Me

To Hews Media Group-Community News



Hi Brian,

It's been a while since we last met. I hope all is well with you. I read your article and felt obliged to clarify a few things from my vantage point. I was in attendance of the said meeting. As far as I can tell there was no ill intention there. I feel a public project with such magnitude needs a lot of input from the public. Attached is a letter with my perspectives about this issue. I hope it can help resolve some misunderstandings or hard feelings.

Best regards, Benjamin

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You are the only person who said that, Johnson and Kauble told us it was nasty Brian Hews-Publisher-HMG-CN 562.407-3873

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To lyndapjohnson@yahoo.com, Matt Kauble

CC HMG-CN Sales Dept.

Hi Matt and Lynda,

I don't mean to put you on the spot but Brian was not at the meeting last Wed while the three of us were. I told Brian this afternoon what I saw happened at the meeting, but Brian said you two told him a different story. Can you please take a look at what I wrote and tell me which part of it is not true? I honestly did not see or hear anything that was "nasty". Perhaps you saw something I didn't see, if what Brian said is true? I'd appreciate it if you could clarify this for me. Thanks.

Regards, Benjamin

Matt Kauble Jul 10

To Me, lyndapjohnson@yahoo.com

CC Carol Chen, Soo Yoo

I never talked with Brian Hews and I never said anything about the meeting being nasty. I told Jerry Bernstein that the meeting was a focus group of industry professionals and community leaders, when Jerry asked.

-Matt Kauble

Lynda Johnson Jul 10

To Matt Kauble, Me CC Carol Chen, Soo Yoo

I was asked by Randy yesterday if the meeting was to organize a plan to derail the bond. I told him ABSOLUTELY No! I also told him it was a very peaceful meeting with great community input from professionals. I told him that at around noon yesterday and then his article came out later in the evening and said "the meeting was held to craft a strategy to defeat the Master Plan".

Lynda Johnson Board of Education, Vice President ABC Unified School District

Me Jul 10

To Lynda Johnson, Matt Kauble

CC Carol Chen, Soo Yoo

Dear Lynda and Matt,

Thank you both for the clarification. Now I know what we are dealing with, it's time to hit the Spam button. You know what I mean. Thank you again and God bless.

Best regards, Benjamin