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From: melody.lane@reagan.com
Sent: Tuesday, February 14, 2023 6:22 PM
To: Kim Dawson; BOS-Clerk of the Board; Lori Parlin; Rafael Martinez; Wendy Thomas
Cc: Donald Ashton; Tiffany Schmid; David A Livingston; Richard Esposito; Noel Stack; Eric Jaramishian; Krysten Kellum; BOS-District V; BOS-District IV; BOS-District I; BOS-District III; BOS-District II
Subject: 2/14/23 BOS Public Comments - Consent Item #15 DOT/Storm Damage

Please ensure the entirety of this correspondence is entered into the public record under Consent #15.

Last week Lori Parlin falsely stated that the DOT/Storm Damage agenda item would be updated today. However, Rafael Martinez and Lori Parlin failed to provide any update whatsoever. By failing to respond to my specific questions (below), Mr. Martinez and Comrade Parlin violated my 1st Amendment rights and thus violated their sacred oaths of office to support and defend the United States Constitution circa 1787, as amended in 1791 with the Bill of Rights to which all public officers are bound by Law. America is “one nation under God.” You all should have taken to heart the EDSO Chaplain’s invocation today prior to the meeting commencing, when she implored the BOS to “**DO THE RIGHT THING.**”

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"The condition of society is the report card of the church." Jackson Senyonga, Uganda Revival

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Sent: Monday, February 13, 2023 5:20 PM

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Subject: RE: Work on Mt. Murphy Rd.

Rafael,

As usual, you are a day late and a dollar short...

Last week I had a pleasant conversation with Matt Veerkamp. Matt gave me far more information in five minutes about the road work than you've provided in the entire past five years!

You still haven't responded properly to PRA#005444-013123, or the six issues delineated in my February 6th email. I will be specifically addressing your gross dereliction of duties tomorrow morning during the BOS, agenda item #15. Be there.

Melody Lane

Founder – Compass2Truth

“Experience hath shewn, that even under the best forms of government those entrusted with power have, in time, and by slow operations, perverted it into tyranny.” ~ Thomas Jefferson ~

From: Rafael Martinez <Rafael.Martinez@edcgov.us>

Sent: Monday, February 13, 2023 3:03 PM

To: melody.lane@reagan.com

Subject: Work on Mt. Murphy Rd.

Melody,

I wanted to inform you that the Department of Transportation and a local contractor will be mobilizing for work on Mt. Murphy Rd. tomorrow, February 14, 2023, and we expect the work to be completed within two weeks.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Rafael Martinez
Director

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