

GREATER NORTH PARK COMMUNITY PLANNING COMMITTEE
PUBLIC FACILITIES, TRANSPORTATION, PARKS, AND PUBLIC ART
SUBCOMMITTEE

MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, March 7, 2007, 6:30 p.m., Baton Rouge Room, Lafayette Hotel,
2223 El Cajon Blvd, San Diego, CA 92104

Called to order: 6:35 p.m.

Attendance: René Vidales (Co-Chair), Sal Aréchiga (Co-Chair), Vicki Granowitz (Member), Rob Steppke (Member).

Approve Minutes. Motion: Approve Minutes from February 7, 2007 meeting. Granowitz/Vidales 4-0-0.

Approve Agenda. **Motion: To approve Agenda with the following addition to New Business items: Request for Traffic Calming along the 2500-2900 blocks of Boundary Street, Steppke/Vidales 4-0-0.**

Non-Agenda Public Comments: None

Old Business:

- A. Future GNPCPC Website. Rob is going to provide Elaine with a version of a mission statement using the GNPCPC brochure, in order to be incorporated into the website. Sal suggested to assign deadlines to the web master. Vicki suggested to move this item to the Policy/Housing/Community Relations Subcommittee. **Motion: To move the Future GNPCPC Website item from the PF/T/P/PA Subcommittee to the Policy/Housing/Community Relations Subcommittee to maintain the focus of this subcommittee. Vidales/Granowitz 4-0-0.**
- B. Signing & Striping for La Bohème. René received an update from the City Development Services Department, in which the first step is temporary re-striping of 30th Street, Ohio Street, and Lincoln Avenue. The second step is to be performed when the weather gets warmer, which consists of the re-striping being removed, a new surface coat being applied to the streets, and permanent striping put in place. The first step was scheduled for February 28th, but due to rain, the temporary re-striping was re-scheduled for March 5th. René reported that both Ohio and Lincoln were re-striped, but 30th Street remains to be re-striped. René contacted Development Services for a follow up on 30th Street, and he is waiting for a response.
- C. Request for a Stop Sign at the intersection of Gregory and Thorn Streets. René contacted the City and forwarded the information provided by the constituent, and the constituent was informed of this action.
- D. Request for 15-minute parking instead of red curb, on east side of 32nd Street, north of University Avenue. René forwarded the request to the City. The City described the correct process to follow, in which the property owner needs to be

involved. René forwarded the information to the constituent, and Sal followed up with a phone call.

- E. Jacaranda and Pershing Drive intersection. Vicki provided and Sal presented a copy of the corrected minutes from the GNPCPC meeting from September 20, 2005, in which a motion was passed to approve a letter to support the grant for this intersection. In addition, a proposed schedule and funding chart for the Pershing and Upas corridor was presented, in which in May or June of this year, a public relations consultant will be selected.
- F. Request for a Stop Sign on 30th Street at Laurel Street. René reiterated that District 3 informed him that a request has been forwarded to Traffic Engineering for an evaluation of the intersection.
- G. Display of Paper Signs within the windows of the Walgreen's Store along University Avenue. Vicki talked to Liz Studebaker of North Park Main Street (NPMS), and they agreed to talk to the Manager of Walgreens, and that the Design Committee of NPMS would also look into this item.
- H. General Plan Update. Sal presented hard copies of the following items from the General Plan Update:
 - Public Facilities, Services and Safety Element
 - Mobility ElementVicki covered the Park and Recreation Facilities Element, and gave a brief description of what the term "equivalencies" mean.

New Business:

- A. Subcommittee Goals for the coming year. The Subcommittee will monitor the following items:
 - University Avenue Mobility Plan
 - The Sidewalk Study for North Park, Golden Hill and City Heights
 - Jacaranda and Pershing Drive GrantIn addition, the following goals were also mentioned:
 - Strengthen relationships with the City
 - Continue working with District 3 on requests from constituents for traffic control/calming devices.
- B. Request for Traffic Calming along the 2500-2900 blocks of Boundary Street. René received from Vicki a request received from District 3, which includes a RouteSlip, where the constituent is looking for a solution to slow down traffic, without being specific about an intersection.

Next Meeting is April 4 at 6:30 p.m.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned 7:59 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
René Vidales (Co-Chair) and Sal Aréchiga (Co-Chair)