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 Monday, March 18, at 3:00 p.m.  
 Yucca Mesa Community Center

## Our New Third District Field Rep to Attend March 18 HVCC Meeting

Donna Muñoz, well-known to many Homestead Valley residents from her days as a Field Representative for Supervisors Turocci and Riordan, has been selected by Supervisor James Ramos to serve us again in that capacity.

She is scheduled to attend the HVCC meeting in Yucca Mesa on March 18, to listen to any issues you may want her relay to Ramos.



Donna and her husband Art have lived in the Morongo Basin for many years, and she is one of the more active and involved citizens we know in our district.

She has been Assistant Assessor, was instrumental in establishing the Morongo Basin Transit Authority and sat on that board for 7 years.

She is a Heart of Yucca Valley, sits on the Morongo Basin Ambulance Board, and is in her fourth term on the School Board.

She says, "I truly enjoy being the field rep because I love this Basin and the people in it. I get a kick out of all the activities and I could write a book about my experiences. I am looking forward to working with Supervisor Ramos and my number one goal is to bring the people of the basin to James and James to the people."

Meet Donna Muñoz

**Monday, March 18, at 3:00 p.m., Yucca Mesa Community Center**  
 3133 Balsa Ave., just off Aberdeen Rd.

**Coming soon! JOIN THE FUN ON THE HVCC**

♦ ♠ **POKER RUN** ♣ ♥  
**SATURDAY MAY 18**

A great day of fun in the desert! Meet neighbors and County officials! More details to come, stay tuned.

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## The HVCC Checklist of Rural Issues to Present to Supervisor James Ramos

Several ongoing problems affect us all in the Homestead Valley communities. The HVCC will be updating our new Field Representative about them. Among them are:

- ✓ The unwritten regulation denying property owners using hauled water the right to build on their land.
- ✓ The rapid growth of renewable energy projects in the Third District. *The recent pushback against the construction of wind turbines on Flat Top Mesa and Black Lava Butte above Pioneertown Road was successful, but more and more threats to the desert are looming.*
- ✓ Designation of Hwy 247 as a State Scenic Highway.
- ✓ CA AB 811 low-cost energy loans.
- ✓ The economic threat posed by the planned expansion of the Marine Base into Johnson Valley.
- ✓ Disposal of tires and trash dumped in the desert.

