

South Cirby Neighborhood Association Meeting Minutes
Member of Roseville Coalition of Neighborhood Associations
June 13, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.
Crestmont Elementary School Multi-Purpose Building

Present: Marilyn Floyd, Nick Castle, Colleen Cole, LaRon Golden, Reid Allen, Officer Timothy Williams, Firefighters (Rocky Fasani, Zachery Ford and Mike Collins), Zen Landis, Bill Floyd, Todd Strasser, Amanda Castle, Joe and Sue Van Zant, Page McLellan and Larry and Diana Sherby

Meeting called to order by President Marilyn Floyd at 7:05 p.m. Marilyn welcomed everyone and introduced the board.

Meeting Minutes: Hearing no objections, the president ordered the May 9, 2017 minutes approved as submitted and placed on file.

Treasurer's Report: The report states no activity from May 1, 2017 to May 31, 2017. The ending balance remains \$1,294.11. Hearing no objections, the president ordered the treasurer's report placed on file as submitted.

Guest Speaker – Zen Landis from Green Acres Nursery & Supply: Zen displayed low water use perennials with various textures, growing habits, colors and scents. She provided handouts with gardening and landscaping tips. Zen's helpful presentation included a question and answer period. Green Acres Nursery & Supply is a family owned and operated business, local to the Sacramento area. Their first location was established in **Roseville**, across from the Galleria in 2003. When Matsuda's Garden Center, off Jackson Rd. in **Sacramento**, decided to sell their retail location in 2007, the second Green Acres Nursery & Supply was established. In 2012, their third location opened in **Folsom** by recycling the vacant Circuit City building into a beautiful garden center. In spring of 2015, their fourth location in **Elk Grove** opened and is the first of their nurseries built from the ground up. Their fifth location in **Rocklin** opened in spring of 2016 and is the first of their sites tied to a larger shopping center. Patio furniture, grills and accessories can be found at their Elk Grove, Folsom and Rocklin nursery locations. Roseville will likely increase the Cash for Grass rebate amount per square foot at the end of this month so Zen recommended waiting to submit applications for the improved program. Zen recommends growing a cover crop over the winter to help improve the quality of garden soil. She recommends soil solarization with clear plastic in the summer for weed and disease control. Another weed abatement method is sheet mulching (compost and cardboard layering) in the fall. The Master Gardener Program is a good source for learning how to improve your soil without using chemicals that find their way into our waterways.

Reports/Old Business

Roseville Police Officer Neighborhood Report: Officer Williams reported vehicle theft is on a slight rise, but is usually tied to a crime of opportunity. There are no alarming crime trends to report in our beat and most of his patrolling is in the business areas. Most calls to the PD from our neighborhood are traffic complaints on Crestmont Avenue and Sheridan Avenue. Marilyn complimented the Roseville PD for keeping the peace during the recent anti-sharia law protest.

Roseville Firefighters: Cirby Way Fire Station No. 3 firefighters attended. Lawn mowers, paints, gasoline and chemicals are flammable so be careful with storing flammable items in sheds and garages. Flammable container lockers are great to use, but expensive. The "4th of July Safety Tips" flyer notes the legal time for discharge of safe and sane fireworks is from 12:00 p.m. on June 28 through 11:59 p.m. on July 4. Using goats for weed abatement has been cut from Roseville's budget leaving grasses tall around Maidu Park. If you have a concern about tall grasses, call the Fire Administration Office at 774-5800. Roseville firefighters take pride in their fire station and love to have open houses and meet the parents and kids from the neighborhood. You can check out the engines as well as the quarters firefighters stay

in. Kids will have activities and receive hats and stickers. Donuts and orange juice will likely be available if time allows them to prepare for their open house. People are welcome to drop by anytime during the year, but Fire Station No. 3's upcoming open house is Saturday, August 5, from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m. Public Information Officer, Jaime Garrett, schedules the visits from the fire departments for National Night Out (NNO) events held throughout Roseville. NNO is on their calendars and they hope to attend our event.

National Night Out: August 1, 2017 is our NNO event. Marilyn registered with both the National Association of Town Watch and City of Roseville for our neighborhood event to be held at Crestmont Park Pavilion. Curves would like to set up a vendor table so they will send a request to the board. Businesses in our SCNA may apply also. Watch for our July newsletter for more details about NNO.

3rd Annual Garage Sale: Our 3rd annual neighborhood garage sale is October 7, 2017 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Stephen Costello confirmed his interest to sponsor the event again this year. Marilyn and Colleen are meeting with Stephen on June 14 to streamline duties. We are in need of volunteers to help with map passing the day of the event.

New Business

General Election: Page McLellan assisted in the election process at the sign-in/verification table and passed out the Slate of Candidates page which was posted on the website. The required minimum of volunteers (5) to retain "active neighborhood association" status within Roseville Coalition of Neighborhood Associations (RCONA) are running for board positions. Marilyn announced the Slate of Candidates and asked for a motion to vote.

Bill Floyd motioned to elect the slate as proposed. The motion was seconded and voice vote passed unanimously.

SCNA's new term board members are: Marilyn Floyd, Nick Castle, Colleen Cole, Reid Allen and Dave McGovern. After adjourning the general meeting, the new term board will determine positions for each board member.

Dates to Remember:

RCONA Representative for June 15, 2017 RCONA Meeting: Colleen plans to attend.

Community Coffee with City Council: June 15, 2017 with Scott Alvord, 6:00 p.m., The Fig Tree Coffee, 222 Vernon Street

Future Community Coffee with City Council: June 29, 2017 with Mayor Susan Rohan, 7:00 p.m., Martha Riley Library

Next SCNA Meeting: July 11, 2017, 7:00 p.m., Crestmont Park Pavilion (summer meeting place)

Future RCONA Meeting: July 20, 2017, 7:00 p.m., Martha Riley Library

Fire Station No. 3 Open House: August 5, 2017 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., 1300 Cirby Way

Future SCNA Meeting: August 8, 2017, 7:00 p.m., Crestmont Park Pavilion (summer meeting place)

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Colleen Cole, Secretary