



NORTH PARK PLANNING COMMITTEE (NPPC)

Public Facilities and Transportation Subcommittee

October 11, 2022 6:00 p.m.

Virtual Meeting Via Zoom

Register online at:

<https://bit.ly/publicfacilitiesreg>

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MEETING AGENDA

- I. Consent Agenda Items (6:00-6:05 p.m.)**
 - a. Call to Order, Roll Call and Attendance Report
 - i. New Team Member, Mark Spitzer!
 - b. Modifications & Adoption of the September 13th Meeting Minutes
 - c. Modifications & Adoption of the October 11th Agenda

- II. Non-Agenda Public Comment (6:05-6:10 p.m.)**
 - a. Limited to Items not on Agenda; non-debatable. Two-minute maximum, Chair can award more time.

- III. Action and Informational Items (6:10-6:55 p.m.)**
 - a. Item 1 (Action): Closure of Jacaranda Place
 - i. Motion: Send NPPC letter to San Diego Planning Committee to recommend that Jacaranda Place remain closed to improve Balboa Park usability, accessibility, and to align with the City's Climate Action Plan.
 - b. Item 2 (Informational): Community Clean Up event!
 - i. Presentation by Claudia Flores
 - ii. When: Saturday October 15 at 11am
 - iii. Where: Start at Jefferson Elementary School
 - c. Item 3 (Informational): University Avenue Mobility Project Update
 - i. Updates on the items discussed at the last meeting
 - ii. Left turn signal at Utah and 30th
 - iii. Construction equipment removed from Mississippi Street!

- d. Item 4 (Action): Send 3 letters from NPPC to the following: City of San Diego Planning Department, Council Member Whitburn's office and Mayor Todd Gloria's office. Request guidance from San Diego City Planning Department, City Council Members and Mayor Todd Gloria on how Planning Committees can provide input into future transportation and land use development projects. What is the most effective way for community members to provide feedback into future Transportation and Land Use projects in North Park Neighborhood?
 - i. Draft Letter:

Dear (Planning Department, Mayor Todd Gloria, Council Member Whitburn),

The North Park community is living the city's current challenges with insufficient affordable housing, significant community members without shelter, climate change, and outdated infrastructure. With the help of community members, the North Park Planning Committee (NPPC) is hoping to be an instrument for change.

The North Park community is looking to establish a communication avenue to provide feedback on future development projects to ensure that the current transformation of North Park and San Diego City will sustain for many generations to come.

With the recent changes to Council Policy 600-24 and numerous changes to Land Use Code at both the state and city level, the North Park community is confused on how best to provide community input into future development housing and transportation projects. Community input is a critical step to ensure successful implementation of new initiatives such as Blue Print SD and the City's climate action plan. The Community of North Park request that the San Diego City Planning Department provide detailed guidance on how the community should provide input into future projects to ensure the North Park Community Plan is followed.

Thank you,

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- e. Item 4 (Informational): Bike Racks and Bike Corrals
 - i. Presentation by Kim Merrill
 - ii. Location and number of Bike Racks in North Park
- f. Item 5 (Informational): North Park Planning Committee Website
 - i. Website is under construction
 - ii. Improve user interface
- g. Item 6 (Informational): Measure H
 - i. *"San Diego voters are being asked on their Nov. 8 ballots to allow city officials to place child care centers on city parkland, where they are currently not permitted. There was no formal ballot argument against the measure filed with the City Clerk's Office."*

- San Diego Union Tribune 27 Sept

IV. Unfinished, New Business & Future Agenda Items: Next meeting is Tuesday November 8th, 2022 – 6:00 p.m. (6:55 p.m.)

- a. Research potential option to increase Public Restrooms availability
- b. Scooter corrals in North Park

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V. **Adjournment (7:00 p.m.)**