

Notes from the Azalea Park Neighborhood Association

Meeting of March 12, 2013

Officer Rene Murillo cautioned about a man acting "weird" on the streets of the neighborhood and that the man is reportedly not dangerous. If the man's behavior is causing concern, please call the police at 619-531-2000. Rene also passed out information regarding some scams. He provided also the police narcotics number: 531-2468

Marisa Berumen, the deputy chief-of-staff for city councilmember Marti Emerald's office, passed out the office newsletter. She highlighted an article dealing with Azalea Park. Also, she gave information regarding the city budget hearings, the updated system in regard to 911-reporting and stated that neighborhood street repairing is anticipated to start in April.

Gabe Gutierrez, of county supervisor Ron Roberts' office, reported on a recent Ramona Airport incident/news conference and a potential close-down of some fire-fighting needs. He discussed a phone app.

(Smart phone) for relating information in regard to regional incidents.

Michael Sprague provided information regarding local planning groups.

A motion was made and seconded by attendees for Michael to continue to represent our neighborhood at the City Heights Town Council meetings.

Ken Jacobs spoke in support of reducing the speed limit on Poplar Street (currently at 35 MPH; can be reduced to 30 MPH). Attendees voted in favor of a speed reduction should the city do a community inquiry regarding same. The possibility of angled parking was discussed also.

Jaime Chavez provided information regarding the upcoming Latino Film Festival (20th anniversary) to be held at the Hazard Center Theater.

Notes submitted by Bob Walters, APNA secretary