

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

**MEETING MINUTES**

Thursday, June 5, 2008, 6:30 p.m., North Park Main Street office  
3076 University Avenue, San Diego, CA 92104

Called to order: 6:33 p.m.

**Attendance:** Sal Aréchiga (Co-Chair), René Vidales (Co-Chair), Elizabeth Studebaker (Board Member)

Also in attendance: Jay Porter, T.M. "Mike" Holmes

**Approve Agenda. Motion:** Approve agenda. **Vidales/Studebaker 3-0-0**

**Chair's Comments.** René obtained a copy of the East Mesa Precise Plan for Balboa Park from both Marlon Pangilinan and from the Parks and Recreation Department to be used as a reference for future projects that affect the areas in NPPC bordering the park.

**Approve Minutes. Motion:** **Vidales/Aréchiga 2-0-1** (Studebaker abstained)

**Announcement:** René Vidales stated that starting on June 6<sup>th</sup> he will begin to work for the County of San Diego Department of Public Works.

**Non-Agenda Public Comments:** Mike Holmes would like to bring as a future agenda item the following items:

- A. Request for a 4-way stop sign at the intersection of Florida and Cypress
- B. Extension of alley from Cypress to Robinson for the alley located between Florida and Alabama
- C. Request for additional "No Parking" and "15 mph Speed Limit" signs on alley located between Florida and Alabama and between Cypress and Myrtle

**Information Items:**

- A. San Diego Pedestrian Master Plan – Phase 2 & 3: René stated that this item will be coming to the full board, and it is a continuation of the effort that was started in early 2006.

**Old Business:** None.

**New Business:**

**Request painting curb at 30<sup>th</sup> Street and North Park Way for commercial loading zone (yellow curb).** *This change would eliminate two existing parking spaces and re-establish commercial loading zone for area businesses. Jay Porter*

The area discussed is located on the south side of North Park Way, just west of 30<sup>th</sup> street. Mr. Porter presented his case by providing photographs of the sidewalk for the restaurant, where there is a curb cut that was apparently utilized for loading and unloading in the past. The curb cut is presently painted red and there is angle parking, but the red curb is not enforced. Mr. Porter also stated that currently there is a safety issue that arises from loading trucks temporarily parked in the street interrupting ongoing traffic. After further discussion, it was agreed that René will contact the

City to make a request and to find out the process to reclaim the loading zone at this location.

**Liaison Reports:** No update

**Unfinished, New Business & Future Agenda Items:**

None

**Next Meeting tentative date is Thursday, July 3, at 6:30 p.m.**

**Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned 7:15 p.m.

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