

LPNA GENERAL MEETING

Santa Teresa Branch Library—Thursday, November 15, 2018

290 International Circle, San Jose, CA

Board Members Attending: Greg Peck—President, Karen Lattin—Vice President, Amy Georgiades—Secretary, Barbara Canup—Treasurer, Alan Chan—Member-at-large, Alan Chan—Member-at-large; Herb Bowen (excused)

Attendance: Total Attendance was 9 LPNA members (4 Board members noted above) for a total of 13.

A. Call to Order at 7:06 pm

B. LPNA Business

- a. Election of LPNA Board for calendar 2019 year
 - i. Greg Peck—President
 - ii. Karen Lattin—Vice President
 - iii. Amy Georgiades—Secretary
 - iv. Barbara Canup—Treasurer
 - v. Herb Bowen—Member-at-large
 - vi. Alan Chan--- Member-at-large

No contested positions; unanimous vote elected board to continue for next year.

- b. BeautifySJ Grant: we were awarded the grant for next year and will work to continue improving our Los Paseos neighborhood.

C. Updates

- a. SJPD Update-- Christina Anaya
 - i. During past 90 days only four incidences have occurred in our neighborhood. Increase in burglaries, car jacking's, homelessness and blight are the issues of concern overall in San Jose (not in Los Paseos). The department is working to increase street crime unit, the burglary prevention unit and the truancy unit.
- b. D2 Office Update-- Vanessa Sandoval
 - i. Spoke about General Bond obligation measures. Measure T passed which will provide funding for public safety and helps protect Coyote Valley. Measure V (housing measure) did not pass.
 - ii. Safe Parking is proposed to allow people to park overnight in certain areas. Pilot project will be allowed to park in Seven Trees Community Center overnight (less than 17 vehicles and only families-with children). Social workers, security, bathrooms, etc. will be provided as support.
 - iii. December 15th holiday party at Southside Community Center.
 - iv. Discussed updates on High Speed Rail and Vision 0 traffic regulations.

D. Presentation

- a. California Waste Solutions-- Terry Brokaw (@ terrybrokaw@calwaste.com) and ou can also ask for Vivian.
 - i. Recycle process—bring items of which you have questions
 - ii. Neighborhood inspectors' role in the collection process
 - iii. The China Sword: China is the largest importer of recycled material and they have put restrictions on the contamination level of which they will accept; 35% of material received in San Jose is contaminated and goes to the landfill (food, diapers, soiled items, pizza boxes, etc).

E. Questions and Answers

- a. Many good questions were asked by residents regarding what can and can't be recycled. Please refer to the tape of the meeting for more information located on the website at: <https://lospaseosneighbors.com/>

F. Next Meeting

- a. February 2019, Santa Teresa Branch Library, 7:00 pm

G. Meeting adjourned at 8:31 pm