

CITY OF FOLSOM

Landscaping & Lighting Districts Advisory Committee

Minutes

January 18, 2024
7:00 p.m.
Folsom Community Center
R.G. Smith Room
52 Natoma Street, Folsom, CA 95630
(916) 461-6675

I. CALL TO ORDER L&L DISTRICTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Josh Baker (Cobble Hills Ridge / Reflections II) called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

II. ROLL CALL

Members in attendance were Josh Baker (Cobble Hills Ridge / Reflections II), Ian Cornell (WCES), Allen Brown (ARCN), Benjamin Mattocks (Prospect Ridge), Tim O'Leary (Prairie Oaks), David Weizer (ARCN #2), Joe Marceau (Natoma Station), Clark Willits (Willow Creek East), and Craig Enos (Broadstone #3).

Absent: Ajit Natu (Willow Springs), Patty Soulsby (Blue Ravine Oaks), Joanna Stanfield (Sierra Estates), and Edward Myers (Broadstone 1,2,4).

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – October 19th, 2023 & November 16th, 2023

Approved by Joe Marceau (Natoma Station) and seconded by Ian Cornell (WCES).

V. 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.

VI. Vote for Chair and Vice Chair

Josh Baker (Cobble Hills Ridge / Reflections II) was voted as Chair, and Joe Marceau (Natoma Station) was voted as Vice Chair.

VII. MANAGERS REPORT

Manager Perra presented the reentry project into American River Canyon. They are in the first phase, with phases 2 and 3 coming as other phases are completed. They have also completed a relandscape project in Prairie Oaks Ranch. Manager Perras stated that he sent out Supervisor Larson's monthly update, and moving forward, he will send this information with the minutes and agenda. Supervisor Larson noted that the largest project will be a turf renovation in Broadstone 3. There is a lot going on in each neighborhood with communication fiber optic cable going in the ground, and we have marked 265 locations within our service area. Staff addressed and closed out 86 SeeClickFix issues, completed 36 issues within the districts, made 58 light repairs with 18 more to be completed. Staff has also been working on ladder fuel removal. We have

completed 102 acres of 357 acres (29% of the total project). As we are doing ladder fuel removal, we are creating a lot of wood chips and utilizing them in areas around the area.

VIII. INPUT FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS ON L&L DISTRICTS

David Weizer (ARCN #2) – Member Weizer has nothing to report.

Allen Brown (ARCN) – Member Brown stated there are streetlights that are out from the waterfall to the west and north to Davies Park and from American Canyon to Santa Juanita. Supervisor Larson stated they would have someone come out to investigate.

Craig Enos (Broadstone 3) – Member Enos asked about the time to start the turf renovation in his district. Supervisor Larson stated that he will follow up. Manager Perras noted that they are planning to use Kurapia as it doesn't grow as much as grass or uses as much water. Member Enos also mentioned the area of Iron Point and Cavitt has lots of broken water lines and needs some assistance. Manager Perras and Supervisor Larson will survey the area.

Joe Marceau (Natoma Station) – Member Marceau has nothing to report.

Benjamin Mattocks (Prospect Ridge) – Member Mattocks has nothing to report.

Ian Cornell (WCES) – Member Cornell has had some discussions with the City's attorney regarding some pillars and monuments in the mini-parks in several neighborhoods and is hoping to get some signage on these monuments. Also asked about streetlight painting that is happening in Los Cerros and stated he would see if any of the streetlights in his district need attention.

Tim O'Leary (Prairie Oaks) – Member O'Leary gave good feedback on the project on Grover Road. The lights on Grover Road and Iron Point Road seem not to fan out to show the signage. Manager Perras stated that it is an LED panel, and those are more directional, but will go to take a look at it. Member O'Leary was asking if the overhang is going to be painted. Manager Perras stated that it was not part of the scope of work but can look into it for a future budget item.

Clark Willits (Willow Creek East) – Member Willits stated the two trees put in towards the end of November are looking good.

Josh Baker (Cobble Hills Ridge / Reflections II) – Member Baker has nothing to report. Supervisor Larson mentioned that there are 6 panels of graffiti that he is sending to the contractor to get taken care of.

IX. ITEMS FOR NEXT OR FUTURE AGENDAS

- **Green Acres Pruning/Planting or City of Folsom Arborist**

X. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 7:27 p.m. by Josh Baker (Cobble Hills Ridge / Reflections II) and seconded by Joe Marceau (Natoma Station)

Notice: Members of the Public are entitled to directly address the Committee concerning any item that is described in the notice of this meeting, before or during consideration of that item. If you wish to address the Committee on an issue, which is on this agenda, please raise your hand and when your name is called, you may unmute and be recognized by the Chairperson and then proceed. If you wish to address the Committee on any other item of interest to the public, when the Chairperson asks

if there is any “Business from the Floor,” follow the same procedure as described above. Please limit your comments to three minutes or less.

As presiding officer, the Chairperson has the authority to preserve order at all Landscaping and Lighting District Advisory Committee meetings, to remove or cause the removal of any person from any such meeting for disorderly conduct, or for making personal, impertinent, or slanderous remarks, using profanity, or becoming boisterous, threatening or personally abusive while addressing said Committee, and to enforce the rules of the Committee.

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you are a disabled person and need a disability–related modification or accommodation to participate in this meeting, please contact the Parks & Recreation Department at (916) 461-6608, (916) 351-5931 (fax) or lzandi@folsom.ca.us. Requests must be made as early as possible and at least two-full business days before the start of the meeting.

Any documents produced by the City and distributed to the Landscaping and Lighting District Advisory Committee regarding any item on this agenda will be made available at the Parks & Recreation Department at 50 Natoma Street, Folsom, California during normal business hours.