



Lowell Neighborhood Association Agenda 03/04/2013

Website: <http://lowellfresno.org> Email: hello@lowellfresno.org

1. Welcome/Introductions
2. Additions to the Agenda
3. Welcome Anna Wells: Video Community Correspondent
4. Welcome Danny Everett. We would like to invite the neighborhood to the grand opening of the newly renovated 315 & 321 N. San Pablo apartments. Start time will be 11:30 AM. Light lunch will be served. In attendance will be Councilmember Oliver Baines, City Manager Mark Scott, Elaine Robles-McGraw and other community members.
5. Volunteers needed for Dickey Park Backstop Replacement: Pastors' Cluster is organizing Dickey Park Backstop Replacement Project and neighbors are needed to volunteer. Dates will be Monday, March 25 - Saturday March 30 (Spring Break). About 10 volunteers/day will be needed. Times TBA.
6. Dickey Park Renovation Celebration ceremony will take place Saturday, March 30. The LNA board has agreed to the Downtown Pastor's Cluster offer to host this celebration. Who would like to be the contact person with Downtown Pastor's Cluster to find out how we can contribute?
7. LNA UDF Updated Blight Report. Original report submitted to Mayor Swearingin four years ago. All of the pictures are updated but it would be good if LNA would add new properties to this report as well as fill in the text boxes in the middle. Has there been a change? Are we requesting any action be taken by the City regarding a specific property?
8. Kepler Neighborhood School Open Enrollment is now until May 15. KNS is a tuition free Community Benefit Charter School. Enrolling students K-7 for August 2013. Located at Cornerstone Education Center, 1545 Fulton St., Fresno, CA 93721. Intent to Enroll online at <http://tinyurl.com/b877yde>
9. Tenants Together: Next canvassing date is Saturday, March 23, 9:30 AM at Dickey Community Center.
10. Mayor's Community Meeting at Lowell Elementary on February 11 was a great success. Please make sure that Barbara has volunteer contact information so that we can thank them.
11. Announcements:
 - a. Please visit our Facebook page for up to date announcements.
 - b. Randy Calvert, Senior Community Revitalization Specialist, City of Fresno Development And Resource Management Department, Community Revitalization Division, 621-8407, Randy.Calvert@fresno.gov

- a. Officer Angie Isaac, Fresno PD, 621-6110 Angie.Isaak@fresno.gov for safety/crime issues.
- c. Lowell Community Garden. Contact Tom Mattot, 559-485-1416 tom@fresnometmin.org
- d. Lowell Homeowner Program, Lowell CDC helping residents become homeowners. Barb Fiske barb@lowellfresno.org.
- e. Tenants Together. Next Clinic is Saturday, March 23, 9:30 AM at the Dickey Youth Development Center. This clinic will include a know your tenants rights presentation, discussion of organizing opportunities in Fresno as well as an opportunity to speak with an attorney regarding your individual tenancy related questions. For more information please call 415-495-8100 or email Guillermo@tenantstogether.org.
- f. The Fresno Bridge Academy. Job readiness, placement and improvement. Clients are being sought now. Call 559-600-6291.
- g. Wade Sponsler, Scoutmaster. Boy Scouts of America. Troop 1854. jwsponsler@sbcglobal.net 559-355-1549. Meetings Wednesdays 6pm @ 1854 Fulton Street, Fresno, CA 93721.

Next meeting: Monday, March 18, 2013. 6:30pm Dickey Community Center, 1515 E. Divisadero Street. Submit agenda items on lowellfresno.org **please**.