

My purpose today is to address the lack of transparency and accountability of this Board. When it comes to doing the people's business it is apparent you've adopted a 3 monkeys' attitude of "see, hear and say no evil." The Golden Rule used to be the root of American society now replaced by a panel of Keystone Kops.

All the Respectful Workplace and Monkey Surveys won't fix what's really wrong in this county. In fact the BOS openly displays its disdain for open, transparent government. CA Public Record Act requests are routinely treated as a nuisance, if they are even responded to at all. Although this October 12th CPRA pertaining to RMAC was already submitted, it is being entered into the public record again today to ensure it doesn't fall through the cracks.

Pursuant to my rights under Government Code Section 6250 et sequence of the CA Public Records Act another CPRA is being submitted today requesting the following:
(read CPRA)

In regard to the September 29th CPRA it should be noted that Human Resources does NOT have an Oath of Office on file for Vickie Sanders. Additionally Noah Rucker's Oath of Office is invalid. Both Noah and Vickie's dishonesty should be cause for disciplinary action as substantiated by the 8/3/15 RMAC meeting agenda which was audio recorded and witnessed by a retired deputy Sheriff. RMAC meetings have become little more than bully pulpits for the River Mafia thugs.

Last of all, during last week's Consent the issues pertaining to Item #24 and the EDSO MOU were never properly addressed.

Supervisor Veerkamp you also owe the public an explanation for your wink when you tried to divert the issues to Vickie Sanders whose unethical conduct is unacceptable by any standards.

Madam Clerk: Please enter these documents into the public record and note you have 10 days to respond to the CPRA:

1. This transcript
2. 10/12/15 CPRA – RMAC
3. 10/20/15 EDSO/RMAC follow up CPRA
4. 8/3/15 RMAC agenda w/Vickie Sanders



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October 20, 2015

To: El Dorado County Board of Supervisors
EDC Clerk to the Board

CA PUBLIC RECORDS ACT REQUEST


Pursuant to my rights under the California Public Records Act (Government Code Section 6250 et seq.), I ask to obtain the following:

- Documentation substantiating the date Lt. Craig Therkildson retired from EDSO. Please include whether he serves EDSO in any capacity on a part-time or on-call basis.
- Date of Lt. Bryan Golmitz's transfer to South Lake Tahoe, his new job description and current salary.
- Contract between EDC and Steve Peterson for consulting services pertaining to the River Management Plan.
- Comprehensive written response from County Counsel to all 11 inquiries contained in the attached October 9th @ 9:32 AM email pertaining to the INCOMPLETE September 29th CPRA.

If you determine that some but not all of the information is exempt from disclosure and that you intend to withhold it, I ask that you provide a signed notification citing the legal authorities on whom you rely.

To avoid unnecessary costs of duplication, electronic copies are acceptable and may be emailed to melody.lane@reagan.com. It is requested that your determination be made within **10 days** as stipulated within the California Public Records Act, **Government Code 6253(c)**.

Thanks for your anticipated cooperation.


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From: Melody Lane <melody.lane@reagan.com>
Sent: Sunday, October 04, 2015 7:45 PM
To: edc.cob@edcgov.us; Robyn Drivon; brian.veerkamp@edcgov.us;
michael.ranalli@edcgov.us
Cc: larry.combs@edcgov.us; bosfive@edcgov.us; bosone@edcgov.us; bosthree@edcgov.us;
bostwo@edcgov.us; Michael Ranalli
Subject: CPRA submitted 9/29/15
Attachments: 9-29-15 P-R CPRA.pdf

The attached CPRA was submitted to the Clerk of the Board during the 9/29 BOS Open Forum after Chairman Veerkamp shut off the microphone and walked out of the room. His arrogant and unethical actions violated the Brown Act § 54954.3 (a), (b) & (c). Also refer to AB1234 (i.e. ...Just because a course of action is legal, doesn't make it ethical/what one ought to do. What one ought to do is typically tied to a series of values: trustworthiness, compassion, respect, loyalty, responsibility, fairness. See Institute for Local Government Public Service Ethics.)

Please note your response is required within 10 days of the 9/29 submittal as stipulated within the CA Public Records Act Government Code 5253(c).

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September 29, 2015

To: El Dorado County Board of Supervisors
EDC Clerk to the Board

CA PUBLIC RECORDS ACT REQUEST

Pursuant to my rights under the California Public Records Act (Government Code Section 6250 et seq.), I ask to obtain copies of the following:

1. Copies of all *correspondence between Vickie Sanders, consultant Steve Petersen, and EDSO staff relevant to 2015 RMAC meetings and the June 2015 RMAC workshop held at Gold Trail Grange Hall.
2. Copies of all *correspondence between Noah Rucker-Triplett and members of American River Conservancy and RMAC representatives during 2015 to present.
3. Copies of the Oaths of Office signed by Vickie Sanders and Noah Rucker-Triplett.

(*) Such writings and communications to include any handwriting, typing, printing, photocopying, transmitting by facsimile or electronic mail, any form of communication or representation including letters, words, pictures, sounds or symbols, or combination thereof, and any record thereby created, regardless of the manner in which the record has been stored.

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October 8, 2015

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Subject: CA Public Records Act Request Dated September 29, 2015

Dear Ms. Lane,

In response to your CA Public Records Act Request Dated September 29, 2015;

1. *Copies of all "correspondence between Vickie Sanders, consultant Steve Petersen, and EDSO staff relevant to 2015 RMAC meetings and the June 2015 RMAC workshop held at Gold Trail Grange Hall.*
 - The only correspondence between myself, consultant Steve Petersen and EDSO staff relevant to 2015 RMAC meetings and the workshop held at the Gold Trail Grange Hall are in the form of County e-mails. Copies of these e-mails are attached. It is worth noting that 2015 RMAC meetings were cancelled in the months of January, May, June, July and August. Also, the workshop held at the Gold Trail Grange Hall in June 2015 was a community meeting for the River Management Plan update and not a RMAC workshop.
2. *Copies of all "correspondence between Noah Rucker-Triplett and members of American River conservancy and RMAC representatives during 2015 to present.*
 - The only correspondence available between Noah Rucker-Triplett and members of American River Conservancy and RMAC representatives during 2015 to present, are in the form of County e-mails. Copies of these e-mails are attached. *405 emails*

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ATTACHED

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3. *Copies of the Oaths of Office signed by Vickie Sanders and Noah Rucker-Triplett.*

- Human Resources reported there is no Oath of Office on file for myself, but attached is a copy of Noah Rucker-Triplett's signed Oath of Office.

Sincerely,



Vickie Sanders
El Dorado County Parks Manager

Enclosures

cc: County Counsel
Chief Administrative Office

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Melody Lane

From: Melody Lane <melody.lane@reagan.com>
Sent: Friday, October 09, 2015 9:32 AM
To: 'Donna Mullens'; larry.combs@edcgov.us
Cc: Vickie Sanders (vickie.sanders@edcgov.us); edc.cob@edcgov.us;
michael.ranalli@edcgov.us
Subject: RE: CA Public Records Act Request Dated September 29, 2015 - RMAC
Attachments: Vickie Sanders - RMAC.PDF; 8-3-15 V Sanders RMAC Agenda.doc

It appears the fox is guarding the henhouse...

In the interest of government transparency & accountability, explanations are in order regarding Vickie Sander's remarks on the attached INCOMPLETE response to this CPRA.

Please refer specifically to our 8/3/15 meeting agenda. Discussion about the 9/14 agenda was more comprehensive than just about "campgrounds." Vickie also failed to honor her word to forward me the agenda before it was publicly posted. What happened?

Vickie expressed on more than one occasion concerns about her own safety at RMAC meetings. She even remarked about applying for a CCW. The power-play by the RMAC Mafia was the reason Vickie claimed she personally requested EDSO presence at the 9/14/15 RMAC meeting. Note it was separate from my forwarded EDSO request to have Deputy B. Brown attend since he is investigating the bullying, cyber-harassment and hacking of my computer relevant to RMP communications. That specific EDSO-Sanders communication thread was missing from your response.

Furthermore Vickie's remarks are totally contrary to our audio recorded meetings witnessed by a retired deputy Sheriff. The distinct impression is that Vickie collaborated with RMAC to set up and discredit me.

Please provide clarification to the following:

- 1) What reasons did Vickie have to be "worried" about the item, potential issues or adjourning the RMAC meeting? In fact, why did she not intervene when Tim Lasko and Adam Anderson falsely accused me of using profanity or during Nate Rangle's inappropriate interruptions and threats to shut off the audio during my presentation?
- 2) Who requested Roger Trout's presence at the 9/14 RMAC meeting, and why wasn't that correspondence included in the CPRA response?
- 3) Why were Sgt. Murdoch & Lt. Bryan Golmitz apprised of my agenda item, and what relevance do they have to RMAC? (My understanding is Bryan now works in SLT.) Where are the other Peterson & EDSO emails?
- 4) Why would Vickie make such an inappropriate and misleading remark about Deputy B. Brown's presence would "*help keep Melody calm*"...????
- 5) The agenda item was about code/law enforcement. Why wasn't EDSO RMAC rep Lt. Tim Becker present as required under the RMP, and who is his replacement?
- 6) Cancelling most of the 2015 public RMAC meetings was unprecedented. What was the rationale and who authorized the cancellations?
- 7) There was only 1 piece of correspondence between Vickie and EDSO, however our conversations indicate there were more. Why weren't they included in your response???

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- 8) Why weren't any communications between Vickie Sanders and Steve Peterson included in this CPRA request? It should go without saying that his consulting contract would be included as correspondence.
- 9) Why does HR not have a signed Oath of Office on record for Vickie Sanders?
- 10) Why is there no validating witness signature on Noah's Oath of Office?
- 11) Why was the original 9/29/15 CPRA included in Noah's correspondence containing 405 pages?

Thanks for your anticipated prompt response.

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From: Donna Mullens [<mailto:donna.mullens@edcgov.us>]
Sent: Thursday, October 08, 2015 2:13 PM
Cc: Vickie Sanders
Subject: Fwd: CA Public Records Act Request Dated September 29, 2015

Ms. Lane - The Oath of Office for Noah Rucker-Triplett was inadvertently left off of the previous e-mail. Attached is the electronic copy of that document.

Donna

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Donna Mullens <donna.mullens@edcgov.us>
Date: Thu, Oct 8, 2015 at 1:48 PM
Subject: CA Public Records Act Request Dated September 29, 2015
To:
Cc: Vickie Sanders <vickie.sanders@edcgov.us>, Paula Frantz <paula.frantz@edcgov.us>, Michael J Ciccozzi <Michael.Ciccozzi@edcgov.us>

Ms. Lane - Attached you will find an electronic copy of Vickie Sander's response letter to your Public Records Act Request dated September 29, 2015 and the electronic files of the information you requested. A "hard copy" of the response letter will be sent to you via USPS.

Donna

Donna Mullens
Department Analyst II

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October 12, 2015

To: EDC Clerk to the Board
EDC CAO Larry Combs

CA PUBLIC RECORDS ACT REQUEST

Pursuant to my rights under the California Public Records Act (Government Code Section 6250 et seq.), I ask to obtain the following:

- It is our understanding that Lt. Tim Becker was removed as the EDSO representative to the River Management Advisory Committee (RMAC). Please provide the date Lt. Becker was replaced and the identity of the current EDSO representative(s) to RMAC.
- The subject matter of the 9/14/15 RMAC agenda items required EDSO representation. Please provide documentation substantiating the reason(s) for the absence of an EDSO representative at the 9/14/15 RMAC meeting as required under the River management Plan.
- Copies of the RMAC applications on file with the County Clerk of representatives: Adam Anderson, Faith Cushman, Keith Gershon, Tim Lasko, Nate Rangel and Marilyn Tahl.
- Copy of the signed and witnessed Oath of Office of DSD Director Roger Trout.
- Copy of the certificate substantiating Supervisor Mike Ranalli completed mandatory Ethics Training for Public Officials as required by AB1234.

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8/3/15 RMAC Meeting

Parks & Recreation – Vickie Sanders

I. Personnel Issues

- A. Noah Rucker
- B. RMAC minutes/Brown Act violations/Audio recordings
- C. Conspiracy/harassment/discrimination
- D. Remedial action

II. Next RMAC Meeting

- A. Rescheduled Date?
- B. May 2010 Brown Act – Ciccozzi/Briggs/Mtn. Demo
- C. Wording of agenda > Bullying
- D. EDSO

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The October 6th unanimous Board of Supervisors approval to move forward with the Casino Tribe's encroachment permit, item #15-1008, was just another example of the numerous actions displaying the lack of representation for the taxpayers of El Dorado County in which this Board was elected to serve.

The Casino tribe's track record on recent land use has been egregious.

When the public mentioned that once the County issues an encroachment permit to the Casino Tribe the County will have lost their right to stop any other project going onto this land. Mr. Trout countered to that statement that if their encroachment goes "sideways" that the County has the power to revoke their encroachment permit. Did the Tribe acquire an encroachment permit for the motor cross course across the street? If the County did issue them an encroachment permit for the motor cross and gun range property why has the County not evoked that permit given that their projects have gone "sideways" on that property?

Your decision to move forward with the study to give the Tribe an encroachment permit for a gas station and what will also lead to hotels, fast food, strip mall and other unknown and unregulated projects by the County was based on misinformation provided by the CAO, County Council and the Casino Tribe themselves. Not one of you questioned that information nor did one of you stand up to defend the residents that are being surrounded, intimidated and terrorized by the Tribes actions.

The CAO took a role of a lawyer in stating the law and lack of rights we the citizens of El Dorado County have at our disposal to stop this project. Is our CAO a lawyer? It was apparent that he lacked the knowledge of history associated with this project. After issuing a memo of what he determined to be the rights of the Casino Tribe, he mentioned that we should be "good neighbors".

Rather than staff contacting the Federal Government, BIA or the EPA to determine the rights afforded to the Board of Supervisors to deny or approve an encroachment permit, they made their decision based on the words of the CAO, County Council and private meetings with the Casino Tribe. Where was the defending of those surrounding this project in which this Board is behold to serve?

In recent history the land in need of this encroachment permit was put into Federal Trust based on the need for 6 houses and a health clinic. In the Casino Tribe's own words they stated this need would be compatible with the existing land use and surrounding community of Shingle Springs. By stating that the future use would be a low impact they avoided the need to do a NEPA (Federal) study prior to having the land moved into trust.

Where was the charge of deceit and true intent presented to the Casino Tribe by our Board? The County knows that the Casino Tribe is working to buy up more land to put into trust. Where was the condition spoken that since the Tribe refuses to be truthful and upfront with their intentions, we the County will not work with them until THEY decide to be good neighbors?

The Casino Tribe should have been turned into the Federal Government for deceiving their use of that land and required to perform a NEPA study in order to retain their trust status.

Rather than simply denying the Tribe's request for an encroachment permit based on being connected to an egregious and unclear project, you allowed their future project to move forward therefore once again not protecting the public that you swore to represent.

Sue Taylor