

Azalea Park Neighborhood Association
August 10, 2010 Meeting Minutes

Guests attending:

Gabe Gutierrez – Community representative from City Supervisor Ron Roberts' office.
Officer Felkins - Community Liaison, City of San Diego Police
Marc Meyer – NCRC representative (The National Conflict Resolution Center)

The President opened the meeting with introduction of APNA members. After APNA members introduced themselves, the President opened the floor for discussion and invited Officer Felkins, Community Liaison, City of San Diego Police, to address the meeting.

Officer Felkins spoke about neighborhood concerns. He noted that the response to transient issues resulted in fewer vagrants hanging around Azalea Park. Office Felkins also said that he types up neighborhood concerns and distributes copies to patrolling officers. Finally he informed APNA members of the arrest of a suspected drug dealer.

Marc Meyer, representative from The National Conflict Resolution Center (NCRC), addressed the meeting. Mr. Meyer discussed how the NCRC has programs to resolve and mediate issues between neighbors. He invited APNA members to attend a dispute mediation workshop scheduled for late September.

Linda Pennington spoke next. She noted continuing efforts to install tile piping and concrete pieces to the community garden in Azalea Park. Ms. Pennington also showed some pictures from the latest facelift. She noted the Bobby McMannis canyon clean up and celebration of the late community activist. She also noted the coastal clean up activities scheduled for September 25 and the refurbishment of the community center scheduled for October 2.

Gabe Gutierrez, Community representative from City Supervisor Ron Roberts' office, addressed the meeting. Mr. Gutierrez discussed outreach programs to local businesses to apply as suppliers to the City of San Diego. He noted that San Diego will be installing 2,000 electric vehicle charging stations over the next several years.

The president then took nominations for the APNA executive committee. The nominations were as follows:

President:	Robert Walters
Vice President:	Tom Lashbrook
Secretary:	Mike Jenkins
Treasurer:	Mark Pennington
Ambassador:	Kerem Bardot

The president then concluded the meeting.