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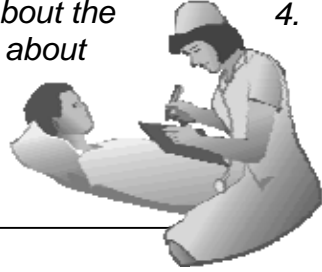
(A BRIGHTER FUTURE THROUGH COMMUNITY ACTION)

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This month's meeting will be held on **October 26 at 6:45PM** at the MAAC Charter School at 1385 Third Ave. (purple building near Quintard).

Dr. Farah from UCSD will talk about the new oncology center in CV and about ways to prevent cancer.

We hopefully will have an update on national Health Care Reform as well



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What is going on?

1. *We continue working on the two homes on Tremont. If you have some time and would like to help or know a group that might like to help, please call **425-5771**. One home we need touch up painting, installing a security door. Other varied things.*

2. Tuesday October 20 from 9-12 at city hall there will be a talk about domestic violence; the council meeting is at 4PM Item 10 is a resolution to increase energy efficiency citywide.

3. Wed. Oct. 21 at 6PM there is a meeting about possible development of some of the historic salt ponds at 6PM at the library on Coronado Blvd. and Beyer Blvd. (The Salt Ponds are in San Diego, so they have development authority.)

4. Saturday Oct. 24 Community Service opportunity Montgomery High School 3750 Palm Ave. from 9-12 Native Plants Garden adjacent to west parking lot near Hawaii, where two large snake sculptures are.

5. Monday Oct. 26 SWCVCA meeting 6:45pm

6. Tuesday Oct. 27 council meeting 4PM

7. Oct 29 10-12 city council chambers

Homeless Awareness presentation and discussion-Come be part of the solution

8. Hike Tijuana Estuary 11/21 from 1-2:30PM

What has happened this month:

1. Tuesday Oct. 6 the council told staff to form a committee of 5 mobile home park owners and 5 residents to discuss value of mobile homes.

2. Oct 7 there was a meeting at the Orange library to discuss new park and fire station

3. Oct 12 NWCA meeting Michael Meechum said that it is now time to get 4 or 5 of your neighbors together to get free or low-cost energy upgrades for your home, since the city has a grant.

4. 9/10 the city had a workshop where they discussed the history and the projects they have done in the SW. If you would like a CD of the meeting, please call 425-5771.

SOUTHWEST CHULA VISTA CIVIC Association

Minutes from general meeting 9/28/2009

1. Call to order at 6:53 by Theresa

2. Motion to approve minutes of August 24 made by Jim, 2nd by David, passed.

3. Discussion of upcoming holiday schedule and announcement of Oct. meeting to include Dr. Farah on cancer prevention. Suggestion of invitation to the Border Patrol to a future meeting.

4. Presentation of Walk San Diego audit of pedestrian issues around 32 elementary schools. Goal is to identify and offer solutions to infrastructure problems and present same to City Council. Some funding has already been attained

5. Presentation of the plan for a new park in the SDG&E right of way adjacent to the Orange Ave. library.

A. First speaker Chula Vista Landscape Architect John Kriza detailed the overall design incorporating a new fire station, soccer field, possible off-leash dog park, restrooms and tot lot. Funding for the park to come from utility franchise agreement and the redevelopment agency.

B. Next speaker Jim Garcia of the Chula Vista Fire Dept. detailed the design and need for a new station located due east of the library. Funding to come from a federal grant. Pledge to be a good neighbor in the area while answering 3,000 calls a year.

C. Community discussion of the park plan included suggestions for a community garden rather than dog park, natural grass versus artificial turf, the fact that no permanent structure is allowed in the SDG&E easement, traffic and safety issues. More information available at a meeting on Oct.7 at the library at 6:00.

6. Motion to adjourn made at 8:36 by David, 2nd by Earl, passed.

Thank you to our Donors

MARINE GROUP BOAT WORKS very generously donated over a \$1,000 worth of supplies. Dr. Demo 420-3366 has provided dumpsters, Allied Waste is donating 7 dumping fees and Otay Farms donated food. Steve Boyd Painting donated painting services 420-8684, Steve Pauka did stucco repairs, David Danciu provided hours of various skills.