

**Sunland-Tujunga Neighborhood Council**  
**Beautification Committee Meeting Minutes**  
**Thursday May 16, 2024**  
**Sunland Tujunga Library**

Roll Call: 6:37	
KT Travers*	Absent
Roger Klemm	Absent
Nelly Luboff	Present
Gerardo Barrientos	Present (at 6:37)
Angela Nordhagen	Present
Curtis Brown	Absent
Matt Walker	Present
	*STNC Board Member
Committee Quorum: 4	Quorum met at 6:37

Additional Attendees: STNC Board Member Ross Herman, Stakeholder Marjorie Maxon

1. Call to Order and Welcome – Co-Chair Luboff calls meeting to order at 6:37 once meeting quorum met.
2. General Public Comment on Non-Agenda items— Member Barrientos— STAT Co-Chair Kramer informed him of a problem with the street taco vendor in front of Vons dumping waste water and grease in the tree wells. She asked for his help since he speaks Spanish. He spoke to them. They were washing up on the sidewalk. They agreed to take the dirty items to their kitchen for washing from now on.  
Board Member Herman— Upcoming events: 1) CD 7 is going to have a fire prevention fair at Hansen Dam this Saturday, May 18, from 10am to 2pm; 2) McGroarty Art Center is having a Passing of the Laurels event on May 19 from 3 to 5pm; 3) The STNC is sponsoring a movie in Sunland Park event on Saturday, June 22nd, the movie will be Toy Story.
3. Motion: Approve April 18, 2024 Meeting Minutes — Member Barrientos moves to approve as corrected. Member Nordhagen seconds, all vote in favor. No objections, abstentions. Minutes approved.
4. Update on Pinewood Mural — Member Barrientos — No update, is still waiting on the LAUSD to fix the moisture damaged wall. Co-chair Luboff suggests just ending the mural where the surface is holding up.
5. Sunland Nature Welcome Garden — Co-Chair Luboff received an estimate/invoice from Board Member Travers quoting a cost of \$1,600 to trim the 3 Oak trees. This quote is subject to the tree service being able to post a small sign noting their donation.

6. NC Rules and Procedures Training — Board Member Travers — since Board Member Travers is absent.
7. Suggestions for Future Beautification Projects — Co-Chair Luboff—1) the LADOT box wrap at Sunland Blvd and Fenwick has been removed. She went to the LADOT box at Valmont/Foothill and the damaged wrap is still there. It also needs to be removed.2) The trees on Foothill near Chase Bank / CVS could use some clean up.

Board Member Herman notes that events like the upcoming Movie Night, National Night Out and similar STNC outreach events are good opportunities to get more volunteers to come to committee events. He is thinking of starting an one hour a month outreach project so more people might be inclined to volunteer; Member Barrientos volunteers to help with the artwork for a poster for this project. Co-chair Luboff expresses interest in coordinating with Board member Herman on future projects.

Next meeting: June 20, 2024 at the Sunland Library.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:15pm.

Minutes by Marjorie Maxon