

D6NLG Agenda

San José District 6 Neighborhood and Community Leaders Group (D6NLG) will be Monday Aug. 2nd 2021, 7 PM, meeting electronically over Zoom
(with notes in green by L.Ames, 9/27/21)

Meeting Agenda:

- Welcome and Introductory Remarks – Larry Ames, chair
- Attendee Introductions – Name / Organization / Title
 - Steve Kline, rep for Co.Sup. Susan Ellenberg, D4
 - Larry Ames, P&RC & D6NLG Chair
 - Jim Carter, N'hds Cmsn
 - Bill Rankin, SOT & D6NLG Vice Chair
 - Jean Dresden, SJ Parks Advocates
 - Mary Pizzo, Drake/Fuller N'hd
 - Art Maurice, Parks & Rec Cmsn
 - Mary Anne Groen, aide to SJ CM Dev Davis, D6
 - Harvey Darnell, NWGNA & SAAG
- Agenda Changes/additions? none
- Corrections to [minutes](#) from last month? none
 - agendas, minutes, and position papers are archived on <http://calsj.org/D6/>
- Elected Officials / Staff Updates
 - Supervisor Ellenberg – Steve Kline
 - updates on Covid situation
 - updates on Sup's public outreach: farmer's market; Zoom event.
 - Councilmember Davis – Maryanne Groen
 - CM Davis memo opposing SB 9 and SB10 - going to Rules meeting on 8/11 and council on 8/17
 - movie night Rubino Park this Saturday
 - new D6 staff members Isabel Sanchez (communications) and Linda Nellis (executive assistant)
 - Serena Desai and Allison Montonye have left office for grad school and graduated from Law school, respectively
 - Blue Zones event on August 18th in council chambers starting at 5 pm - 8 pm [discussion of learning from areas w/ long-lived residents]
 - >> consensus of group: D6NLG to send letter to City re SB9 & 10. Jean Dresden drafts, Chair finalizes & sends:
see <http://calsj.org/D6/D6NLG--OpportunityHousing-SB9&10.pdf>
- Board and Commission Updates
 - Neighborhood Commission – Jim Carter
 - Council filed vacancies: NC now has a quorum. Having an orientation mtg.
 - City has new City Mngr: Jennifer Maguire
 - Parks & Rec Commission – Art Maurice (D6); Larry Ames (D3)
 - > upcoming event: VivaCalleSJ, Sept 19, 10AM-3PM: see <https://www.vivacallesj.org/>
- Advocacy and Community Group updates

- Save Our Trails -- Bill Rankin
 - SOT will host a table at VivaCalleSJ;
 - 3 Crks Trail clean-up last Sat of each month.
- SJ Park Advocates -- Jean Dresden
 - City undertaking nexus study for Park Trust Fund. enabling ordinance is from 1980's: time to renew
 - Homeless intruding into city parks. 200 people in Guad. Gardens (Coleman Loop): FAA wants them out. Impacting Guad.Gardens Educational Cntr, impacting programs & volunteers; impacting heritage orchards.
 - SPUR talk re: Guad.River accessible. Dam it to make it kayakable?
 - Land-use issue: West San Carlos. Build 7-story bldgs. next to single-family homes?
- Announcements:
 - Improvements on Fruitdale Ave -- Susan Price -- repaved & w/ Road Diet / bike lanes!
 - Street Trees update on Harrison Street – Mary Pizzo --trees are all saved!
 - Dedication of Barack Obama Blvd, Aug 21, 9:30 AM -- Alex Shoor
- Continued from last month:
 - D6NLG Finances --deferred.
 - requirements on grant from UNSCC -- Bill Rankin
- Next meeting date?
 - Mon., Sept 6th is a holiday (Labor Day); group opted to skip Sept. and next meet in Oct.
- Additional topics? none
- Final thought? none
- Adjourn until >Oct. 4th< 7 PM, via Zoom