



Regular Meeting  
of the  
San José  
Neighborhood Services & Education Committee  
held  
November 13, 2008 at 1:30 P.M.

Present: Chair Chirco, Vice Chair Nguyen, Councilmember Nancy Pyle, Councilmember Kansen Chu, Jeff Janssen, Barbara Jordan and Albert Balagso

The meeting was convened at 1:32 p.m.

**a. Report on Pricing and Revenue Plan (PRNS)**

Document Filed: Memorandum from Director of Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Albert Balagso, dated October 27, 2008, recommending that Committee provide input into the development of the Pricing and Revenue Plan.

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Vice-Chair Nguyen, the Committee accepted the report.

**b. Library Annual Usage Report (Library) [Deferred from October, 2008]**

Document Filed: Memorandum from Director of Library Jane Light, dated October 27, 2008, recommending the acceptance of the report.

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Vice-Chair Nguyen, the Committee accepted the report.

**c. Report on Joyce Ellington Library Consumer Health Focus (Library)**

Document Filed: Memorandum from Director of Library Jane Light, dated October 27, 2008, recommending the acceptance of the report.

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Vice-Chair Nguyen, the Committee accepted the report.

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**d. Report on Citywide Sports Field Study (PRNS) [Deferred from September, 2008]  
[Deferred from October, 2008]**

Document Filed: Memorandum from Director of Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Albert Balagso, dated October 27, 2008, recommending the acceptance of the final draft report.

Public Comments: Rob MacDonald, and Jeff Dixon, volunteers who worked on the community fields study, both thanked the City and staff for allowing the study to be done.

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Vice-Chair Nguyen, the Committee accepted the report and agreed to forward the report to the full Council and to cross-reference it at the December 2 City Council meeting.

**e. Update on Community Center Re-use – Funding and Source of Funding/Facility Re-use Policy Recommendations (PRNS) [Deferred from October, 2008]**

Documents Filed: Memorandum from Director of Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Albert Balagso, dated October 27, 2008, recommending acceptance of the update report.

Public Comments: Jeff Adjunali, Ramallah Club of San José, thanked the Re-use Committee for time and effort they put into getting together the re-use policy. Carol El Shaieb, Arab-American Cultural Center, stated that they are grateful for the re-use process which they thought was fair. Mark Wagner, San José Astronomical Association, also thanked staff for the great work they have done. He stated they are looking forward to sharing Hogue Park with other users. Rufus White, Silicon Valley African-American Productions, thanked the City for giving them the chance to partner with the City and other users. Sonja Civtanich, Eastern European Agency, thanked staff for giving them a place for their program and to share with other users. Judy Purrington thanked staff for giving her an opportunity to work on the community review panel. Sara Gonzales, Filipino Youth Coalition, thanked the City for giving their group a home and to be able to share the center with others.

Angel Rios also acknowledged Dale Osborn who also worked on the Re-use Committee, for his hard work.

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Vice-Chair Nguyen, the Committee accepted the report.

**f. Report on the 2008-09 Summer Aquatics Program (PRNS)**

Documents Filed: Memorandum from Director of Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services Albert Balagso, dated October 27, 2008, recommending acceptance of the report.

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Vice-Chair Chu, the Committee accepted the report.

**g. Report on the San José Education Foundation Pilot Contract (PRNS) [Request deferral to January, 2009]**

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Councilmember Chu, the Committee deferred the report.

**h. Anti-Graffiti/Anti-Litter Campaign Update (PRNS) [Request deferral to February, 2009]**

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Councilmember Chu, the Committee deferred the report.

**i. Review of Quarterly Performance Measure Reporting (Neighborhood Services CSA) [Request deferral to December, 2008]**

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Councilmember Chu, the Committee deferred the report.

**j. Strong Neighborhoods Monthly Update (CMO) [Request deferral to November, 2008]**

1. Neighborhoods Commission Update [Deferred from October, 2008]
2. Neighborhood Leadership Development Update

Councilmember Chu suggested doing more outreach to the Asian/Vietnamese community so they can participate in classes offered to the community.

Action: Upon motion by Councilmember Pyle, seconded by Councilmember Chu, the Committee accepted the report.

**k. Schools/City Collaborative Monthly Update (CMO)**

**1. Reports from School Safety, Joint Use, and Teacher Recruitment/Retention Subcommittee Reports**

No report given. The next Schools/City Collaborative Meeting will be on December 10, 2008. A verbal update will be provided at the December 11 NSE meeting.

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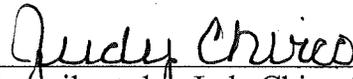
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**l. Oral Petitions**

There were none.

**m. Adjournment**

The Committee adjourned at 4:15 p.m.



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Councilmember Judy Chirco  
Chair, Neighborhood Services  
and Education Committee

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