



SNRA NEWS



Letter From The Editor

This year's road maintenance has been planned, but work will be performed later than usual due to a long and late rain season. Please see Road Work Report for details regarding project priorities.

Every year, Leo Kennedy spends a tremendous amount of time with the road committee and Frederick's strategizing how to get the most bang for our buck. This year is especially challenging due to nearly 17" of rain following a year of extreme wear and tear due to heavy equipment fighting the fire. We thank Leo and all SNRA volunteers for their continued efforts in keeping our roads the best they can be.

If you have any questions, please contact your SNRA Representative as listed below.

Cindy McGee, Newsletter Editor

Thank You!

Each month we acknowledge those who freely give of their time and energy to support SNRA and our members. This month we'd like to offer our sincerest appreciation to ...

Thanks to :

- Jim Shockey for weed spraying.
- Carl Steinkraus for 20+ years of service.
- Leo for his work with M. Frederick's Paving in putting together the Road Work report.

If you are one of those that helps behind the scenes, please know that your contribution is also appreciated!

YOU ARE INVITED!

TO THE FIREWISE FIRST ANNUAL COMMUNITY BBQ

It's our chance to meet with first responders, community leaders and each other to discuss fire prevention/safety for all.

Please join us in this fun and educational event for all SNRA members.

SANTA MARIA STYLE BBQ PROVIDED

**JUNE 8TH FROM 11AM TO 2PM
@ CAL SHASTA CLUBHOUSE**

For the latest information on efforts to "Save the Dragon"

Please visit: <http://nrwmac.org/>

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| Carl Steinkraus - Running Deer | 805-237-1182 |
| Leo Kennedy - Running Deer | 805-635-7074 |

SNRA BOARD MEETING
May 19, 2019

Call to order: Meeting was called to order by Pres. John Hunter at 9:02AM at the Cal-Shasta clubhouse.

Roll Call: John Hunter (Pres.), Ken Thomas (VP), Chuck Enterline (Sec.), Sue Kennedy (Treas.), Cheryl Dodge (sub. for Cindy McGee), Ken Thomas & Ron Lininger (Cal Shasta), Bill Barton (private owners), Leo Kennedy & Carl Steinkraus (Running Deer), Brent McClurg (South Shore), Bruce Talbert (sub. for Randy Tognazzini) & Faron Goodwin (Tri-Counties). No visitors.

President's Message: This has been an incredibly beautiful spring preceded by months of rain. We have a number of emergency projects/maintenance projects that need to get accomplished once things have dried out. Thank you to Cheryl Dodge and Bruce Talbert for filling in.

Minutes of Previous Meeting: (March 10, 2019) were presented for any changes.

Motion: K Thomas moved to accept Minutes with no corrections, L Kennedy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Treasurer's Report:

March began with \$101,618.72, income: \$39,360.79, expenses: \$1,958.02 leaving a balance of \$139,021.49.

April began with \$139,021.49, income: \$14,805.00, expenses of \$290.06, leaving a balance of \$153,536.43.

Invoices to be paid: \$1500 to Jim Shockey for weed spraying was approved via e-mail vote, paid.

Motion: R Lininger moved to accept Treasurer's Report, F Goodwin seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Complete Treasurer's report available on LakeNacimientoSouthShoreArea.com website.

Correspondence: Cynthia Boe requested board review of her Application for Fee Discount. Discussion followed with input from members who recently looked at the property.

Motion: L Kennedy moved to approve applications. C Steinkraus seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Tim and Debbie Kopack applied for a fee reduction for their unimproved property.

Motion: Ken Thomas moved to approve application, Ron Lininger seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Committee Reports:

Electric Gate:

- Codes for May and June were given out. Carl Steinkraus reported that there was a problem with the wiring of the main gate opener. The wire used in the initial installation is very fine and not intended for exterior use. It is a particular problem during wet weather. It needs to be replaced.
- Carl indicated Drake Woodworth no longer wants to maintain watering and other chores at the gate. A new volunteer will need to be found.
- Carl Steinkraus announced he is retiring from the Board after 20 years of representing Running Deer. A discussion occurred on who might replace him. RDR to find a new rep.
- For monthly updates of the Contractor/Guest codes, contact Leo Kennedy at 805-635-7074 or kennedyrir@gmail.com.

Membership: none

Budget and Maintenance: Leo presented the SNRA 2019 Road Work proposals with priorities and recommendations. A summary is published in this newsletter. There was a lengthy discussion of how to get the best repairs within the budgeted amount.

SNRA 2019 Road Work Priorities

The good news is that the lake is high. The bad news is that the concentrated rain damaged the roads. Ideally, we would be doing a lot of chip seal to get us back to a routine schedule of road maintenance but ever since the fire we have been catching up with flood and rain damage. This year we are faced with a lot of pot holes to be filled and erosion to be repaired. As usual, there is not enough money to do everything we want.

The SNRA Board's priorities are:

First, Asphalt Patching and Leveling (200 tons), Clean Up and Edge Grading:

1. Between the main gate and Chimney Rock Rd. patching and/or overlay is needed;
2. From the main gate to the top of the first grade (at the fire sign) we'll do patching and skin patching;
3. From the Nix property to the chip sealed stretch at A-E Ranch more patching and skin patching is required;
4. Some patching is needed on Cow Camp Loop;
5. From the lower crossing to the upper cattle guard needs skin patching;
6. The upper cattle guard is sinking and needs work;
7. Icy Creek to Sandy Creek needs patching;
8. Tri-Co "Y" to the top of Cal Shasta hill needs some patching;
9. Between the South Shore "Y" and the cattle guard needs patching;
10. Allen Rd needs edge grading, patching and leveling, especially from the cattle guard near Beebe's Ln. to Tri-Counties;
11. Gage Irving Loop from Hamilton to the Jacoby/VanDeudekom property needs patching;
12. From there south to the "Fork" at Running Deer Rd. needs edge grading;
13. Gage Irving Exit Rd. needs tractor clean up and some branches cut.

Second, on Cal Shasta Hill there is a place where the road is slumping due to erosion of the supporting soil below it. It is the "one lane" area, painted "CSH2" on the pavement. We will add more asphalt to level and strengthen this area and will rebuild the berm to divert runoff and reduce erosion of the slope.

Third, on the downstream side of the lower crossing the stream bed has eroded. We need to fill in with small boulders and top them with riprap and concrete slurry to make a spillway, as we did on the upper crossing. We won't have the money to do the concrete this year but will fill in the gap with boulders which will stabilize the area until we can do concrete.

Fourth, another place on Cal Shasta Hill, marked CSH1, is slumping to a lesser degree than the second priority item above. As funds allow, this will be repaired in a manner similar to CSH2.

We are usually able to get the bulk of road repairs done by Memorial Day but our late rains will prevent this. Some road areas are still so wet that they deform when driven on. We'll start work as soon as the roads are dry enough to be stable.

EMERGENCY CALLING LIST May, 2019 **See reverse for Fire Safety Information**

Instructions For Fire

In the event of fire inside Running Deer Gate, first **call 911**. Then call one person at the top of the list. If you can't reach either person, proceed to the lower levels, especially in the area closest to the fire, until you reach someone who will **call the rest of the list**. Or, you can do the calls. If you help to fight the fire please wear closed shoes and long pants. If you are hurt, firefighters must tend to you instead of the fire.

Station people at intersections to guide emergency crews; the fire crews who respond may not be local!

CALL 911 FIRST!

Steinkraus
237-1182

McAlister
c. 835-7161
c. 835-9457

Coffey
239-3808

(All phone numbers are
805 area code unless an
alternate code is given.)

Running Deer Ranch

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| Bullard ♦ 239-0454 818-319-2628 Reese ♦ 402-6155 Jankoski 603-930-9113 Crass 320-5928 | Enterline 239-1228 Woodworth 237-2769 c. 610-2938 Timmons & Bernardy 949-547-1766 Ogenesian ♦ 626-674-9284 562-858-2662 | Hall 610-7751 J. Shetler 227-6776 open RDR gate Wood 400-5286 Compton 238-4758 |
| Kennedy 635-7074 Borges ♦♦ 238-5066 Lundbeck & Summers c. 423-1266 226-9103 Jacoby & Van Deudekom 949-683-3783 | Barton 239-4513 c. 286-2479 Monteith 239-7360 c. 400-7887 Kinman 610-6635 | Boe ♦ 238-2294 c. 235-8964 Chase 237-1641 Paul 610-8677 |

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| Goodwin 423-5734 Willis 757-0907 757-7943 S. Johnson 451-0855 | R. Johnson ♦♦ 237-8608 c. 260-0670 Lee Johnson 237-0399 Humfrey ♦ 238-9462 c 471-3946 Thomas 458-1426 Dodge 886-1417 |
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Key

- ♦ Fire Trailer Location
- ♦ Heavy equipment available
- ✱ Will open Cal-Shasta gate for access to helicopter pad

Fire Trailer Locations:

Running Deer: 7025 High Meadow Way, off Running Deer Rd.;
5525 Whispering Pines Ln.

Cal Shasta: On Hendricks Ranch Rd near Gage Irving Rd.
(under shelter just inside Cal Shasta gate)

Ranchos del Lago: Call Russ Johnson @237-8608 for location

Important Numbers:

Templeton Sheriff Station: 434-4290;
Las Tablas CDF: 238-4592;
Poison Control: 800-222-1222;
Oak Shores Rescue/Fire: 472-9548;
Lake Rangers: 238-2376.

Use 4X4 full-sized ¾ ton p.u. or larger to pull water trailer.

Additions or corrections to list, call Leo, 635-7074.

BEFORE THE FIRE SEASON

- Make Cal Fire aware of any gate codes and provide them with keys or combinations to gate locks.
- Post your address in 6" high, reflective numbers. - Maintain 100' clearance of combustibles around buildings.
- Keep your water tank full. - Mark your 2½" wharf-head fitting with blue reflectors and keep it clear for access.
- Keep family medical information available (attached to your refrigerator door is best).
- Have your "go box" ready. It should contain medications, cell phone charger, insurance policies, important account numbers and passwords, irreplaceable items like picture albums, etc. Better yet, use a safe deposit box. More info is on websites.
Go to readyforwildfire.org for advice on "firesafe" landscaping, emergency preparation, and firesafe building design and maintenance.

IN CASE OF A FIRE

- **Call 911:** call people at the top of the Emergency Calling List (it's at www.lakenacimientosouthshorearea.com.)
- Open the main RDR gate, Gage Irving (emergency exit) gate and other gates leading to the fire.
- Station people or post signs at intersections to help fire crews find the fire; responders may not be from local stations.
- If you are evacuating remember your "go box". Use Gage Irving Road out of Running Deer so firefighters can move equipment freely. Bring your gate key.
- If overtaken by fire stop in a clear area with windows up; stay in the vehicle as long as possible to save oxygen and protect yourself from heat.
- "Sheltering in place", staying in your home, may be best if your house is of firesafe construction and has 100' of clearance.

Priority #1 is safety. Protect or aid people first. Try to avoid being downwind or uphill from a fire. Evacuate if necessary.

Priority #2 is facilitating the entry of Cal Fire. Open gates; provide guidance at intersections; keep roads and fire access clear.

WHEN RESPONDING TO A FIRE

SAFETY FIRST!

- **Always wear sturdy leather shoes, long cotton pants and shirt.** Wear a heavy cotton jacket and leather gloves and bring a dry bandana to protect your face.
- **Bring drinking water.** Bring tools to fight the fire: McCloud, shovel, rake, hoe, etc.

Water Trailer locations are indicated on the Emergency Calling List. Conserve water: fight lighter fuels and work the perimeter. Keep fire away from heavier fuels. Don't soak the area; spray at the base of the flames.

When you arrive at the scene:

- **Leave plenty of room for fire equipment to get by. Treat all power lines as dangerous.**
- Park away from the fire, not in grass or brush or uphill from the fire. Park so that you can escape in your vehicle rapidly.
- Plan an escape route to a safe area (preferably downhill) and rethink your escape route frequently.
- Be aware: stop often to **look up, down and around**. Tree branches or power lines may fall. Winds may shift dangerously or the fire may flare up again or jump to a new area. Bad terrain or embers underfoot may endanger you. Communicate with other firefighters. **Pay attention to your own fatigue.**

When the fire department arrives, follow their orders. They are now in charge of the scene. Do as they tell you. Remember: Cal Fire's #1 priority is human safety. If you are hurt you will take firefighters away from the fire. If you are prepared and follow the guidelines set above, your chance of being injured is decreased and this will allow Cal Fire to do their job of fighting the fire.

Other websites that should be visited for more information: www.calfireslo.org, and www.fscslo.org have house safety, landscaping and fire prevention ideas.

Lake Nacimiento South Shore Communities Emergency Preparedness Day



Saturday June 8, 2019
11:00 am – 2:00 pm
Cal Shasta Club House
4500 Gage Irving Rd
Paso Robles

Join us for lunch courtesy of:

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|----------------------------|---------|
| Rancho Del Lago ----- | Tri Tip |
| Running Deer Ranch ----- | Salads |
| Cal Shasta ----- | Beans |
| Tri-Counties ----- | Bread |
| South Shore Village ----- | Dessert |
| Private Property Owner's – | Water |

➤ **Residents will have the opportunity to learn:**

- What being a Firewise Community consists of?
- The importance of flammable fuel / vegetation reduction around all structures.
- The importance of maintaining the flammable vegetation reduction work completed along all roads
- Planning and tools required on how to create a defensible space around our properties and communities.
- Evacuation planning.
- There will be Representatives from our First Responders available to answer questions.
- Vendor information available
- NRWMA Representatives
- Lunch served from 12:00 to 1:00 pm

Contact: Jerry Reese
(805) 402-6155

Motion: L Kennedy moved to proceed with the road work as proposed and R Lininger seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Fire Committee: A new Emergency Calling List is included in this newsletter.

OLD BUSINESS: The FireWise BBQ will be June 8, 2019 from 11:00am to 2:00pm at the Cal-Shasta clubhouse. Many of the First Responders we depend on in a fire will be there to discuss fire prevention. All of the community is strongly encouraged to come learn more and share their ideas about how to make us and keep us Fire Safe. The BBQ is free, paid for by each of the communities behind the gate.

NEW BUSINESS:

Newsletter Items: Thank yous:

- 1) To Jim Shockey for weed spraying.
- 2) To Carl Steinkraus for over 20 years of service.
- 3) Leo for his work with M. Frederick's Paving in putting together the Road Work report.

THREE MINUTES FOR MEMBERS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD: Ken Thomas suggested we do something about the old SNRA files stored in file cabinet in the Ca-Shasta clubhouse. Cheryl Dodge recommended digitizing what needs to be kept and storing in "the Cloud" and shredding the rest. Anyone who has interest in the old files, contact Sue Kennedy 805-635-7074.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Chuck Enterline informed the board that mussel inspectors have a new tool called QID in which an inspector can log into the QID site, put in a CF# and immediately get a report on that boat, including what lakes it has been in.

NEXT MEETING: is scheduled for Aug. 11, 2019 at the Cal-Shasta clubhouse at 9:00am

Adjournment: **Motion: K Thomas moved to adjourn, F Goodwin seconded. Motion passed unanimously.** Meeting was adjourned at 10:52am.

Chuck Enterline (SNRA Sec.)

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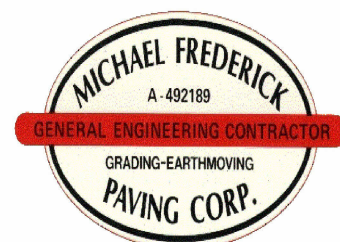
As of May 19th, 2019 MCWRA reports:

- Surface lake elevation: 787'
- Capacity: 81%
- Lake water release: 370 cfs

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Our next SNRA Board Meeting will be on Sunday, August 11th.
All SNRA Members are welcome to attend!
Meetings are held in the Cal-Shasta Clubhouse at 9:00 AM.



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