



CITY OF SANTA BARBARA CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

**SPECIAL MEETING
AUGUST 6, 2003
CITY HALL, 735 ANACAPA STREET, ROOM 15**

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Marty Blum called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

ROLL CALL

Councilmembers present: H. P. Fairly, Iya G. Falcone, Babatunde Fodayemi, Roger L. Horton, Dan B. Secord, Mayor Blum.

Councilmembers absent: Gregg A. Hart.

Staff present: City Administrator/Clerk James L. Armstrong, City Attorney Daniel J. Wallace, Deputy City Clerk Brenda Alcazar.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL

1. SUBJECT: SPECIAL MEETING WITH CONGRESSWOMAN LOIS CAPPS (150.01)

RECOMMENDATION: That Council meet with the Honorable Lois Capps, Member of the House of Representatives, representing the 23rd District, to review and discuss the status of City activities and projects that involve the Federal Government and to hear from Congresswoman Capps about upcoming Congressional activities of interest to the Santa Barbara community.

DOCUMENTS:

August 6, 2003, City Administrator's report.

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SPEAKERS:

- Staff: City Special Projects Manager Don Olson, City Administrator James L. Armstrong.
- Members of the Public: Congresswoman Lois Capps, Senior Legislative Assistant Jeremy Tittle; Santa Barbara Housing Authority Executive Director Robert Pearson.

DISCUSSION:

Mayor Marty Blum and Councilmember Falcone stated the purpose of the meeting. Each Councilmember reviewed and discussed the importance and current status of various City projects and activities that involve federal agencies.

Congresswoman Lois Capps discussed how all issues and projects for the region are weighed, prioritized and balanced. She provided the Council with a legislative update on various bills, and discussed legislation that she has introduced and amendments currently in progress.

The Patriot Act, funding for bikeways, and the Section 8 Housing program were also discussed.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Blum adjourned the meeting at 10:06 a.m.

SANTA BARBARA CITY COUNCIL

MABI COVARRUBIAS PLISKY, CMC
CITY CLERK SERVICES MANAGER

MARTY BLUM
MAYOR

ATTEST: _____
BRENDA ALCAZAR
DEPUTY CITY CLERK