



## **District 1 Leadership Group - Agenda**

**Saturday, May 11, 9AM West Valley Library**

- Networking and Refreshments 08:45 – 09:00
- General Business 09:00 – 09:15
  - Agenda and Minutes
  - Treasurer's Report
- District 1 Council Office Update 09:15 – 09:45
- Discussion Topics 09:45 – 10:45
  - SJ Homeless Update
  - D1 Decides 2019 update
  - SJ 2019 Road Paving Project
  - SJ Emergency Services Update
- Neighborhood Announcements 10:45 – 11:00
- Adjourn 11:00

### **Future D1LG meeting dates for your calendar**

(Second Saturday of odd numbered months)

- Saturday, Jul 13 (annual picnic, date may change)
- Saturday, Sep 14
- Saturday, Nov 9

Website: [www.D1LeadershipGroup.com](http://www.D1LeadershipGroup.com)

Facebook: [www.facebook.com/D1LeadershipGroup/](https://www.facebook.com/D1LeadershipGroup/)

# D1 Leadership Group Meeting Minutes - 11 May 2019

**D1LG board members present:** Ken Pyle, Ramona Snyder, Doris Livezey, Jerry Giles, Steve Ling

**D1 Council office present:** Councilmember Chappie Jones, David Gomez, Cassidy Kohl, Raania Mohsen

**Presenters:** Binh Tran

**Members:** AMI Preschool/PuebloPlay, BAHN, Blackford, Easterbrook, Eden(3), Hamann Park(3), Lynhaven, Magliocco, Miller, Moreland West, Murdock, San Tomas West, Strawberry Park, Strawberry Square, Westgate Village, Winchester Orchard, Winchester Ranch (3)

**Total attendance:** 29

**Meeting opened 9:02 AM**

- **General Business**
  - **Agenda and Minutes**
    - **January and March minutes approved by unanimous vote**
  - **Treasurer's Report**
    - **Balance \$5906.31 (see Treasurer's Report)**
    - **Received 5 requests for funds for driveway parties and dumpster days**
- **SJ 2019 Road Paving Project**
  - **Binh Tran is managing the SJ residential street repair project**
  - **PCI (pavement condition index) ranges from 21 to 90**
  - **PCI 50 and below requires major rework**
  - **Since 2012 major streets were maintained, but local streets (1490 miles) were not**
  - **Funding from VTA measure B, Prop 6 continue gas tax and Measure T in 2020**
  - **Plan to repair or resurface all streets in the next 9 years**
  - **Start with 248 miles of streets in 2019**
  - **Delay work in areas with project that will tear up streets**
  - **Trying to balance the work across districts**
  - **Using novel in-place methods (reuse the old material so less waste)**
  - **Residents to be notified 2 weeks in advance**
  - **See details at <http://sanjoseca.gov/transportation>**
  - **Can still use MySanJose app to report potholes. Fixed within 48 hours.**
  - **Question: How is quality of work controlled?**
    - **Most work will be public works or DOT**
  - **Question: Will work be coordination with SJ bike plan?**
    - **Yes**
  - **Question: Will Bollinger update be coordinate with Cupertino**
    - **Yes, likely in 2020**
- **District 1 Council Office Update (Councilmember Chappie Jones)**
  - **Happy Mother's day!**
  - **Senior walk and great America litter had lower attendance this year**
    - **D3 had the best turnout and will be our target to beat next year**
  - **VTA board created new transit plan to move more buses to busy lines**
    - **90% rider, 10% coverage**
  - **Advocated SJ in Sacramento (homeless, disaster prep funds)**
    - **\$1 dollar of disaster prep saves \$6 later**
    - **\$12M for emergency response center**

- \$3.7M to prevent car break-ins
    - Some local shopping centers see 1 car crime per day
  - Coordinated effort between cities
- Development
  - Safeway at Payne and Winchester is coming soon
  - Sand Hill bought El Paseo (more details to follow)
- Beautify SJ
  - Good everyone is using mySJ app, but city is overwhelmed
  - Question: Can Council office publish a list of what people are asking for?
  - Pueblo del Dias wants a community center
- SJ Homeless Update
  - Tammy story on Saratoga
    - Removed her carts but she refused services
  - City will be reaching out to each district looking for help housing homeless
    - Tiny homes, sanction camps, house subsidies
  - Question: Are we learning from other cities?
    - Yes, Seattle, Portland, Fresno
  - Can we use the fairgrounds?
    - Popular idea, but the county is resisting
  - Question: Are we working with neighboring cities and county
    - Yes
  - Attend city council meetings and voice your concerns!
  - And voice your concerns to County Supervisor Susan Ellenberg
    - Action: Invite Susan to a D1LG meeting
  - Question: Does SB50 mean no more single-family homes?
    - Only affects transit corridors
  - Comment: We've seen the same homeless for decades
  - Fixing homelessness will require a variety of solutions
    - Mental health, economic, etc.
    - Get ahead and include public in vetting
    - Mobile home camps? (churches started)
  - Question: Do we get input from homeless what they need?
    - Just did a homeless survey (SJ housing)
  - Question: Do we have pros to deal with mental health?
    - Yes, county does, but can't force homeless to use it
  - Food pantry West Valley (Cupertino)
    - Partially supported by SJ grant
    - Proposal for full funding
    - Plan to expand to Cadillac
  - What causes homeless?
    - Illegal immigrants?
    - Major factor is home values
    - Why was Agnews closed?
    - Mental health/addiction
    - Need intervention/support
  - Action: Invite Jim Bell to a future D1LG meeting to discuss Laura's law
  - Action: D1LG to draft a letter on homeless issue

- **Comment: Need to address mental health issues before housing**
- **Question: Can SJ buy property?**
  - **City is getting funding**
  - **Need to provide services**
  - **Use open land around Valley Med?**
- **D3 and D7 have bridge housing projects already in progress**
- **Guy parking cars SJ neighborhoods, renting cars unlicensed from Cupertino office**
  - **Vehicles are gone now**
- **D1 Decides 2019 update**
  - **77 ideas submitted so far**
  - **Submission deadline May 31 (see <http://www.d1decides.com>)**
- **Gary commission update**
  - **See Neighborhood Commission Report**

**Meeting adjourned 11:00 AM**

**Actions:**

**D1LG to draft a letter on D1 homeless issue**

**Invite County Supervisor Susan Ellenberg to a future D1LG meeting**

**Invite Senator Jim Beall to a future D1LG meeting to discuss Laura's law**

**Consider combined meeting and picnic in July to continue homeless discussion**

**Links:**

**SJ 2019 Road Paving Plan (<http://sanjoseca.gov/transportation>)**

**D1 Decides (<http://www.d1decides.com>)**