

**PUBLIC NOTICE
AGENDA**

**CITY OF SAN DIEGO PARK AND RECREATION BOARD
BALBOA PARK COMMITTEE MEETING
Thursday January 5, 2023
6:00 p.m.**

***** ONLINE MEETING *****


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Committee Members: If you are unable to attend this committee meeting, please contact Johnny Chou at (619) 235-1106 or jchou@sandiego.gov.

CALL TO ORDER

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – December 8, 2022

REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCES

NON- AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENTS – This portion of the agenda provides an opportunity for members of the public to address the Committee on items of interest within the jurisdiction of the Committee. (Comments relating to items on today’s Agenda are to be taken at the time the item is heard.)

(Time allotted to each speaker is determined by the Chair; however, comments are limited to no more than three (3) minutes **total per subject** regardless of the number of those wishing to speak. Submit requests to speak to the City staff **prior** to the start of the meeting. Pursuant to the Brown Act, no discussion or action, other than a referral, shall be taken by the Committee on any issue brought forth under “Non-Agenda Public Comment.”)

REQUEST FOR ITEMS TO BE PLACED ON CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair may entertain a motion by any Board Member to approve any agenda item as consent when no speaker slips have been submitted in favor or in opposition to the item. Items approved on consent are approved in accordance with staff’s recommendation as reflected on the agenda and described in the Staff Report to the Balboa Park Committee, unless otherwise noted in the motion.

CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT – Molly Chase

STAFF REPORT

- City Council Third District – Codi Vierra
- Sergeant SDPD Balboa Park – Tyler Hamby
- Assistant Deputy Director – Christina Chadwick
- Balboa Park District Manager – Johnny Chou
- Balboa Park Operations District Manager – Victor Nava

BALBOA PARK NON-PROFIT PARTNER UPDATES (Time allotted to each speaker is determined by the Chair; however, comments are limited to no more than three (3) minutes)

- Forever Balboa Park– Elizabeth Babcock
- Balboa Park Cultural Partnership – Peter Comiskey
- Committee of 100 – Ross Porter
- Save Starlight – Steve Stopper

ACTION ITEMS

Consent (These items are adopted without discussion; they can be moved to adoption by any committee member.)

101. Balboa Drive Redesign

Presenters: Phil Trom, Program Manager, and Claudia Brizuela, Senior Traffic Engineer, Sustainability and Mobility Department, City of San Diego.

Adoption (Each adoption item requires individual action; they can be moved to consent by action of the committee.)

201. None

Special Events (Special Events that require road or plaza closures or will potentially impact park and/or institution operation, are brought to the Committee for a formal recommendation. They can be moved to consent by action of the committee.)

301. Vegan Food Popup-San Diego EarthFest.

Presenter: Michelle May, Event Organizer is requesting the use of Park Boulevard and Presidents Way Lawn for a eco-friendly food fair featuring a line-up of diverse vendors and non-profit groups from San Diego, Orange County and Los Angeles. Set up, event date and clean-up will be all on the same day. Set up begins at 10am-12pm, event time is 12pm-4pm, and clean-up is 4-5pm.

Staff Recommendation: To approve the request for San Diego EarthFest to host their one-time event.

302. San Diego Nice Guys-Nice Guys Xmas Event.

Presenter: David Walters, President of San Diego Nice Guys is requesting the use the Lower Inspiration Point Parking Lot for a Holiday Festival for 750 families with estimated attendance at 2500. The families will receive food and be treated to entertainment and gifts provided by the Nice Guys. This is an invitation only event. Set-up will begin on December 8, 2023, at 8am-6pm. The event date will be Saturday, December 9, 2023, from 7am-3pm and the break-down will occur on the same day as the event from 3pm-6pm.

Staff Recommendation: To approve the request for San Diego Nice Guys to host their one-time event.

WORKSHOP ITEMS (No action taken; subject discussed by the committee and staff.)

401. None

INFORMATION ITEMS

501. Bicycle and Shared Mobility Parking Expansion Locations

Presenter: Ahmad Erikat, Program Coordinator, Sustainability and Mobility Department, City of San Diego.

SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS – None

COMMITTEE MEMBERS REPORTS – None

ADJOURNMENT

Notice of Next Balboa Park Meeting: Thursday, February 2, 2023
6:00 P.M.
Balboa Park Club
2150 Pan American Road West
San Diego, CA 92101

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Balboa Park Administration Building
2125 Park Blvd.

San Diego, CA 92101

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