

City of Castle Pines North, Colorado

Minutes

November 12, 2008

REGULAR MEETING OF THE SAFETY TASK FORCE

CPN Community Center

7404 Yorkshire Dr., Castle Rock, CO

November 12, 2008 - 3:00 p.m.

Chair
Carol Langley-
Finnegan

Co-Chair
Steve Konecny

Secretary
Jeff Anderson

1. ROLL CALL

The meeting of the Safety Task Force of the City of Castle Pines North, Colorado, was called to order by by Chair at 3:00 p.m.

Those present were:

Officers: Carol Langley-Finnegan
Steve Konecny
Jeff Anderson

Members and Attendees: Kim Hoffman
Jennifer Havercroft
Jack Noble - CH2M Hill
Richard Lewis – CH2M Hill
Charlie Green – HOA2 President
Kerri Norris
Doug Hutchins
Marilyn Thompson

Those absent were:

Officers: None

Members: None

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA AND MINUTES

Agenda and minutes moved for approval and unanimously approved.

3. DISCLOSURE OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

None submitted

4. CITIZENS' COMMENTS

None submitted

5. MEMBER REPORTS

Sledding Hill

City attorney must approve any signage before they are put in place. Cost of barriers would have to go through city council. Determination of right-of-way must be conducted. Boulders considered for barriers, or large planters. Issues with irrigation may exist. Secondary location may possibly exist in the new LaGae Development.

Action - Kim will ask city council about signage.

Sidewalk

Started pouring concrete yesterday.

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Sex Offender Registry

Schools are being very cooperative. HOA2 discussed sex offender on school grounds who has students in Buffalo Ridge; the HOA is seeking solutions. It is a legislative issue to change current conditions for managing an individual's presence in the community.

Emergency Management Plan

STF will check on Douglas County's status on updating County EMP. County schedule is to have their plan updated by the end of the year.

Neighborhood Watch

Still no attendance for block captains meeting. Discussion on activity lately. Interest is gaining but needs further organization.

Law Enforcement Contract – CH2M Hill reports it is top priority. Currently being reviewed by the city. February is due date.

City Services around Budget – public works will be taken over by city in February and will be largest expenditure. County has been addressing some road issues per STF driven effort. CH2M Hill has prepared a request to county to extend snow removal time frame.

The city's new direction will be discussed at upcoming meetings.

Kerri discussed crosswalk pothole and striping issue and need for completion.

Discussion on need to focus on a few STF areas and allow CH2M Hill to focus on the other public safety issues. It is agreed that a single point of contact is needed for communicating city issues and a PR effort needs to occur to ensure that happens. The Master email list, the Connection news and other existing sources must direct citizens to the new website. Timing may be when the new budget comes out.

6. SAFETY PRIORITY DISCUSSION

1) The STF will begin focusing on the following priorities:

Education of Citizens where go for information

i) Community Resources

- (1) NW - <http://www.usaonwatch.org/>,
http://www.dcsheriff.net/support/Community_Resources.html
- (2) Wildlife - <http://wildlife.state.co.us/Education/LivingWithWildlife/>
- (3) First Aid/CPR
- (4) Chamber Events
- (5) Wildfire Mitigation
- (6) Emergency Management
- (7) School Safety
- (8) Community Safety Volunteer Program
- (9) Animal Control
- (10) Project Lifesaver
- (11) Sex Offender Registration
- (12) Douglas County Alerts
- (13) DARE

Carol, Kim, Jeff, Steve and Jennifer will put together list and ensure it is published.

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- 2) Emergency Management and Preparedness
- 3) Neighborhood Watch (include business community)
- 4) Fire Mitigation
- 5) Sledding Hill – Doug will finish out

7. CH2MHILL UPDATES

See notes in MEMBER REPORTS section

8. CONCLUSION OF THE MEETING AND ASSIGNMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 p.m. by unanimous consent.

Minutes submitted:

JEFF ANDERSON

APPROVED:

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