COUNTY OF VENTURA
AGRICULTURAL POLICY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
MINUTES- JULY 10, 2013

1. 1:01 P.M. – MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL AND ATTENDANCE

   Committee: Scott Deardorff, District 1
               Sanger Hedrick, District 2, Vice Chair
               Bob Pinkerton, District 3, Chairman
               Patty Waters, District 4
               Will Doyle, District 5

   Ex-officio: Henry Gonzales, Agricultural Commissioner
               (non-voting)
               Dr. James Downer, Acting County Director/Farm Advisor (Absent)
               University of California Cooperative Extension

3. Staff/Others Present: Korinne Bell, Rudy Martel, and Luz Villavicencio from the Ventura County Agricultural Commissioner’s Office; Kristina Boero from Ventura County Planning; Jeanette Lombardo from California Women for Agriculture; and Lynn Jensen from the Ventura County Coalition of Labor, Agriculture and Business (COLAB); Others may have been present and did not sign in.

4. COMMENTS BY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

   None

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

   Motion: Approve agenda as shown
   By Deardorff; seconded by Doyle
   Vote: 5-0

6. PUBLIC COMMENTS

   None.

7. CONSENT ITEM

   A. Approve Minutes of May 8, 2013
   Motion: Approve May Minutes as written
   By Hedrick; seconded by Doyle
   Vote: 5-0

8. PRESENTATION

   A. Kristina Boero from Ventura County Planning provided a presentation about Driscoll Strawberries Conditional Use Permit (CUP) time extension.

   At this time, Erik Nagy provided additional information about the Driscoll Strawberries Conditional Use Permit (CUP) time extension.

   Motion: Approve a recommendation of a 20 year extension of their Conditional Use Permit.
   By Deardorff; seconded by Doyle
   Vote: 5-0
9. COMMUNICATIONS

A. APAC Members:

None

Other:

At this time, Chair Bob Pinkerton expressed a desire to have an update on the Grading Standards Ordinance.

B. Staff:

Korinne Bell from the Agricultural Commissioner’s Office provided a brief update about the Piru Bike Trail and the Stryker Paintball project.

The Stryker Paintball project was discussed by the committee and the public.

At this time, it was suggested that an APAC meeting be considered for August due to additional matters that may need to be discussed.

C. Confirm Future Meeting Dates:

   September 11, 2013
   October 9, 2013

10. MEETING ADJOURNMENT

    Adjournment at 2:11 P.M. by Pinkerton.