



**CITY OF SANTA BARBARA
NEIGHBORHOOD ADVISORY COUNCIL**

**Monday, September 12, 2022
6:00 p.m.**

**Franklin Neighborhood Center
1136 East Montecito Street**

**SPECIAL MEETING
DRAFT MINUTES**

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Claire Mitchell called meeting to order at 6:04 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Committee Members

Aldana, Sebastian	Present
Brieske, Alexandria	Present
De Guevara, Tino	Present
Foxen, Sally	Present
Mitchell, Claire	Present
O'Mahoney, May	Present
Perkins, Beverly	Present
Perkins, Don	Present
Rothschild, Sarah	Present
Veal, Lucile	Absent

Staff Present

Angela Oslund, Public Works Facilities Manager
Tina Diaz, Accounting Assistant to the Facilities Manager

Liaison Present

Councilmember Gutierrez, Oscar

CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

None

PUBLIC COMMENT

Any member of the public may address the Council for up to three minutes on any subject within the jurisdiction of the Council that is not scheduled for a public discussion before the Council. The total amount of time for public comments will be 15 minutes.

DRAFT MINUTES

Public Comment not on agenda from: Dan La Berge

COUNCIL AND STAFF COMMUNICATIONS

- Community Outreach on Neighborhood Clean-up, hosted by Hillary Allen from Sustainability and Resilience. Event takes place on Saturday, September 17, 2022, from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.
- Recruitments for Advisory Committees. Application deadline is Monday, October 10, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. Interviews by the City Council is scheduled on November 1, 8, and 15, 2022. Appointments scheduled on December 6, 2022.

CONSENT CALENDAR

No Consent Items

NEW BUSINESS

1. Subject: Neighborhood Advisory Council Breakout Groups – For Discussion And Action

Recommendation: That the Neighborhood Advisory Council members breakout into two groups to discuss neighborhood issues related to “Neighborhood and Safety” and “Outreach/Events/Participation/Recruitment” and, if necessary, take action to recommend an item for consideration at a future NAC meeting. The public is invited to participate.

Summary from two breakout groups, “Neighborhood and Safety” and “Outreach/Events/Participation/Recruitment”: Aldana: speeding issues at various streets going east and west, Gutierrez, Montecito, Alisos, Haley, Cacique, Cota, Carpentaria, Mason, De La Guerra, and Gutierrez Streets. Safety devices to stop speeding. Crime stats per district. De Guevara: recommends the new police chief to explore grants for traffic enforcements, need more motorcycles traffic enforcement. Claire: Community outreach to try to increase attendance at the NAC’s meeting. Information for new NAC members, what are things NAC members are allowed to do. Create ad hoc group such as tabling and attending other meetings to represent NAC. Annual projects that interests the NAC and what NAC can do. NAC member assigned to a department as a liaison and can communicate directly to staff and report back to the community. O’Mahoney: “What We Do” message.

Action: Add to future agenda and follow up on the discussion of the breakout groups.

DRAFT MINUTES

2. Neighborhood Updates – For Information Only

Recommendation: That each Neighborhood Advisory Council member take up to two minutes to update the public on specific neighborhood related issues or events impacting their neighborhood or the community in general.

Aldana: Met with Angela, Barbara, and Neighborhood Improvement Task Force to assess Cacique and Milpas area. Improvements needed with trashcans, trees needed to be trimmed, and Caltrans needed to maintain their buildings. After the meeting, improvements and beautification was completed for that area. Most improvements were improved but the tree trimmings still needed at the open spaces and corner of Alisos and Cacique. 900 block of East Cota, cut down a tree. De Guevara: Milpas Underpass and Cacique is looking good. Claire: West Beach tourism back to pre-pandemic levels. Service industry is having a difficult time housing. O'Mahoney: Dedicated personnel at the Westside, contacts regarding traffic backed up on Euclid and Victoria Streets. In contact with staff regarding this issue. Brieske: Working on neighborhood townhall with Councilmember, District 4, Kristen Sneddon. Rothschild: Organization DignityMoves website. Pilot program here in Santa Barbara located near the courthouse on Figueroa and Carrillo.

ADJOURNMENT – 7:39 p.m.

REPORTS: Copies of documents relating to agenda items are available on the City's website - <http://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov>. Materials related to an item on this agenda submitted to the Neighborhood Advisory Council after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection by sending an email to NACPublicComment@SantaBarbaraCA.Gov.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Next Regular Meeting: **October 10, 2022 - 6:00 p.m.**
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