



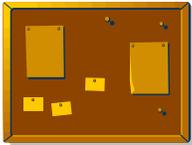
# City of Highland Weekly Report

August 13, 2010

## Three Vacancies Declared for the Community Trails Committee

### Community Development

**Three (3) Vacancies declared on the Community Trails Committee.** On July 27, 2010, the City Council declared three (3) vacancies on the Community Trails Committee.



The City of Highland Community Trails Committee consists of five (5) residents and meets on the second Thursday of each month for the purpose of making recommendations to the City Council regarding the development and maintenance of a community trails system within the City and its sphere of influence. Three vacancies have been declared by the City Council. The terms of office for these vacancies will expire October 2012. The Government Code provides that the City Council may fill said vacancies by appointment. Each member shall be a resident of the City who has a demonstrated knowledge and interest in one or more of the following: equestrian activities, bicycling, hiking, nature studies or landscape/open space design.

The City Council is tentatively scheduled to make the appointment at their Regular Meeting of September 28, 2010, pursuant to Government Code. All appointees serve without compensation, will need to complete an ethics

training course and will have to submit an FPPC Statement of Economic Interest Form.

Residents of Highland wishing to be considered shall file a Public Service Application with the City Clerk prior to the close of business on **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2010**. Applications can be obtained at City Hall, 27215 Base Line, Highland, CA, 92346, and must be returned to the City Clerk no later than the deadline.

**Historic and Cultural Preservation Board determination.** At its August 5, 2010, regular Meeting, the Commission considered the following Item:

1. A proposal to construct a bedroom and bathroom addition at the rear of a contributing historic residence; Certificate of Appropriateness No. 010-007. The Project is located at 27417 Main Street, Highland. Assessor's Parcel No. 1200-351-43. Applicant: Vivian Do, Owner.



The Historic and Cultural Preservation Board:

1. Approved Certificate of Appropriateness No. 010-007 subject to the Conditions of Approval, as amended, and;

## 2. Adopted the Findings of Fact.

The Application may now proceed forward in the process.

## Volunteer Services

**Highland Improvement Team Volunteers Needed!** The next HIT Cleanup project is on Saturday, August 21, 2010 from 7 am to 11 am. As always, everyone and anyone is welcomed to come out and help with cleanup projects. The Highland Improvement Team will also be gaining the help of Lowe's Heroes from our local Lowe's store and many other interested community members. The HIT Team is very excited about receiving the extra help and potentially recruiting new members.



This is a residential structural cleanup, which will require some heavy lifting. Anyone interested in volunteering is invited to come out but because of the nature of the cleanup, we are in need of adult volunteers. Those interested should meet at City Hall, 27215 Baseline, between 6:45 am and 7 am to sign in. As always, all tools and equipment necessary for the cleanup are provided as well as water and sunscreen.

New volunteers and potential new members are always welcome. If you are interested in participating or require more information, please contact Volunteer Services at 909-864-6861 extension 203.

## Public Services

**Repete's Wisdom of the Week - Let's Talk Trash.** The scrap rubber market can absorb what percent of old tires?



- a) 15%
- b) 30%

- c) 55%
- d) 80%

It managed 80% in 2003- versus only 17% in 1990. Tire disposal has long been a high-profile environmental problem. Tires aren't welcome in landfills: they take up a lot of room and they damage the landfill by squirming to the surface because of the methane gas trapped in their void spaces. "Tire farms"- dumps for old tires- are environmentally blightful fire hazards and mosquito nurseries. Tire incinerators are expensive polluters. Vulcanization, the process that makes rubber durable, means old tires can't readily be re-melted into new ones. The steel belts that stabilize radial tires must be stripped out of them for recycling to proceed.

However, the process can become difficult. Manufacturers are investigating devulcanizing procedures so that more than the present maximum of 15% of old tire material can go into new tires. Currently most scrap tires become fuel, but they're also used in consumer products, paving, and in shredded form they are part of the landfill leachate collection systems.

## Public Works

### July 2010 - MAINTENANCE REPORT

Total man-hours	1,456.5
Compensated Man-hours	969.5
Un-compensated Man-hours	487

### MAN-HOURS PER ACTIVITY

General Clean-up	95
Parkway Maintenance	2.5
Potholes	60
Sidewalk	0
Storm Drains	9.5
Signs/Traffic Control	67.75
Trees Trimmed	8
Vehicle/Tool Maintenance	75.5
Building/Grounds Maintenance	252.25
Landscape Maintenance District	107.5
Park Maintenance	228.8

Trail Maintenance	26.25
Special Maintenance	97.5
Crack Sealing	0
Graffiti	234.5
USA Markings	8.75
Weed Spraying	0
Staff Meetings	165
Safety Training	16.75

**SPECIAL:** Put-up barricades/traffic controls and removed weeds at curb/gutter/sidewalk with the July 4<sup>th</sup> parade route; assisted with traffic control on both sides of Greenspot bridge so that USGS could take flow volume reading due to release of water from Seven Oaks Dam; assisted with traffic control due to building fire near Victoria/Cypress; met with EVWD re" shoulder repair at Central/3<sup>rd</sup>; measured depth of Seeley Park's storm water sediment well/catch basin; installed (3) sign poles in parkway at Sheriff Station; cleaned shoulder area on 5<sup>th</sup> e/o Central; removed debris from Flintlock channel; walk-thru with CAM Services of all City parks and facilities.

**Graffiti Report.** During the period of 8/2/10 - 8/11/10, graffiti known to Public Works staff, by the following means, was removed:  
**Reported to Hotline:** Fire Station #3, 7847 Valmont, 27325 Cypress, 6th St. e/o Lankershim, Del Rosa Dr. n/o Base Line to 7183, Del Rosa Dr. /Fisher, (7488, 7487, 7471) Victoria, LMD #3, Clubview, Highland at City Creek, Church Ave. to Cypress, Cypress/Church to 5<sup>th</sup>, Lynwood/Base Line, 7487 Elm, 29800 Greenspot (old radio station), 7822 Cunningham;  
**Reported by Staff:** north end of Eucalyptus, n/o 9<sup>th</sup> St., s/o Barnes Ct., Aurantia Park;  
**Routine Observation by Public Works:** 7697 Sterling, Sterling/9<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>/McKinley, 7888 Valmont, 14<sup>th</sup> w/o Alice, 14<sup>th</sup>/Victoria, Sterling s/o Pacific to Jane, Pacific e/o Osburn, 7794 Sterling, 7832 Sterling, Clifton/Orange, Del Rosa Dr. n/o Fisher, 9<sup>th</sup>/Elmwood, Union/Del Rosa Ave., Elmwood/Union, Pacific/Miller, Pacific w/o Olive, Victoria (SR 210 overpass), Base Line/Church Ave., Seeley/Base Line, 26122 Base

Line, 26579 6<sup>th</sup>, Orange s/o Fisher, Central/14<sup>th</sup>, Norwood/Church Ave., Thompson Elementary School (Church Ave.), Church Ave./Base Line, 7606 Church, Sterling/13<sup>th</sup>, Golondrina/9<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>/Sterling, Villa w/Braemer, 25887 9<sup>th</sup>, 26710 5<sup>th</sup>, Rogers Ln./9<sup>th</sup>, 25770 - 25750 9<sup>th</sup>, 25742 9<sup>th</sup>, 25718 9<sup>th</sup>, Base Line e/o McKinley, Valaria/Base Line, Central n/o Hibiscus, Central/Cypress, Central/9<sup>th</sup>, 78975 Bonnie, 7<sup>th</sup>/Del Rosa Ave., 5<sup>th</sup>/Shirley, 7<sup>th</sup>/Del Rosa Ave., Seeley Ct./Base Line, Central/Hibiscus, Cole St./Cole Ct., Harlan/Church Ave., 6<sup>th</sup>/Cunningham, 6<sup>th</sup>/Central, 7494 Victoria, 7383 Victoria.

## Mark Your Calendar



### Tuesday, August 17, 2010

6pm - Planning Commission Regular Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

### Saturday, August 21, 2010

7:00 to 11:00 a.m. - Highland Improvement Team Cleanup, Meet at City Hall, 27215 Base Line

### Monday, August 23, 2010

5:00 to 6:00 p.m. - Blood Drive Recruitment Meeting, Jerry Lewis Community Center 7793 Central Avenue

### Tuesday, August 24, 2010

City Council Meeting - Canceled

### Wednesday, September 1, 2010

4pm - Public Nuisance Hearing Board Special Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

### Monday, September 6, 2010

Labor Day Holiday - City Offices are closed

### Tuesday, September 7, 2010

6pm - Planning Commission Regular Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

### Thursday, September 9, 2010

5pm - Community Trails Committee Regular

Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

**Tuesday, September 14, 2010**

6pm - City Council Regular Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

**Saturday, September 18, 2010**

8:00 am to 12 noon - Highland Improvement Team Clean Up, Meet at City Hall - 27215 Baseline

**Tuesday, September 21, 2010**

6pm - Planning Commission Regular Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

**Tuesday, September 28, 2010**

1:30 pm to 6:30 pm - Community Blood Drive  
Jerry Lewis Community Center - 7793 Central Avenue

6pm - City Council Regular Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

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