17th-San Bruno Project Committee Meeting Notes January 19, 2012

Attending: Sheldon Trimble, Maria Tong, Karin Bauer, J.R. Eppler, Jean Bogiages

Survey

Maria put surveys in the mailboxes of neighbors on San Bruno. There are 10 houses. 4 surveys were returned.

Information for the UCB class

Karin will take the ideas from the survey and the ideas we have discussed and put together a document to send to Professor Walter Hood as background for his landscape class. The class will come up with landscape ideas for the freeway right-of-way land from 17th street to 25th street. Neighbors will be able to review the results and get consensus on an approach to follow with a landscape plan and budget.

Traffic calming petition

We reviewed the traffic calming petition and decided to add a request for a bulls-eye mirror and perpendicular or diagonal parking. We will take the petition to Assistant Pastor David Dumanovsky when we meet with him on Friday. Jean will put together a flyer to send to the neighbors letting them know that we will be coming door to door to get their signatures on the traffic calming petition.

Getting buy in from the businesses in the area...UPS, Therien, etc.

We decided to wait until we have a landscape plan before we approach the businesses.

Making a presentation at a Boosters meeting.

We agreed that we would like to present the projects we are working on to the Boosters at a meeting. We will present both the 17th-San Bruno project and the Fallen Bridge mini-park project. We agreed that it made sense to present the 17th-San Bruno project to the Boosters before we have a landscape plan.

Meeting with Assistant Pastor David of the Russian Gospel Church

Karin, Sheldon and Jean will meet with Asst. Pastor David and discuss both the ideas for reclaiming the freeway right-of-way and the traffic calming ideas.

Getting the city services to do a better job keeping the area clean and vagrant free.

As a result of the December 6 meeting, Caltrans has sent a work crew out to clean out the area under the bushes to discourage homeless encampments. They only finished the northern section of the street. Karin spoke to the workers who said that have to notify the homeless to move out and give them 3 days and then they will come back with the highway patrol to finish the southern section of the street. Maria said that some neighbors were unhappy with the fact that now they can see more of the freeway and more dirt can come onto the street and their houses. The group wondered when Caltrans was going to finish the southern section and Jean said she would send an email to Carlos Aguilar to get clarification.

Jean suggested that we use the online web addresses to register complaints about the condition of the area:

Report a Problem to the Mission Police Station: http://www.missionstation.org/report-a-problem.html

Report a problem to Caltrans: http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/maint/msrsubmit

Submitted by Jean Bogiages, 1/22/2012