



District 8 Community Round Table – D8CRT

Approved Minutes

December 4, 2014 @ 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Evergreen Branch Public Library (2635 Aborn Road, San Jose, 95121)

1. **Call to Order** – @ 7:00pm Jeremy Barousse

Approval of Agenda motioned by Pat Waite 2nd by Burton Smith Agenda adopted
7:01

a. **Approval of last meetings minutes**

Motioned by Mike Casas 2nd by Jerry Burge

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2. **Guest Speakers**

a. **SJPD Patrol Officer**

7:05

Officer Barth SJPD update- crimes in the last 30 days in Evergreen

Home Invasion. Hit and Run, Strong Arm robbery

Crime in Evergreen went down by 50% from Sept –Oct.

Robberies have shifted to other areas of San Jose

The city uses a new GPS system that sends officers to strong arm robberies, guns shot

Rose Herrera stated that the members should start and organize a neighborhood watch program. and if

80% go to the meetings San Jose will provide a free sign for the neighborhood poles.

3. **Reports from Government Offices and Commissions**

7:35

a. Report from SJ City Council – Mary Anne G.

Two remaining council meetings this year in the next two meetings there will be a vote for the Arcadia project for the ball park. Next Tuesday at 7pm

Evergreen Circle will also be discussed for rezoning for the urban village housing of retail commercial space and parks.

Dec 16th will have a suggestion for names for new library in Evergreen (John Montgomery)

b. Report from SC County Supervisors Office – Lara McCabe / Dave Cortese **No report**

c. Report from State Assembly member Campos– Minh Pham

Assembly member Campos held a Scam Stoppers event in the Villages in November and thanked Jerry Burge for organizing the event.

San Jose has a new DMV at 2222 Senter Rd its one of the biggest in the state

There will be a upcoming AB 60 Drivers license information session

d. Report from State Senator – Domingo Candelas **No report**

e. Report from SJ Neighborhoods Commission – Matt Wahlin **No report**

6. **Standing Committee Reports**

8:00

a. **Steering Committee report** – Jeremy Barousse, President

- **2015 Steering Committee elections**

President- Jerry 6-2

Vice President-Josh 7-1

Secretary-Mike *Unanimous votes for remainder of candidates*

Corresponding Secretary Marilyn Leonard

Treasurer- Pat Waite

Members at Large

Burton Smith, Fran Taro, Guiselle Morrone, Derek Gratsy, Charisse Lebron

- b. **Subcommittee reports** **8:15**
- i. **Education** –
- a. **ESUHSD Update – Frank Biehl**
- Thank members for their vote in his election, informed members on the new bond measure funding which will be allocated to renovate schools in the ESUHSD
 - High Schools in the district will be upgrading their campuses in technology for students
 - Upgrades to the schools will be improving the internet connections and broadband service for wifi to schools.
 - Work to Rule with East Side Teachers union contracts instructed all the teachers to not do anything that is outside of the contract. No classrooms open during lunch, or helping students apply for college.
 - Spoke also on the salaries for the trustees and superintendant of the district.
 - Offered a 4.25 percentage raise for employees of district
 - Employees received benefit package for family insurance prior to new contract
 - Classroom reduction is too costly for the district
 - District is meeting with union on Dec. 12th for negotiations with contracts.
- b. **EESD Update – Jim Zito**
- ii. **Membership Update** –
- a. Membership tally and dues collection
- iii. **Communications** – Web Master Carol **no report**
- iv. **Treasurer’s Report** – Pat Waite
There is \$4,400.00 in the account
8. **Other business** - including comments from the public (2 min ea) **No Comments** **8:30**
9. **Next meeting** – **Thursday January 8, 2015 @ 7pm at the Evergreen Library**
10. **Adjourn** @ 8:15pm **9:00**

Members present;

Burton Smith, Dan Gould, Frank Biehl, Jeremy Barousse, Jerry Burge, Pat Waite, Steve Bennette, Mike Casas,

Guests;

Gwendolyn Kyle, Linda Beiba, Shruthik Musukula, Mary Anne Green, Mihn Pham, Matt Wahlin, San Jose City Council member Rose Herrera,