm. Free Food.

Night at El Centro to work on campaign.

VI. New Business

A. Annual Dinner 11-07-07

VII. Financial Business

VIII. Other Business/ Open Forum

Nov.17 9 am – 4:30 PM: Dismantling Racism Workshop at the MCC

Joel's Union Nov.6 against the county that is trying to provide an unfair contract to county workers that work in IV.

VIII. Adjournment

6:55pm