

Public Safety and Transportation (PS&T) Committee

FINAL Minutes for Tuesday, Mar. 18, 2014 at 7:00 PM

Chatsworth Train Depot, Hal Bernson Meeting Room, 10038 Old Depot Plaza Road, Chatsworth

Minutes

1. Call to order and roll call of committee members at 7:12pm
 - a. Chair: Scott Munson (Attending)
 - b. Secretary: Jesse Fuller (Attending)
 - c. Attending: Matt, Michelle, Diana, Lucie, Jim, Mary, Clara
 - d. Absent: Erik, Carol
 - e. Stakeholders: 3 in attendance
2. Stakeholder and Public Comment
 - a. None

New Business

3. **Approval of the 2/18/14 PS&T Committee Minutes.**
 - a. Discuss is spelled wrong
 - b. Email added for Vicki's comments
 - c. **Passed unanimously**
4. Update re bollards & gates across sidewalk & eq. trail at S.C. Schools athletics fields. (Scott)
 - a. Boulders are on DeSoto, these are probably not standard
 - b. Scott is waiting on comments
 - c. Mary also might send something out as well
5. Motion for \$5,000 for jaws-of-life for LAFD located in Chats. (funds from unspent CNC budget). (Michele)
 - a. The cost of the jaws-of-life would have to be full, so motion will have to be more than \$5000.
 - b. Unrealistic to ask to share with #96
 - c. Mostly overlaps with Chatsworth borders
 - d. **Motion: \$11,500.00 for the jaws-of-life for LAFD Station 107 (from unused CNC funds). This should be the number one priority of unused CNC funds.**
 - i. Motion: Scott
 - ii. Second: Mary
 - iii. **Passed unanimously**
6. Motion for \$1400 for any needed safety items for the "Welcome to Chatsworth" mural located directly east of the Chatsworth Train Depot (eg; fencing, lighting, etc). Funds from unspent CNC budget. (Diana and Cindy)
 - a. Anti-graffiti coating and lighting will keep the graffiti down, thus keeping the gang presence down
 - b. The mural is being repaired now by Nick Montano
 - c. The bike path is completely dark unlike the Canoga Bike Path
 - i. The lights from the station could be pointed over there
 - ii. Convince the businesses to put up lighting
 1. \$250 for lights
 - d. The graffiti coating is \$310 per jug
 - i. It would be at least 3-4 of the jugs
 - ii. Sherwin Williams has donated the paint
 - iii. \$900-\$1240+tax (unless Sherwin Williams donated it)
 - e. Assuming volunteer labor
 - f. LADOT Jamie Ramirez
 - i. Who has the responsibility for the lights
 - ii. The LADOT has a contract for maintaining the bike path
 1. Wash is county

- g. Buying lights would have to be outside of the committee, because they would be on private property
 - h. May fall under the enhancement committee as well
 - i. Another idea is to write a letter to Mitch
 - i. Public Safety person is with Tanya (of Mitch's office)
 - j. Bike Plan 2010
 - i. Is there money for safety issues?
 - ii. Equestrian committee doesn't have an budget, so probably not
 - k. **Motion: \$1400 for anti-graffiti clear coat to protect the "Welcome to Chatsworth Mural" (from unused CNC funds)**
 - i. Motion: Scott
 - ii. Second: Jesse
 - iii. **Passed unanimously**
7. Letter to LADWP requesting power lines along Devonshire Street be placed underground. (Erik)
 - a. Skipped
 8. Discussion of Emergency Preparedness in Chatsworth area LAUSD schools (Diana)
 - a. Question of whether we should we work to help improve our school's emergency preparedness
 - b. Schools are given compliance standards
 - i. One can view the reports at http://www.lausd-oehs.org/fieldoperations_listschools.asp
 9. Review/update of the Committee's Action Item List
 - a. Reviewed and updated list

Old Business

10. Discuss possible crosswalk across DeSoto, south of Rinaldi (Mary to discuss with DOT re this causing possible significant traffic probs or backups)
 - a. Will wait for school to be finished, tabled for now
11. Letter to DOT requesting information for street calming on Devonshire St. in Chatsworth. (Erik)
 - a. Set as action item, waiting for Erik
12. Policy re. reviewing C.N.C. responses to any City document when several years have passed and local conditions may have changed (eg: traffic/street changes, adjacent development, new laws, etc) creating new impacts.
 - a. Upon review, there are other way to handle it, tabled for now
13. Review any documents prepared for Neighborhood Purpose Grants (NPG)
 - a. None this month
14. Committee member comments and adjournment.
 - a. Matt: COLT Comments
 - i. June 8th, Sunday
 - ii. Big issues last year were restrooms and audio
 - iii. No parking in A lot
 - iv. Gas company as our break spot
 - v. Will the new route markers get stolen overnight?
 - b. Michelle: What do we do about outstanding items that need to be paid?
 - i. Talk to the new officers ASAP
 - c. Jesse:
 - i. Ball play in streets illegal in Los Angeles
 - ii. April 6th, CicLAvia
 - d. Diana
 - i. Soil and Water Treatment and Santa Susana Field lab meetings
 - ii. April 2nd: More comments on department of energy EIS
 - iii. April 6th: Chatsworth Nature Preserve
 - e. Lucie
 - i. CERT class going well
 - ii. CPR in May possibly
 - iii. Horses should go to Pierce or Hanson Dam in an emergency

- f. Mary
 - i. Lucie and Mary had a great meeting about how to do flyers
- g. Clara
 - i. Teenagers who want to do CERT can do it March 22nd-May 10th Saturdays
 - 1. Fire Department will teach anyone who goes
 - 2. 818-527-0514
- h. Motion to adjourn
 - i. Motion: Jesse
 - ii. Second: Mary
 - iii. Meeting adjourned at 9:32pm