

Pleasant Grove Neighborhood Association
Board Meeting Notes
October 15, 2019
6:30pm

In Attendance: Robert Sanchez, Sharon Mahany, Laxmi Rao, Lisa Granucci, Shawn Granucci, Ron Chunovich, Carla Chunovich, Louise Enderlin, Shelley Knox, Bonnie Gore and Scott Alvord.

Welcome

National Neighborhood Day was **Sunday, Sept 15**. Although turnout was small, all had a great time. Several new neighbors came and met neighbors.

Boo Event: Lisa purchased and assembled Boo Bags. Packages were delivered by Lisa and Sharon and Laxmi. Lisa kept within the \$80 budget for 25 gift bags.

Speaker Bonnie Gore discussed Placer County growth. Placer Vineyard is in Roseville's Specific Plan. It consists of 14,000 units along Baseline. The County has a 3by3 group formed of county and city reps to talk about joint issues such as homelessness and shared facilities. The CEO, Bonnie and one other Sup, and two councilmembers compose the current group. Placer County Fairgrounds and Veteran's Hall at Royer Park are county buildings on City land. They recently studied traffic flow for the Event Center at the Fairgrounds to try redirect traffic out Junction near the Police Station. They also worked together to add handicapped parking stalls near the Vet's Building because parkgoers were taking nearby stalls, forcing Vets to walk quite away down the street to get to meetings/classes.

Baseline Road to Sacramento – Approximately 10,000-20,000 cars/day travel Baseline. Baseline is planned to become 6 lanes and carry 40,000 cars. Bonnie wants stop lights where stop signs are now along Baseline.

Placer Vineyards development is located past Morgan Creek west of Walerga, south of Baseline. Placer Ranch development is moving to planning dept. meetings in November.

Placer Parkway – Whitney Oaks interchange overpass at Hwy 65 – no development out there. Will connect with Hwy 99. There is talk of Sac State satellite services in this area.

Homelessness:

Roseville – Gathering Inn – nomadic homeless shelter.

County allocated 4 million dollars for non-profits to purchase homes for homeless services.

Homeless population is 600 countywide, 300 in the City of Roseville. Services keep the other transients off the street. Not enough beds in the community for all the homeless identified now.

There is a plan for keeping those over age 55 off the street with seven homes. Placer Rescue Mission is to receive a donation for these homes.

Homeless task force – local non-profits, city, county. Volunteers to work with homeless. Community services officers ride-along with PD. Offer services and resources to those that need them. Probation officers.

Defining Services:

Aub – 100-bed shelter at The Gathering Inn.

Lincoln – working for a day shelter. Homeless live around creeks and open space.

Rocklin – not many

Roseville – 140,000 population. Sixty percent of the homeless in town are Roseville residents. Homeless due to drugs, mental health, no job, lost their couch from a friend's house.

211 = A phone number to call for resources/services (like 911)

Bonnie Gore has a newsletter to keep you up to date on county issues. Newsletter can be found at the County website. /Bonnie Gore – Dist. 1.

Scott Alvord – recycled water in green areas in Westpark. City has 80 parks now.

Blue Oaks is to extend to Westbrook near Baseline. Connecting roads will be built as developer fees come in. Creekview to build homes next year. Currently there is a two-lane bridge. After development, it is planned to become a four-lane bridge and four lanes eventually. Lennar owns a small parcel. They can put in a road so fire can get through in exchange for getting home permits in another area of town. This is a win/win for Lennar and Fire response time. Scott spoke with a farmer along Baseline to get him onboard with replacing current stop signs with stop lights referencing the air pollution being caused by cars lined up at the stop signs.

Questions remain: About these new housing developments, what is the County doing to prepare for water, traffic, fire, and utilities? Bonnie covered housing and roads, but not other issues. Perhaps these can be topics for a future meeting.

Sharon and Laxmi presented Robert with the certificate presented to them by the City Parks and Recreation Commission for the landscaping improvement project, spearheaded and mostly funded by PGNA neighbors. Kudos to all contributors!

We voted for 2020 officers at this meeting. Following the rule of one vote per household, a total of 6 votes were counted.

2020 PGNA Board: Robert Sanchez, Laxmi Rao, Sharon Mahany, Lisa Granucci, and Evelyn Gibson. Board members will determine amongst themselves by January 1 if they wish to change roles.

Next General Meeting

Nov 19 board meeting 7-8pm
Dec. no meeting

Respectfully submitted, Sharon Mahany, Secretary/Treasurer