



## City of Buena Park

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### MINUTES OF CITY BEAUTIFICATION-ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION APRIL 23, 2015

#### CALL TO ORDER

The Beautification-Environmental Commission met in a regular session on April 23, 2015 at 6:35 p.m., in the City Hall Council Chambers of the Civic Center, 6650 Beach Boulevard, Buena Park, California.

#### ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Brown, Makros, McKinney, Qureshi  
ABSENT: Contreras, Lollis, Weeks

Also present were: Gerry Lopez, Field Operations Manager and Ella Jones, Senior Department Secretary.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** The pledge of allegiance was led by Commissioner Brown.

#### CONSENT CALENDAR: (1)

1. Approval of Minutes  
Meeting of January March 26, 2015

MOTION: Brown  
SECOND: Qureshi  
AYES: Brown, Makros, McKinney, Qureshi  
NOES: None  
ABSENT: Contreras, Lollis, Weeks

APPROVED the recommended action.

#### END OF CONSENT CALENDAR

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS: (2-5)

2. **Mission Statement – Discussion and Direction (Requested by Juan Contreras)**

Recommended Action: To table discussion regarding a mascot for the Beautification-Environmental Commission.

MOTION: McKinney  
SECOND: Brown  
AYES: Brown, Makros, McKinney, Qureshi  
NOES: None  
ABSENT: Contreras, Lollis, Weeks

Motion carried.

**3. Tree Master Plan – Next Steps**

Mr. Lopez reported the Master Plan was approved. The City policy at this time is to not plant trees due to the drought. Mr. Lopez sated the final is being sent to the state for review.

**4. Fullerton Recycling Program – (Requested by Ted Makros)**

Commissioner Makros attend the Fullerton Recycling Program. He noted a truck for shredding was available. The event was not very busy. Commissioners agreed to table the discussion.

**5. Commission Activity – (Requested by Ted Makros)**

Commissioner Makros requested a calendar of events. The calendar was reviewed and discussed.

**NEW BUSINESS: (6-7)**

**6. Neighborhood Improvement Partnership Program (NIPP)**

It was agreed to meet on Saturday, May 30<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 a.m. at City Hall. This year the NIPP was assigned to the "Planetary" homes.

**7. Tulare Street Debris – Discussion and Direction (Requested by Utanah Brown)**

There was discussion regarding the cleanup of Tulare Street Debris. Commissioner Brown requested the area to be inspected by the City and staff.

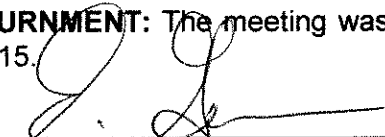
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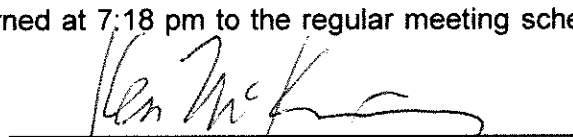
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**ORAL COMMUNICATIONS / COMMISSION COMMENTS:**

Commissioner McKinney requested City trash cans with the City seal.  
Commissioner Brown requested Tulare Street debris on the next agenda.

**ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting was adjourned at 7:18 pm to the regular meeting scheduled May 22, 2015.

  
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**SECRETARY**

  
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**CHAIRMAN**