

Old Town San Diego  
Community Planning Group

Thurston Coe, Chairperson  
2836 Juan Street  
San Diego, California, 92110

January 9, 2013

**MINUTES v.2 FINAL**

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**Whaley House Courtroom this meeting to order at 3:00 pm  
Diane Lowery Moved and Geoffrey Mogilner seconded**

- **Members Present:** Chuck Ambers; Thurston Coe; Bruce Coons; Ann Dahlkamp; Marie Pedrin-Gizoni; Diane Lowery; Geoffrey Mogilner; Lorna Rice; Richard Stegner; David Swarens; David Thornton; Fred Schwartz
- **Members Absent:** Patricia Fillet; Fred Grand; Bruce Johnson;
- **Guests:** Tait Galloway - City of San Diego PSP 533-4550 [tgalloway@sandiego.gov](mailto:tgalloway@sandiego.gov)  
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**Non-Agenda Public Comments: None**

**Modifications: None**

**Treasurer's report: Balance from November is \$197.93 + \$19.55 = \$217.48 - this is the beginning balance for December, 2012 and remains the same for January, 2013.**

**Action Items:**

- 4. Approval of December Meeting Minutes**
- 5. Approval of Treasurer's report**
- 6a. The La Qunita Hotel repainting project**

**Comments to action items:**

- 4. December Meeting Minutes Approved**

**Richard Stegner motioned and Marie Pedrin-Gizoni seconded: 7 Yes, 6 Absent, 2 Abstain**

- 5. Treasurer's Report Approved**

**Richard Stegner motioned and Diane Lowery seconded: 9 Yes, 6 Absent**

**6a. Kaizad Najmi representing La Quinta informs name change from La Quinta Hotel to La Quinta Inn & Suites; Debi Palumbo discusses the process of repainting with historic palate and *propose to* add stonework, the new signage will be channel lit. The OTCPG advised not to change design standards - once you change, you own the change. The OTCPG accepts the color portion of presentation, only.**

**Bruce Coons motioned and David Thornton seconded: 9 votes yes, 5 absent, 1 abstain**

**Information Items:**

**David Hicks and Leslie Blanda from SANDAG share that the Environmental document *proposal* soon to be released in early 2013 on issues of: Parking & Grade Crossing, Federal Transit Administration, 7.5 Mile of Blue Line, Sustainable Community Strategy; Copy of Resolution of December, 2012.**

**Committee Updates:**

**None**

**Announcements:**

**None**

Meeting adjourned at 4:30pm.

Notes taken by Geoffrey Mogilner and typed/submitted by, Patricia Fillet