



LINDA VISTA PLANNING GROUP

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Minutes of the July 25, 2011 Meeting

Meeting opened at 5:40pm by Drew Corely, presiding as Vice-Chair. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Margaret Lopez.

Members present: Melinda Appling, Doug Beckham, Jo-Ann Carini, Gail Cole, Drew Corley, Polly Dong, Grace Lee, Margaret Lopez, Ester McNulty, Kathleen Morgen, Dorothy Perez, Jeff Perwin, Tisha Rocha, Kim Shannon, and Ron Tomcek. (15) (Arrivals: 5:50 Polly Dong)

Members absent: Tom Cleary, Sandy Duncan and Dixie Wilson. (3)

15 members present. 10 visitors present. Total in attendance: 25

Motion by Doug Beckham to approve the July agenda, seconded by Melinda Appling. Vote: 13-0 (Polly Dong not present for vote). July agenda approved.

Motion by Doug Beckham to approve June meeting minutes, seconded by Dorothy Perez. Vote: 13-0 (Polly Dong not present for vote). June minutes approved.

Agencies present at meeting:

- Congress: Katherine Fortner provided copies of the *Davis Dispatch* and update on recent community events. Congresswoman Davis is currently accepting intern applications for the fall.
- City Redevelopment Agency: Eliana Barreiros reported all new projects are on hold. The Linda Vista redevelopment area will be responsible for paying approximately \$47,000 to the state for its share to continue redevelopment work. Morley Field project continues, concept designs approved by LVPG in June will now be used to solicit bids on the project.

At 5:50pm Polly Dong joined the meeting.

Public comment

- Rick Bussell said he made a statement at the most recent Redistricting Commission meeting to let them know that the community worked very hard to clean up Linda Vista from gangs and he is very concerned that splitting us into three council districts could adversely affect the future safety of the Linda Vista Community.
- Melinda Appling announced a Family Reunion fundraiser on 8/13/11 at 11am-7pm to benefit the Recreation Center. Booths available for \$25. Info booths available at no charge.
- Rob Spahitz thanked the members of LVPG for the rose bushes sent to him during his recovery from surgery.
- Janet Kaye suggested everyone call 619.533.3060 to give our opinion about the proposed redistricting plan in Linda Vista in a 3-way split. The more vocal we are, the more impact we may have on the final vote.

Chairman's Report

- No report

Information Items –

Information Item 1: Doug Beckham reported on the concept of making Morley St. and Hyatt St. one way, respectively. It was suggested that LVPG request a traffic study. Doug advised that there is a subcommittee working on it. He will give a report at the August meeting as to their progress.

Action Items –

Action Item 1: Discussion regarding City Redistricting Commission draft maps showing the census track split. Concerns were raised that the split could adversely affect funding. It was suggested that we get a subcommittee together to attend the last 4 meetings in force. Melinda Appling offered to assist on a limited basis.

Next Redistricting Community Meetings:

- 7/26 – 6pm, Logan Heights Branch Library 567 S 28th St. San Diego
- 7/28 – 6pm Thurgood Marshall Middle School 9700 Ave of Nations San Diego
- 7/30 – 6pm Balboa Palisade 2130 Pan American Rd. San Diego
- 8/1 – 6pm UTC Town Center 4545 La Jolla Village Dr. San Diego
- 8/3 – 6pm Joan Kroc Center 6845 University Ave. San Diego

Committee Reports –

- Code Compliance (Jo-Ann Carini): Councilwoman Zapf is working on allocating funds for Linda Vista, currently there is minimal funding budgeted. Leslie Diamond is a new Code Compliance representative and can be reached at 619.236.6886.
- CPC (Drew Corley): Kelly Broughton spoke regarding San Diego Association of Governments (Sandag) smart growth area map.
- MAD (Ron Tomcek): City representative is working to resolve concerns regarding their landscape maintenance contracts.

Treasurer activity:

Previous Balance: \$339.20

Collected 7/25/11: \$15.84

New Balance as of 7/25/11: \$355.04

Motion made by Doug Beckham to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Margaret Lopez, meeting adjourned 7pm.

Respectfully submitted by Kim Shannon, LVPG Secretary