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## WEST HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

### JOINT BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE/BOARD ONLINE AND TELEPHONIC FINAL MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, April 20, 2021

Revised April 21, 2021

Committee members in attendance: Faye Barta, Dan Brin (arrived 6:28PM), Heidi Manning, Olivia Naturman, Steve Randall, Anthony Scarce, Myrl Schreiberman, Joan Trent, and Brad Vanderhoof.

Absent: Tom Booth, Jessica Fuentes, Kian Ghalibiek.

Also in attendance: Glenn Jennings, Bonnie Klea, and Reeyan Raynes

Committee Co-chair Brad Vanderhoof called the meeting to order at 6:08 PM. A quorum was established.

Chair Comments: None

Public Comment: None

The March minutes were approved.

Numbers refer to agenda items.

5. Event Approval for a May Cleanup: The May Cleanup Event will be on the north side of Victory between Fallbrook and Royer on May 29. Ten dollars for water was previously approved by the Board.

Approval of Event Form for May 29

Yes – 8, No – 0, Abstain – 0

The Chairs will submit the Event Approval Form to the Budget Committee and the Board.

Brad suggested approving an Event Form for June in case the May event is rejected by the City Clerk. By consensus June 26 was selected as the best date in June. For location; Heidi suggested the east side of Valley Circle from Lazy J Ranch Park to Roscoe, Joan suggested targeting fire danger zones,

Dan Brin arrived.

Dan suggested the east side of Fallbrook between Ingomar and Saticoy, Heidi suggested Platt between Ingomar and Keswick. By consensus the Valley Circle location was selected.

Approval of Event Form for June 26

Yes – 8, No – 0, Abstain – 1

The Chairs will submit the Event Approval Form to the Budget Committee and the Board.

6. Event with City Street Services Department (in person or by ZOOM) held with the Beautification, Government Relations, and Streets and Transportation Committees: Brad explained the event concept.

Steve moved to have the Beautification Committee request a participating role in the event. Anthony seconded.

Yes – 8, No – 0, Abstain – 1

The Committee Chairs will work with the other committees.

7. Future of Community Cleanups and LA City Park Maintenance: Dan spoke on cooperation with the department of recreation and Parks (Rec and Parks). He said Rec and Parks spent five weeks cleaning and removing poison oak from the north side of Castle Peak {El Escorpiòn}. Heidi said Lazy J Ranch Park still has problems with dry grass and gophers but she has seen sprinklers on and park maintenance working on the system. Anthony said he has called to have the new trees around the park watered as he worries they are dying.

8. Other Beautification Projects: The Post Office needs some attention but is better than it has been in the past. The new owners have started maintaining the area around the restaurant at Roscoe and Fallbrook. Dan believes there are two locations ideal for a dog park. Steve said he is of the opinion CD12 has made it clear they will not support establishment of a dog park in West Hills due to liability and other concerns.

9. R.O.W. Letters: Dan said he left a brochure at a home with a tree blocking the sidewalk and the tree was promptly trimmed. No new letters approved.

10. Strike Team Reports: None

11. May Agenda: No new items

Co-chair Brad Vanderhoof adjourned the meeting at 6:55 PM.

The next meeting of this committee will be held on Tuesday, May 18, 2021 at 6:00 PM