

Parks Commission Report - by Daphna Woolfe, Parks Commissioner for District 1

San Jose Family Camp presented its annual report. This is a fantastic vacation spot in the Yosemite area for everyone, not just families with children. Did you know that residents are able to rent the tent cabins after the summer season? This is a great place to hold an event or retreat. Registration is open now for the summer, but slots are filling very fast!

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Project Hope, which was first launched in the Winchester/Cadillac area has been a wonderful success and continues to build a strong neighborhood. Two more areas in the city are beginning this process as well. Project Hope, takes a neighborhood that is often crime ridden, full of blight, and may have gang issues as well, and helps them form an neighborhood association. Through the association, residents learn how to interact with the city so that they can get help when needed. The city is also proactive in its inspections of rental units, so that owners are forced to comply with city codes. Many trainings and community events are held as well.