

Sunland-Tujunga Clean Up and Beautification Committee

Monday, January 12, 2015 - Meeting Minutes

North Valley Municipal Building – Room 104
7747 Foothill Blvd., Tujunga, CA 91042

Attendee(s): Gail Carlson, Maureen O'Byrne, Sheila Andrews Steven Black, Susan Davis Mona, Nelly Luboff, Nayri Vartanian, and Roger Klemm

1. - Meeting called to order by Gail Carlson at 6:10 pm
2. Public Comments: Update from Roger Klem that the Welcome Garden was tended a week ago and is looking great. Roger Klem agreed to meet with the tree vendor secured by Felipe Fuentes office regarding the (80) trees that are being donated and give his recommendation of what tree species is best for Foothill Blvd. Roger will also survey where to place new trees and planters. Felipe Fuentes has agreed to take care of watering the trees for one year. Letters from Felipe Fuentes have been sent out to businesses on Foothill Blvd. letting them know about the new trees being donated. Group decision to have Susan Davis Mona and Nelly Luboff become official members of the CUB Committee; a vote by STNC board will be on the agenda for March 2015 STNC monthly meeting.
3. Discussion regarding next CUB clean up on 01/17/14: YMCA will be bringing their pop up tent which will serve as home base manned by Steven Black. Gail Carlson coordinated with Felipe Fuentes office that tools will be delivered the morning of the clean up and a large trash bin will be dropped off one day prior to the clean up. Volunteers should bring their own gloves to clean up. Region 1 Representative, Pat Kramer is attending the clean up and bringing people to it. Pat also announced the clean up in her Region Newsletter. Sheila Andrews will pick up donated refreshments from Fresh and Easy. Group decision that the next CUB clean up will be on Saturday, 03/14/15 at 9:00am locate Mt. Gleason and Rim Cyn, Tujunga. Maureen O'Byrne will do the flyer and it will be distributed throughout the community and posted to relevant facebook groups.
4. Community Voting of DOT Utility Box Artist Contest: Group discussion on set up and manning of the (2) voting locations for the residents of Sunland-Tujunga & Shadow Hills on Saturday, 01/24/15. STNC location: Gail Carlson, Sheila Andrews, Maureen O'Byrne and Steven Black. YMCA location: Nayri Vartanian, Susan Davis Mona and Nelly Luboff. Set up will be 30-60 minutes before voting time starts and 11x17 color printouts of each art submission will be displayed at both voting locations. There are (21) total utility boxes that will be painted in the community program. Residents will vote for (1 to 25) art choices which will allow for (4) extra choices in the mix. The first phase will be the top (12) art submissions earning the most votes. Gail Carlson has secured (3) community residents that are not affiliated with the CUB committee to tally the votes at the end of the voting sessions. The vote tally volunteers are Rudy Shutta, Liliana Sanchez and Sherie Smith.
5. Discussion/Action regarding funding items to hand out at CUB Clean Up(s) to volunteers: Group decision to table the funding for the gloves and possible t-shirts to the next STNC monthly meeting in March 2015. This will allow more time for Steven Black to obtain additional pricing and get the samples in.
6. Decision that the next CUB Committee Meeting will be held on 01/29/15 at 5:30PM and February's is 02/23/15 at 6:00 pm. Both held at NVCH
7. - Meeting adjourned at 7:55 pm.