

CITY OF FOLSOM
Landscaping & Lighting Districts Advisory Committee

MEETING MINUTES

May 17, 2012
7:00 p.m.

City Hall
*Community Development Department Conference Room**

50 Natoma Street, Folsom CA 95630
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I. CALL TO ORDER L&L DISTRICTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chair Nick Ferrari. Members present: Nick Ferrari (Willow Springs); Joe Robinson (Prairie Oaks); Shari Shively (The Preserve); Ray Spierto (Broadstone); David Weizer (ARCN #2); David Taylor (ARCN); Patty Soulsby (BRO); and Frank Kennedy (Steeplechase). Eight present and a quorum of 6 is required.

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES-April 17, 2012 Minutes

Meeting minutes for April 17, 2012 were approved and seconded for approval. There was a question from Member Taylor inquiring about the funds donated by WalMart for landscape enhancements. Staff explained that this was a condition of approval for the recent expansion project.

III. INTRODUCTION OF NEW MEMBER-STEEPLECHASE L&L DISTRICT

Frank Kennedy, new member from Steeplechase, introduced himself and Committee member's welcomed him.

IV. ITEMS FROM THE FLOOR-Members of the public can address the Advisory Committee concerning items within the Committee's subject matter jurisdiction. The Advisory Committee is prohibited from discussing or taking action on any item not appearing on the posted agenda.

No items were presented from the floor.

V. MANAGER'S REPORT

Manager Poggione presented the projects going on in the L&L districts (attached)

VI. UPDATE ON ENGINEER'S REPORTS (Preliminary Engineer's Report to City Council May 22)

Manager Poggione stated that the Preliminary Engineer's Report goes to City Council on May 22. If there are any comments or discussion items relevant to the report, members should contact Manager Poggione before the final report is completed and goes to City Council on July 10, 2012.

VII. UPDATE ON BLUE RAVINE OAKS-SIDEWALK AND TREE WORK

Manager Poggione stated that the project is planned to go out to bid in a few weeks. Public Works will be managing the concrete part of the project with coordination from our division for tree removal, replacement, and all other outreach.

VIII. UPDATE ON PARKS AND RECREATION BUDGET AND STAFFING CHANGES WITH FY12-13 APPROVED BUDGET

Manager Poggione stated that the budget discussions and City Council approval resulted in the loss of 19 staff/positions. Nine of which were within the P&R Department. Two of the nine staff were in the MLS division. Manager Poggione stated that the MLS team is figuring what we can/can't do with being short one tree/USA/miscellaneous specialists and an irrigation technician.

IX. INPUT FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS ON L&L DISTRICTS

Willow Springs: cans are overflowing; weeds still in areas, especially Frances Court and path

ARCN-Weeds on trails; enjoyed going through Natoma Station to look at art

The Preserve-Weeds along corporation yard fence

Blue Ravine Oaks-asked about a water pipe repair on Seergreen. Also asked about trees along Blue Ravine and if SMUD was taking them down/replacing them.

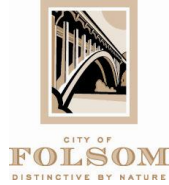
Broadstone-thanks for the street tree clearances.

X. ITEMS FOR NEXT AGENDA

- **Engineer's Report Update**
- **Blue Ravine Oaks Update**
- **Future items: Update on MLS staffing/workload management and budget (September)**

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

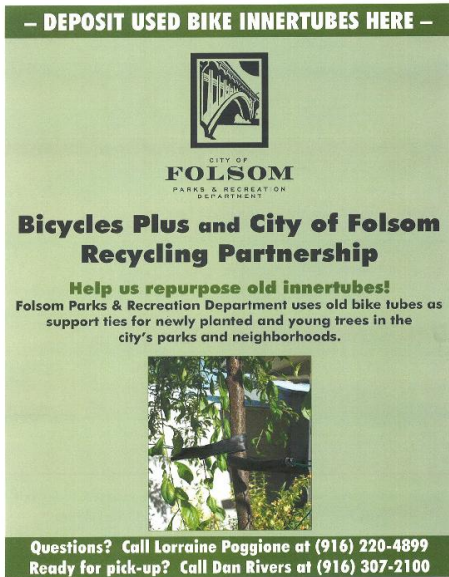


Manager’s Report/Project Update for May 17, 2012 L&L Meeting

- Working with conservator to create a plan for art repairs/maintenance in Natoma Station
- Preparing out-reach plan for next L&L’s to receive information about increased assessments (Folsom Heights and Broadstone next)
- Partnered with three bike shops in town to help recycle bike inner tubes for re-use as tree ties
- Working on the potential for eliminating the supply of doggie bags in the City’s Pet Stations

New Program with Bike Shops- Promoting Reuse/Recycling

Existing Pet Stations with Bag Dispenser



*******OPTIONS FOR COSTLY BAG SUPPLIES*******

Individual Doggie Bag Dispensers



Centralized Doggie Bag Dispensers

