

## MINUTES

Beautification Advisory Committee  
1800 Francisco Blvd.  
Pacifica, CA 94044

December 4, 2013

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM by Chair Jaquith.

Members of the Beatification Advisory Committee (BAC) in attendance were, Ginny Jaquith, David Martinez, Florentina Mazzone, and Michael Mooney. Aren Clark representing the Public Works Department was in attendance. Wendy Santiago was not present at the meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted with no corrections.

The first topic was an update on projects on Cal-Trans property. Cal-Trans is currently in the process of notifying existing Adopt-a-Highway groups to see if they are still interested in maintaining their designated areas. This does not mean that these groups will be allowed to continue to work in their previously assigned areas, as Cal-Trans is still reviewing the various sections of Highway 1 in order to determine suitability in the program. Individual highway projects can be submitted directly to Cal-Trans for approval. Cal-Trans was pleased with the work done at the Fairway off-ramp and has approved volunteer tree trimming at the pedestrian overpass adjacent to 700 Palmetto Ave. The question was raised if Cal-Trans can place woodchips in the center median adjacent to the Moose Lodge and if grants are available for beautifying Cal-Trans property.

The status of the median strips on Linda Mar Boulevard was discussed. It was determined that the City of Pacifica would clear the existing landscaping prior to December 25, 2013. Installation of the new landscape material on the first median was tentatively scheduled for the week of January 6, 2014. At the time the minutes were compiled, the plants have been ordered but no delivery date has been set. At this time it appears that sponsors have been found for the remaining three medians.

The proposal that Beta Sigma Phi adopt one of the raised planters at the parking lot at Crespi Drive and Highway one was discussed. City staff was directed to investigate the possibility of usable irrigation water at this site.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 PM.

The next meeting of the Beautification Advisory Committee is scheduled for Tuesday January 7, 2014 at 6:30 PM. The meeting will be held in the PB&R Conference room located at 1810 Francisco Boulevard.