SOUTHEASTERN SAN DIEGO PLANNING GROUP (SSDPG) Agenda

Meeting Location: Neighborhood House, 841 S. 41st Street, San Diego, CA 92113

April 9, 2012, 6:00 p.m. – 7:55 p.m.

This Planning Committee covers the area south of the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Freeway (Highway 94), east of Interstate 5, north of the border of National City, and west of Interstate 805. It includes the communities of Sherman Heights, Logan Heights, Grant Hill, Memorial, Stockton, Mount Hope, Mountain View, Southcrest, and Shelltown.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL, AND INTRODUCTIONS
- 2. APPROVAL OF TODAY'S AGENDA (ADDITIONS, CHANGES, OR OMISSIONS)
- 3. APPROVAL OF the March 12, 2012 MINUTES
- 4. PUBLIC COMMENTS (two minutes per public speaker, on non-agenda items only)
- 5. STAFF REPORTS
- 6. CONSENT ITEMS: None
- 7. Action Items:
- a) Election of Officers
- 8. INFO ITEMS:
 - a) CPI is currently offering Budget 101 presentations to community groups to make information about the City of San Diego's budget process more easily accessible to communities, so that everyday residents can participate in the process and influence how the budget shapes their neighborhoods. The participation of neighborhood groups and organizations is important because of the intimate knowledge you have of the needs and concerns of your neighborhoods. Trinh Le, Organizer, Center on Policy Initiatives will present.
- b) Walmart will be opening San Diego's first Walmart Neighborhood Market this fall; it will be located in the former Farmers Market building on Imperial Avenue between 21st and 22nd Streets. The store will help revitalize a vacant, abandoned property, while preserving the historic character of the building. The new store will be approximately 45,000 square feet and will feature a wide variety of products similar to a typical grocery store, including fresh produce, meats and dairy products; deli foods and bakery goods; household supplies; and pharmacy items. Aaron Rios, Walmart Senior Manager for Public Affairs & Government Relations will make the presentation.
- 9. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (two minutes per Board member)
- 10. PLANNER'S REPORT
- 11. CHAIR'S REPORT
- 12. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS (two minutes per Board member on non-agenda items only)

ADJOURNMENT: by 7:55 p.m.