

City of Mountain View

Minutes

Council Neighborhoods Committee

Thursday, October 5, 2023

6:30 PM

Benjamin Bubb School - MUR, 545 Hans Avenue

Springer/Cuesta/Phyllis Neighborhoods Area

1. CALL TO ORDER

At 6:37 p.m., Chair Showalter called the meeting to order.

2. ROLL CALL

Present - Chair Showalter, Councilmember Ramirez, and Councilmember Ramos

3. MINUTES APPROVAL - NONE.

4. PUBLIC FORUM

An open forum, on issues and concerns of residents in the Springer/Cuesta/Phyllis Neighborhoods Area.

Members of the public were able to pre-submit questions via Formstack. City staff responded to question pre-submitted via Formstack during the public forum of this meeting.

The following members of the public spoke:

- David from Mountain View spoke on taxes.
- Raz Lev from Mountain View spoke on apartment units being added to the City.
- Leslie Bain from Mountain View spoke on tax initiatives and tax increases.
- T. Harris from Mountain View spoke about neighborhood beautification.
- Martina from Mountain View spoke on no second story zoning.
- Alan Wessel from Mountain View spoke on building a carport with solar panels.
- Ron Sackman from Mountain View spoke on redevelopment at Cuesta and Miramonte.
- Donna Marzohs from Mountain View spoke on the plans for Blossom Valley shopping center.
- Min Huang from Mountain View spoke on the Housing Element and Cuesta Park Neighborhood.

- T. Hannus from Mountain View spoke on safe routes to school and the crosswalk from Cuesta Park to Sleeper.
- Isabella from Mountain View spoke on adding bike lanes to Martens.
- Anonymous spoke about adding a crosswalk to Cuesta and Begen Avenue and adding a cross walk on Cuesta and Miramonte.
- · Aurora Filinich from Mountain View spoke on adding a traffic light at the intersection of Bay Street
- T. Hannus from Mountain View spoke about trash on the on/off ramps.
- Anonymous spoke about recycling and composting bins in the parks.
- Elaine Kuo spoke about more information on recycling and zero waste.
- Dave Smith from Mountain View spoke about stops signs and traffic along Miramonte.
- Raz Ler from Mountain View spoke on the traffic going down.
- Inhwa Wada from Mountain View spoke on parking and street safety.
- Ron Sackman from Mountain View spoke on the construction on Miramonte.
- Min Huang from Mountain View spoke on Miramonte Avenue being repaired.
- Oam Leher from Mountain View spoke on repaving from Cuesta to Miramonte.
- Bob Schultz from Mountain View spoke on prevention of gopher holes at Cuesta Park.
- Gloria Van Bee from Mountain View spoke on the pavement at Cuesta Park.
- Li Zhang from Mountain View spoke on putting CNC meeting signs in the Springer Tree Neighborhood when the meeting happens.
- T.Hanna from Mountain View spoke on traffic lights at Barbara and Miramonte.
- Kathy Koh from Mountain View spoke about the status of the Chase bank building and the new magical playground.
- Bill Shine from Mountain View spoke on the basic income experiment and on police department overtime.

- Chia Chin-Fu from Mountain View spoke on Chase building application and safety concerns with the middle school's bike path.
- Jennifer Thunstrom from Mountain View spoke on adding outdoor basketball courts.
- Francis Wong from Mountain View spoke on driving citations going down, traffic grants, and how the
 police department can help with high priority events like suicides.
- Sarah Maystrom from Mountain View spoke on repavement between El Camino and Foothill Espressway, recology trucks and loud noise start time.
- Ayana Lewis from Mountain View spoke on projects to reduce how much the City spends and improve the relationship with the school district.
- Robin Ryan from Mountain View spoke about panhandlers, trees at Benjamin Bubb school and R3 zoning.
- IdaRose Sylvester from Mountain View spoke on the trash at Varsity Park.
- Miguel Rodriguez from Mountain View spoke on the magical park.
- Angel Saavedra from Mountain View spoke about large tent being permitted at the park.
- Sagar Jain from Mountain View spoke about fresh potable water usage.
- Bob Utermole from Mountain View spoke on RV law.
- Debbie Mathias from Mountain View spoke on the crosswalk at McKelvey Park.
- Merry Yen from Mountain View spoke on the road construction on Miramonte, road construction on El Camino, R3 zoning, bike safety, and the intersection at El Camino and Grant.
- Ernesto Hernandez from Mountain View spoke on rent control and landlord issues.
- Dolores Wood from Mountain View spoke on Cuesta Park and the sidewalk at 745 Cuesta.
- Keith Jacobson spoke on crime, the Blossom Shopping Center, and repavement of Miramonte Ave.
- David Shreni spoke on panhandlers.
- Bing Chen from Mountain View spoke on the police department.
- Tamara Lewis from Mountain View spoke on planting trees.
- Anonymous spoke on the Miramonte potholes.

- Anonymous spoke Resurfacing Miramonte Ave and recology.
- Narges Abbadi from Mountain View spoke on Bonitas and Cuesta pedestrian walkways.

5. ADJOURNMENT

At 8:44 p.m. on Thursday October 5, 2023, Chair Showalter adjourned the meeting.

Approved on December 7, 2023