

# BAB Meeting Minutes

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Blasting Advisory Board

Meeting Type: Monthly

Date: 02/27/2019

Time: 6:30 pm

Location: Town Hall, Room 106

Liaison: Clarisell De Cardenas

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1) Call to Order @ **6:49pm**

2) Roll Call (P= Present & X= Absent)

<b>P</b>	David Bennett, Chair
<b>X</b>	Marcos Gutierrez, Vice-Chair
<b>P</b>	Jesus Mendoza, Secretary
<b>P</b>	Claudia Luces
<b>P</b>	Juan Carlos Rivero
<b>X</b>	Anselmo Gil

<b>P</b>	Mary Benaiges
<b>P</b>	Dr. Herman Vega
<b>X</b>	Yulet Miguel
<b>X</b>	Phillip Ortiz
<b>P</b>	Lori Iglesias
<b>P</b>	Miguel Martinez

3) Adoption of Minutes: **Adopted**

4) Public Comments:

**Alex Soriano, Angelo Cuadra Garcia, Fernando Figueredo, William Sarabia, Julia**

**Pantaleon, Esther Colon, Tirso Martinez, Angel Luis Vasquez.**

5) New Business:

- a. Legislative Recommendations to Town Council

6) Motions:

- **Need to place mining monitoring devices in multiple sites.** By Dr. David Bennett and seconded by Mary Benaiges- Motion passed.
- **To reduce the legal limit of energy waves created by blasting to 7in/sec.** By Miguel Martinez and seconded by Dr. David Bennett- Motion passed.
- **To transfer the authority from the State Fire Marshall's office to the local municipalities within the 5 areas of the state.** By Dr. Herman Vega and seconded by Miguel Martinez- Motion passed.

- **To make a recommendation to the state to extend the statutes of limitation to 36 months.** By Claudia Luces and seconded by Dr. David Bennett- Motion passed.
- **To expand the insurance coverage to include coverage for damages caused by blasting vibrations.** By Dr. Herman Vega and seconded by Juan Carlos Rivero- Motion passed.

7) Announcements

**Next meeting March 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm**

8) Adjournment @ **9:29pm**