

NEIGHBORHOODS COMMISSION NOTES

October 10, 2018

Informal Notes taken by Jim Carter D6 Commissioner.

Meeting called to order at 6:15 by Vice Chair Carter D6. Chair Gunningham was on vacation. Meeting delayed due to a lack of a quorum

Meeting minutes of September 12 reviewed and approved unanimously.

<http://www.sanjoseca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/80449>

Corrections to minutes: Gary Cunningham D1 and D 6 Jim Carter's names were reversed. Carter gave the one minute round table presentation and Cunningham gave the overview of the Ad Hoc Committees.

Reports: Vice Chair Carter reported that the Neighborhood Services and Education committee approved the Neighborhoods Commission Work plan for next year. Several Council Members were interested in the Public Outreach item in the work plan.

The NSE Committee meets the second Thursday of the month at 1:30 p.m. The purpose is to serve foster and strengthen community by providing access to lifelong learning, opportunities to enjoy life, ensuring a diverse range of housing opportunities, and preserving healthy neighborhoods. This committee was formerly called the All Children Achieve Committee.

Ryan Dulin from the San Jose Fire Department provided an update to the Illegal Fireworks project. There is still a lot of Illegal Fireworks being shot off during the year. The Department will continue to request the community to advise the city when illegal fireworks are being set off. More information to follow.

Ray Riodan from the Office of Emergency Services gave a presentation on the importance of Emergency Preparedness. Neighborhoods will be contacted regarding Emergency Preparedness by the Neighborhoods Commission Ad Hoc Committee and commission members and will be given additional material for Emergency Preparedness. <https://www.ready.gov/build-a-kit>, <http://www.sanjoseca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/80451>

Round table discussion lead by Vice Chair Carter. Each District gave a roundtable report. One minute blurb on what's happening in your district.

Public Safety, traffic control, homeless, illegal dumping were some of the topics that came up.

Commissioner Edraos presented and discussed the budget letter. Advised Commissioners to begin thinking about the Commissions Budget Report.

Discussion regarding the Ad Hoc Committees and membership begin and end dates of the Ad hocs comprising of the work plan.

Next Commission Meeting November 14, 2018. 6 to 8 p.m. City Hall Wing Rooms 118=119.