



## CITY OF LOS ANGELES

### GRANADA HILLS SOUTH NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL

#### BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE

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### Report on Meeting January 18, 2010

GRANADA HILLS SOUTH NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL  
BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE AGENDA

January 18, 2010 6:30 p.m.

LOCATION: 10663 Yarmouth Ave., Granada Hills CA 91344

A. Call to Order

6:40 pm

present JERRY ASKEW, BONNIE BURSK, DAVID BEAUVAIS

absent LOTTIE VAN EMDEN, LACY REILLY

B. STATUS ON ACTION ITEMS:

1. Discussion and action regarding ideas for beautification

DAVID mentioned that it would be nice to have more cohesion in our Spanish Colonial design, and that it would be nice if some non-conforming architecture would be changed to conform.

2. Issues on Street Repair and sidewalk repair.

Bonnie advised the attendees about sidewalk repairs that are about to be done by the B.I.D. (Granada Hills Improvement Association)

3. Graffiti Removal and issues .

Includes continued support of West Valley Alliance

4. Sign cleanup :

Jerry states that it is another battle that in effect we have won.

He was producing \$10,000 in invoices before, and the amount has decreased due to less signs being unlawfully posted.

DAVID mentioned that the trailer type of signs are encroaching more and more; he has noticed some in Granada Hills.

L.A.D.O.T. said they would check on one he reported.

DAVID suggested having residents and stakeholders report and complain about those that are a hazard or present some other problem. Also can be phoned in as abandoned vehicles

JERRY mentioned one on Devonshire attached to a Van, where the Van also had advertising, somewhat defeating the purpose of requiring that signs be attached to a vehicle.

JERRY mentioned that perhaps CARMEN TRUTANICH City Attorney can look into enforcement issues.

5. Continuing Agenda Item: continuing Grant to Veteran's Triangle for gardening for another 6 months or year-

DAVE BEAUVAIS mentioned that there is \$10,000 in major improvements in our budget. We might want to see what the cost of the park renovation will be. So far we have put \$5,000 plus gardening.

6. Water issues

The last BOARD MEETING had the resolution to support GREIG SMITH'S motion to allow watering 3 times per week, which passed at the meeting January 14, 2010

Jerry Askew commented on water bills, and the tiers for higher charges that begin at a much lower level.

C. NEW BUSINESS

D. ADJOURN

7:41 PM