



November 11, 2024 - General Meeting
2420 N Street, Sacramento, CA 95816

- **Call to order: 7:00**
- **Consent Agenda** – Athol moved to approve items as presented.
 - Acceptance of the meeting agenda
 - Due to technical difficulties no meeting minutes are available for October
 - Monthly treasury report

- **Bi-Monthly Police Report (10 min.) Sgt. Burnham**

In reviewing the crime stats for the area, Sgt. Burnham reported that this is essentially a safe neighborhood with only a couple of robberies to report. He reiterated that, as we enter the holiday season, to remember to keep our doors locked both at home and in our vehicles and not leave packages and valuables in our vehicles. He did note that if the doors are locked, the charging level for the thefts/robberies can be increased from a misdemeanor to a felony. Kevin asked about the recent trend of homeless moving through the area. Sgt. Burnham indicated that law enforcement and the Fire Department are now involved in enforcement. With increased enforcement, camps are being moved quickly so we are seeing less encampments and more individuals moving through the area.

Sgt. Burnham and reported that the City of Sacramento has contracted with FUSUS 1 which allows the PD to access various cameras located throughout the city, including Dept. of Transportation cameras, to help with enforcement actions. The PD is also developing a program to allow citizens to authorize access to their RING cameras to help with crime detection.

Finally he recommend the individuals write down the serial numbers for their bikes so, if the bike is stolen, the police have some ability to return the stolen bike if located. It was acknowledged that the chances of recovering a stolen bike are relatively low.

- **City Update (10 min.)** – no City update was provided
- **Old Business (10 min.)**
 - **Center of Praise Trunk or Treat Event** was very well attended. FOCM decorated Linda and Ryan Green's orange pickup truck and handed out a lot of candy.
 - **Bake Sale – December 8, 2024**
Athol has a signup sheet and would like those who signed up to make treats for the Bake Sale to let her know what they intend to bring. A list of ingredients can be emailed to either Athol (athol.wong1977@gmail.com) or Bekah (rebekahjchristensen@gmail.com) and signage will be prepared so patrons can review the ingredients before purchasing. The baked goods should be delivered to Bekah's house (2204 Capitol Avenue) **by noon on 12/7/2024**. All packaged items will be sold for \$5.00 each so baked goods should be packaged in a quantity equivalent to \$5.00.
- **New Business**
 - Alley Clean-up Grant (Linda) – deferred



- **Good of the order (5 min)**

- Newton Booth Neighborhood Association is holding an open meeting to thank Katie Valenzuela for her service - Friday, November 15th from 6:00-8:00 pm at 1931 21st Street (21st & T).
- Scheduling for the Holiday Neighborhood Decorating was discussed. Due to scheduling conflicts, it was agreed that we would move the date from Saturday to **Friday, November 29th**, provided the weather cooperates. Sue will host the potluck on the 29th beginning after the decorating has been completed (rain or shine). Volunteers will bring dishes (e.g., chili, soup, etc.). Sue will provide beverages.

Up-coming Events

- FOCM Board of Directors Meeting: November 25, 2024
- **Holiday Neighborhood Decorating: November 29, 2024, 9:30-11:00**
- Holiday Bake Sale Fundraiser scheduled for December 8, 2024

Final reminders

- Crime Stat Data Portals available from Sac PD at [Open Data Portal](#) and [Community Crime Map](#)

Meeting Adjourned at 7:45