MINUTES OF JANUARY 11, 2016 City of Novato-City Hall

922 Machin Avenue, Novato, CA 94945

I.

Members: Staff:

Marcia Basalla Gloria Morgan Larry Paulger, Chair Clive Shigoli

Ed Schulze Susan Stompe

Charlotte Urban
Ginny Hanna
Parks & Recreation
Pam Shinault-Director

Alternate:

Kyla Medigovich

II. APPROVE MINUTES OF DECEMBER 14, 2015

Motioned by Paulger, 2nd by Basalla, approved by, Stompe, Hanna, Medigovich, and Schulze. A vote of 6-0. Urban not in attendance for December 14, 2015, meeting.

III. APPROVE AGENDA FOR JANUARY 11, 2016

Approved unanimously with a 7-0 vote.

IV. CITIZENS' TIME TO ADDRESS THE COMMITTEE

No citizens in attendance.

V. STAFF CONCERNS

Pam Shinault gave several ideas of how the Streetscape Committee can broaden their outreach to the Public:

- 1. Shinault suggested that members of the Streetscape Committee should attend a meeting of Recreation Cultural Commission, which is held the 2nd Thursday of every other month, on the odd numbered months.
- 2. Contact San Jose Middle School's, Boys & Girls Club of Marin & Sonoma,
- 3. Booster groups-enthusiastic persons whom are interested in promoting,
- 4. Homeowners Associations' newsletters,
- 5. Downtown Business Association

Shinault expressed interest in knowing, how to get someone to adopt a park?

Shigoli handed out a *draf*t of the "Streetscape Strategic Planning Meeting 2016" Agenda for Saturday, January 16, 2016, meeting. Thompson (PW Director) composed the Agenda.

VI. COMMITTEE MEMBERS' COMMENT TIME

Paulger expressed his gratitude to the committee for all of their assistance.

Stompe communicated her interest in a bigger ad for Clean & Green Day, in the Novato Parks & Recreation catalog. Shinault suggested that, the committee put their request in for the next catalog that will be issued in April 2016.

VII. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

A. Clean & Green Day

Stompe changed the hotline message number, and informed the committee that the posters & postcards will be available at the end of the month.

Schulze will take care of the phone list.

Hanna has a list of themes for the committee to review and select, for the Marin Independent Journal Editor.

B. Signs

Schulze informed the committee that the sign on the island, between Diablo Avenue's Safeway Complex and George Street was removed.

C. <u>Business Recognition</u>

Paulger suggested it might be worth the committee's time to approach the Chambers of Commerce, to identify the Business Recognition Candidates.

D. Finance & Fundraising

E. <u>Island/Site Adoption</u>

The committee agrees that, there should not be any funds issued, for Janey McAdams' island on Ignacio Blvd, until she re-submits another proposal.

- F. Public Outreach
- G. Future Sub-committee meetings

MONTHLY ADOPT-N-ISLAND

Adopt-N-Island Information	Applications In/Issued	Applications Sent Out	Applications Approved	Medians Adopted
Month of Jan 2016	0	0	0	0
Year-to-Date	0	0	0	0

VIII. OLD BUSINESS

- A. Strategic Planning Meeting
- B. America in Bloom
- C. <u>Business Recognition Nominations</u>:

No nominations.

IX. NEW BUSINESS

X. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm

Next Meeting: February 8, 2016