

MINUTES OF THE CRIME PREVENTION COMMITTEE

March 9th, 7:00 p.m. El Cerrito City Hall

Hillside Conference Room –second floor 10890 San Pablo Avenue

Chair Calish called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Roll Call

Members in Attendance: Chair Randy Calish, Vice Chair Catherine Krueger, Pansy Kwong, Gene Go, Members Hazen and Umemoto were absent.

City Council/Staff in Attendance: Councilmember Greg Lyman / Sgt. Scott Cliatt present

1. Council / Staff Liaison Reports

Councilmember Lyman reported on recent City Council activities. Sgt Cliatt briefly reported on activities around the Police Department.

2. Minutes

Moved and carried (Krueger / Kwong) to adopt the February 9th meeting minutes (Unanimous.)

3. Comments from the Public

There were no members of the public present.

4. Discussion of Crime Prevention Committee Activities for 2011

The group discussed hosting an informational table promoting National Night Out 2011 and Neighborhood Watch at the City's April 16th, 2011 Earth Day Celebration. Moved and carried (Kwong/Go) to host a booth at the Earth Day celebration. Unanimous.

The group discussed hosting a booth at the Fourth of July Celebration.

5. Planning for National Night Out 2011

Sgt. Cliatt reported that the NNO 2011 media art is not yet available but should be available soon. The City is registered now with NATW for NNO 2011.

The group discussed supplies needed for NNO 2011. Moved and carried (Krueger / Kwong) to request the order of the following supplies:

- 20- NNO 2011 banners
- 45 Baseball caps for NNO Block hosts, City officials and CPC members
- 1000 NNO 2011 balloons
- 200 NNO wrist bands
- 200 Child Identification Kits

The vote was unanimous. Sgt. Cliatt will request the order be processed.

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6. Membership

No new applications.

7. Communication Report (Including Neighborhood Watch / Home Security Report.)

Member Kwong reported a phone message left by a resident in the 900 block of Norvell Street requesting information on Neighborhood Watch meeting. Chair Calish reported that there was already a NW group in place at that location. Chair Calish / Sgt. Cliatt will research this matter.

Vice Chair Krueger reported that a resident in the Hagen Blvd neighborhood requested a Neighborhood Watch meeting on either March 25th or April 1st, 2011 at 5:30 PM.

Member Kwong reported that there was a problem with the Crime Prevention Committee email address. Sgt Cliatt will look into resolving the issue.

8. Adjournment

Moved and carried (Go/Kwong) to adjourn at 8:29 PM.