

# Notes from the Azalea Park Neighborhood Association

Meeting of September 10, 2013

A big Thank You was expressed to Jose Diaz for a recent \$1000.00 grant given to the APNA general fund to be used at the APNA's discretion. Jose works for Price Charities and facilitated this grant to our non-profit organization. Felicia Shaw suggested using the funds to paint a wall mural at the neighborhood Mustang auto shop and/or for Parkway beautification or improvements.

Our Association officer elections were held and the results are as follows:

- President: Ricardo Moran
- Vice President: J.P. Schuiteman
- Secretary: Bob Walters
- Treasurer: Mark Pennington
- Neighborhood Ambassador: Jose Diaz

Raquel Maden, as representative from Assemblyman Ben Hueso's office, expressed her willingness to answer questions about legislative issues and other concerns. Mr. Hueso represents the City Heights area.

Rudy Vargas, representing City Councilmember Marti Emerald's office, presented her office's newsletter highlighted some newsletter stories including the pending Gathering Place project. He also pointed out contact information.

David Alvarez, City Councilmember for district 8, announced his candidacy for San Diego Mayor.

Eddie Green and Robin Barber invited all to the October 26th potluck Halloween party at their home.

Linda Pennington announced the September 21st local site Canyonlands Clean-up here in Azalea Park.

A brief discussion was made re: the Gathering Place project which is moving along; a meeting will be held at the Clark School on September 30th where community design ideas will be welcomed. The project includes a four-day "build."

Ricardo Moran announced a potluck follow-up meeting at his home on October 12th from 3-6PM to discuss moving along the neighborhood signage project at Poplar and Fairmount streets.

Notes presented by Bob Walters, APNA Secretary