

***County of Monterey
Fish and Game Advisory Commission***

***Tuesday, April 8, 2014
[Abridged]
[Grant Application Process Only]***

Minutes of Meeting

Call to Order, Roll Call, Pledge of Allegiance

Chairman Al Espindola called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm, followed by the salute to flag.

District 1 (Armenta)

Charles Nelson
Rich Hughett

District IV (Parker)

Mike Hosfelt
Charlie Collins

District II (Calcagno)

Richard Medley
John Sargenti
Frank Gomes Jr.

District V (Potter)

Kevin Urquhart
Chris Cullen
Kevin Kreyenhagen

District III (Salinas)

Bob Monares
Mark DeHart

Excused Absence: Nick Brockman

Department of Fish & Wildlife Liaison - Captain Don Kelly

Guests – Barbara Nelson, Kim Gulliam, and Bill Gaines

Staff - John Akeman, Monterey County Parks

New Business

- a. Revised grant proposal and consideration: Wildlife Conservation and Hunting in the Golden State, Gaines and Associates.**

Mr. Bill Gaines of Gaines and Associates provided an overview of his revised grant application and clarified that his proposed project is in compliance with the requirements of the State Fish and Game Code Section 13103. He acknowledged that his organization is focused on advocacy for various fish and wildlife resources; however, education is a key aspect of his outreach efforts as indicated in item (a) of the code section. His proposed activities consist of meeting regularly with legislators and others involved in Fish & Wildlife decision making, attend meetings and hearings and inform involved and

interested parties on both sides of the issues on matters concerning the future of hunting in California. His organization produces up to date, real time reports on items of importance related to hunting, conducts a hunter's education course for lawmakers that will be coupled with a CA Legislature Outdoor Sporting Caucus Trap Shoot in 2014. Mr. Gaines clarified that the funding request is for \$2,400, not \$2,401 as inadvertently noted in the application.

Commissioner Nelson made a motion to fund the proposal and commissioner Kreyenhagen seconded, motion passed 11 to 2. The commission thanked Mr. Gaines for returning with a revised and amended application, which clarified the proposed project and actual line item expenses.