

**LWV AC Observer Corps Reporting Form**

**Meeting Attended:** BOCC

Date of meeting: 3/4/14 Observer Bev Warburton

<b>Attach agenda</b> see attached			
Feature Evaluated	Yes	No	Comments
Type of meeting --circle			regular Public Hearing Exec Session Work Session
Did meeting start on time?	x		
Were all members present?	x		
Were members attentive?	x		All are on ipads now. In new abode, a screen will let everyone see the same
Media coverage?	x		Pagosa Sun and Pagosa Daily Post
Staff present?	x		Annette DeGraaf
<b>Administrator</b> Finance <b>Legal Council</b> Others— June Madrid—County Clerk*	x		Public Works as presenter for Planning Dept. A planner was hired and has left already.  *Do you know the County Clerk (or deputy) must record all BOCC meetings per statute?
Audience #? Special interests?			8 or so—including Sheriff, Mark Weiler, Glenn Walsh, press, several others
Did the members appear to have done their homework?	x		
Were members courteous to each other and the public?	x		
Were the Sunshine Law requirements followed?	x		
--agenda sent/posted 24 hours before?	x		
--agenda items clearly described what was to be discussed?	x		The pdf files are attached to the agenda on line.
-adequate opportunity for public input?	x		Glenn Walsh only public commenter re requesting sales tax cooperation for rec center and such projects as Town-Lake trail
-was there the appearance that some action items were discussed in closed rather than in open session?	x		The BOCC has open “work sessions” for info on topics coming to general meeting. This AM they had an executive session noticed properly
Was background information available to public?	x		On pdf BOCC site
Facilities: big enough? Well lit? Could see officials? Could hear?	x		New facility coming along with screens for the audience

Decisions: "cut & dried"?	x		15 minute meeting
Other observations:	x		Observing work session would be more informative than regular meetings
Any LWV positions relevant to issues discussed?		x	