

Greetings to the candidates:

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**7:00-7:10** Welcome and ground rules (10 min)

**7:10-8:08** Candidates for West Lane County Commissioner position: David William Northey, Fred Starr, Jay Bozievich Jerry Rust, (56 min - total)

1. Opening statements by each candidate (5 minutes each – total 20 min)
2. Responses by each candidate (2 minutes each - 8)
3. Written audience questions. (To be collected and sorted by neighborhood members) (20)
5. Closing statements (2 minutes each - 8)

**8:10-8:56** RRCO & SCCO community conversation

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2. **River Road Park and Recreation District** – Dale Weigant summarizes the problem -- (7 min). Additional information and questions from the audience (5 min). -- (12 min)
3. **Stormwater** – **Becky Riley, Kate Perle** give a summary of the stormwater basin study, what it covers, and what it omits -- (7 min) Clarifying questions (5 min) (12 min total)
4. **Transportation** – **LTD/EmX** – **Jolene Siemsen, Becky Riley** give an update on this issue -- (5 min)
5. **Possible Action item:** A joint committee is commissioned to study these issues (and possibly others) and to return before the end of the year with suggested recommendations as to where our combined energy of River Road and Santa Clara might be collectively applied to improve our communities -- (7 min)

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**9:00 Adjourn**

**River Road Community Organization  
Executive Board Meeting  
April 12, 2010; 6:15 – 6:45 p.m.**

**Agenda**

6:15 **Introductions, Public comment**

6:20 **Approve minutes of March meeting.**

**Validate Stormwater document approved by e-vote**

**May agenda – Take note of items that come up for attention before the May meeting and items to be tended to our our May Board meeting.**

6:25 **Select two of the six new Board members to serve out two 1-year terms.**

Ask Becky and Beth to count the ballots.

Proposed process:

- Each person who desires to serve one of the two 1-year terms, give a one-minute rationale for why he or she should be selected.
  - If there are two candidates, a vote may be taken to accept this slate by acclamation.
  - If there are more than two candidates, each Board member will get a blank sheet of paper to write in the two people for that position.
    - The two top vote getters will serve out those two terms.
  - If there are four or more candidates, the least vote getter would be dropped off and another vote would be taken.

6:35 **Elect two Co-Chairs and a Secretary/Treasurer.**

**Ask for nominations for Co-Chair.** If only two candidates are nominated (and accepts nomination), the Co-Chair slate can be voted by acclamation. If there are three or more nominees, vote will be by secret ballot, similar to the process outlined for selecting Board members for the 1-year terms.

**Ask for nominations for Secretary/Treasurer.** If only one candidate is nominated and accepts nomination, an acclamation vote may be taken. If more than one, a secret ballot will be taken.

**Next steps:**

- **Do we want to put out a newsletter, which would need to be published before June 15?**
  - **Conduct discussion via e-mail?**
  - **What articles to feature and who to write?**
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6:45 **Adjourn**