

**MINUTES**  
**CITY COUNCIL CITIZEN'S FORUM**  
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF YUMA, ARIZONA  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS - YUMA CITY HALL  
ONE CITY PLAZA, YUMA, ARIZONA  
**December 6, 2016**  
**5:30 p.m.**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**Mayor Nicholls** called the City Council Citizen's Forum to order at 5:33 p.m.

Councilmembers Present: Thomas, Knight, Craft, Miller, Wright, and Mayor Nicholls  
Councilmembers Absent: Shelton  
Staffmembers Present: City Administrator, Gregory K. Wilkinson  
Director of Public Works, Joel Olea  
Various department heads or their representatives  
City Attorney, Steven W. Moore  
City Clerk, Lynda Bushong

**I. ROADWAY CONDITIONS**

**Kerry Jones**, 1913 S. Parkway Drive, addressed City Council regarding the condition of the road in his neighborhood, the Vista Del Valle subdivision. He explained that in 2007 the stormwater system in the area was renovated and the large trucks and equipment used during the construction caused damage to the road. A significant portion of Parkway Drive was repaved, but the cul-de-sac on the west end of the street was not repaved and is in much worse condition than the surrounding roads. Jones stated that roads in the nearby area, which are in much better condition are currently being slurry sealed. He expressed concern as to why money is not being spent on the roads that are more in need.

**Mayor Nicholls** noted that there are many well-traveled roads in the City that are in the same condition or worse, making it difficult to prioritize which roads will be addressed first. **Olea** stated that the area Jones is referring to is scheduled to be taken care of in the spring of 2017.

**II. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

**Motion** (Knight/Thomas): To adjourn the meeting into Executive Session. Voice vote: **approved** 6-0. The meeting adjourned at 5:41 p.m.

APPROVED:

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Lynda L. Bushong, City Clerk

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Douglas J. Nicholls, Mayor