

# **Rolando Park/Redwood Village Community Council Meeting Minutes**

## **February 13, 2023**

### **Board members present**

Co-President Lynn Edwards  
Vice President Michelle Alexander  
Secretary Kara West  
Treasurer Cheryl Bailey

### **Board members absent**

Co-President Sonia Lang

### **Community representatives present**

Sam Gonzalez – State Assemblymember Dr. Akilah Weber’s office  
Officer Terry Hoskins – Community Relations Officer, SDPD  
Toni Duran – State Senate President pro Tem Toni Atkins’ office

### **A video recording of the meeting is available on our Facebook page:**

<https://www.facebook.com/RolandoParkCommunityCouncil/videos/879699679754230>

*Note:* You do *not* need to have a Facebook account to view the video.

### **Treasurer’s Report:**

Treasurer Cheryl Bailey reported the following:

- 10 members, including 9 renewals and 1 new member
- Dues: \$120.00
- Donations: \$52.76
- Total for 2023 to date: \$172.76

### **Information from Zoom chat**

Toni Duran: FYI - when clicking on the link, I got a notification that the meeting ID was incorrect

Bettina: yes, me too

Toni Duran, Senator Atkins: Pasting in the meeting ID instead of clicking on the link worked though. :)

thoskins: Hello Everyone, I apologize for my delay in joining. I had zoom.com issues. Thanks! Officer Terry

Toni Duran, Senator Atkins: Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) <https://www.caleitc4me.org/>

Student Aid: <https://www.csac.ca.gov/>

Sign up for the monthly e-newsletter here: <https://sd39.senate.ca.gov/contact/newsletter>

The February newsletter: <https://sd39.senate.ca.gov/news/newsletter>

Feel free to contact me if you have any state related questions or issues.

Toni Duran, Office of Senate President Pro Tem Toni Atkins

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Jennifer Bennett RVCC: Hello everyone! I have a short RVCC update on Streamview Drive

Lynn Edwards, Rolando Park: Jennifer, as soon as terry finishes. sorry.

Sam Gonzalez (Asm. Weber - AD79): Sorry for the long message, I do have an update:

1. Reminder about Community Recognitions Program. Accepting nominations for Women of Distinction until March 1st. I will forward the e-alert that I sent with the information. Nominations accepted through our website.

2. Asm Weber still putting her legislative packet together. Bills introduced so far:

AB 79 - Use of Force Robots (Intent)

AB 82 - Diet Pills

AB 85 - SDOH Screenings

AB 268 - Saving Lives in Jail

AB 317 - Pharmacists' Direct Billing

AB 409 - Firefighter Voluntary Disclosure (Spot)

AB 576 - Abortion Pill - 70 to 77 days

AB 611 - Special Education nonpublic schools change in certification status: parental notification

3. Upcoming events: Senior-focused event in May, Perfect Attendance event in June. Details forthcoming.

4. Follow our social media platforms for the most up-to-date information.

Contact info: [sam.gonzalez@asm.ca.gov](mailto:sam.gonzalez@asm.ca.gov)

Sam Gonzalez (Asm. Weber - AD79): For Women of Distinction Nominations, please use the following link:

<https://a79.asmdc.org/community-recognitions-program>

Chris Real: Pedestrian safety. There is someone who drives a black Shelby who speeds down University Avenue often.

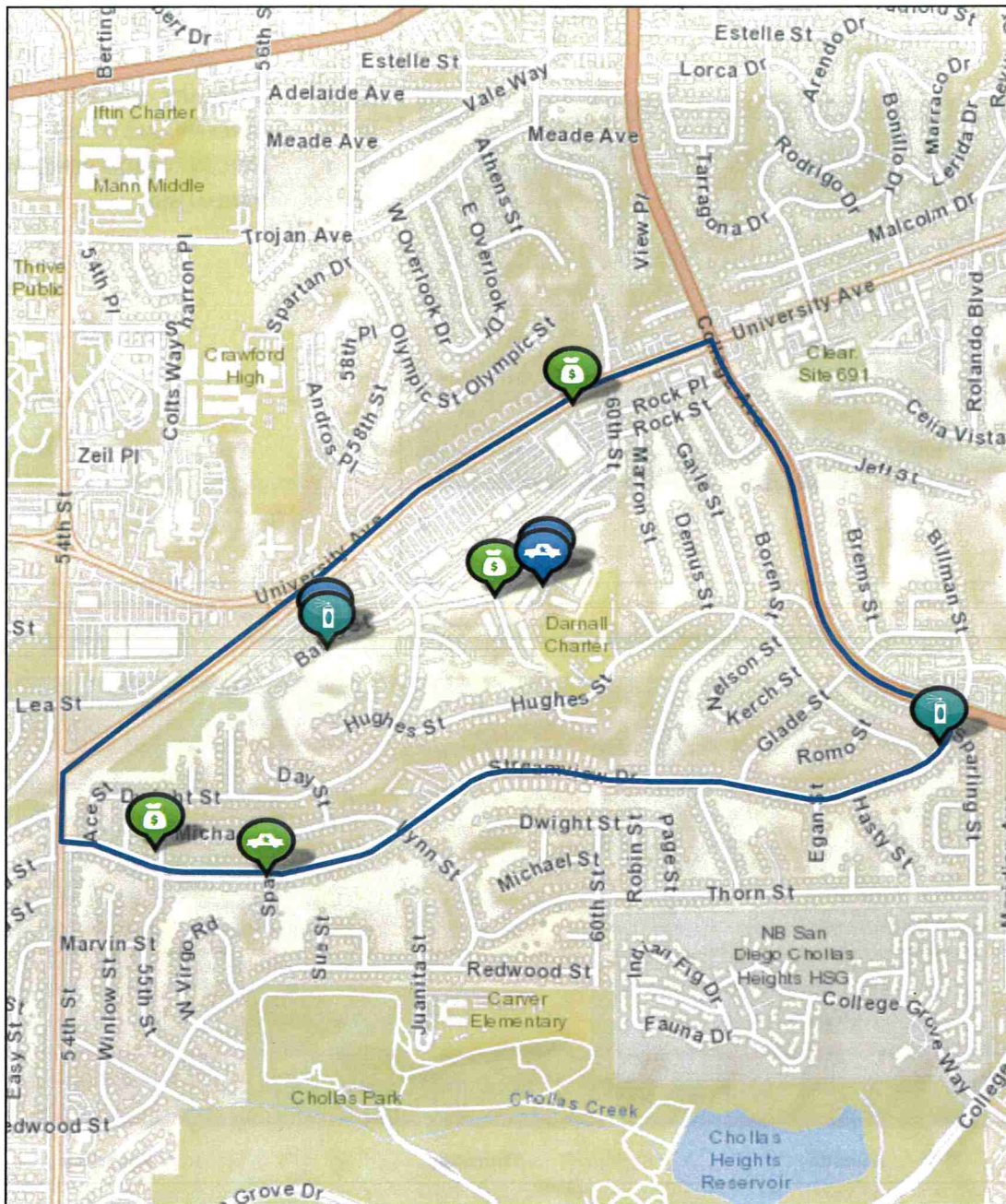
Chris Real: Very dangerous on College and University intersection.





Chris Real: Thanks for the presentation. Got a cold and can't speak now.

Toni Duran, Senator Atkins: Lights are officially off at work, so I will bid you a good evening.

Chris Real: Free Little Libraries are great!

## **Incident reports from Officer Terry Hoskins**



-  3 BURGLARY - VEHICLE
-  3 LARCENY - ALL OTHER
-  1 LARCENY - FROM VEHICLE
-  2 VANDALISM

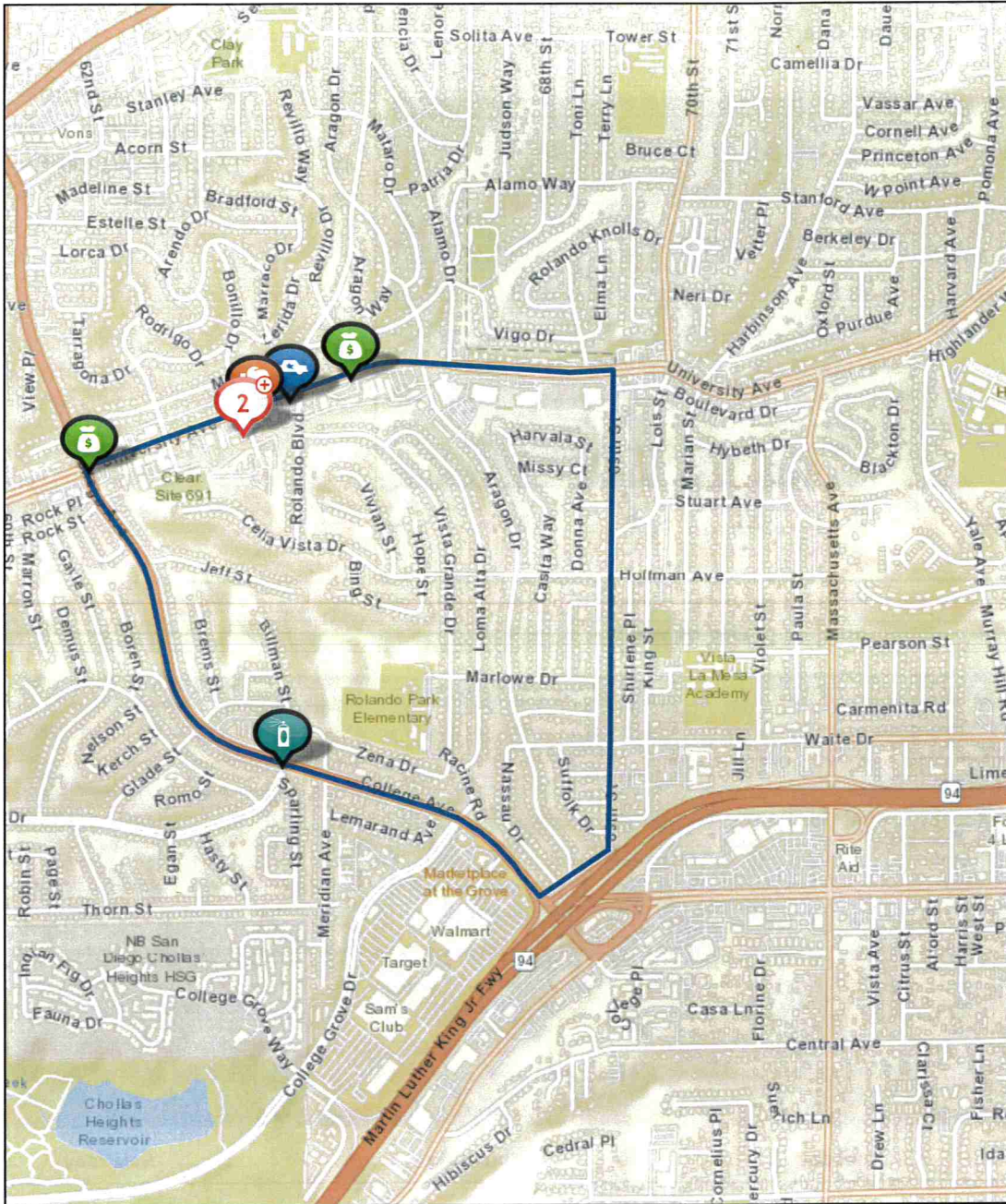
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# ROLANDO PARK



-  1 BURGLARY - VEHICLE
-  1 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
-  4 LARCENY - ALL OTHER
-  1 VANDALISM

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**2023 Priorities**



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1. Traffic calming & pedestrian safety
2. Cleanups in the community: Sidewalks and streets/Regular cleanups: University, College, & other major streets
3. Landscaping improvements & monument sign, College/College Grove
4. Continue to pursue art for 94 underpass at College
5. Zena Canyon improvements
6. Streamview Dr. illegal dumping

We will be focusing on the top  
three priorities

# 6. Illegal dumping

- Widespread problem in San Diego
- Report via Get It Done or call Environmental Services' Code Enforcement Section at (858) 694-7000. Provide the following information as much as possible:
  - Problem location
  - Description of waste (pile of trash in front yard, couch dumped in alley, etc.)
  - Your name and phone number (optional/confidential)
- Eyewitness report
  - Date/time and location of incident
  - Description of vehicle/license plate number if used
  - Description of person(s)
  - Description of waste dumped
  - Your daytime phone number



# 5. Zena Canyon improvements

- Will be working with Officer Hoskins and our D9 representative this year to address.
  - Safety for residents who live on the perimeter of the canyon
  - Canyon cleanups
  - Get the school district to be a better neighbor to our community

## **4. Continue to pursue art for 94 underpass at College**

- If Assemblymember Weber's office is able to get a response from Caltrans, then we will pursue it.

### **3. Landscaping improvements & monument sign, College/College Grove**

- Look first at securing funding to permanently address landscaping improvements, such as hardscape, self-sustaining native trees and shrubs before a monument sign is installed













## **2. Cleanups in the community: sidewalks and streets/Regular cleanups: University, College, & other major streets**

- Next month, we'll have a tentative schedule for the rest of the year:
  - 4 quarterly cleanups on University Ave, 2 in Rolando Park, 2 in Redwood Village
- 2 cleanups in Zena Canyon, spring and fall
- 2 community cleanups to clean up sidewalks and curbs and provide opportunities for residents to dispose of unwanted items

# 1. Traffic calming & pedestrian safety

- Radar speed display signs to be installed on Rolando Blvd, Vista Grande, and Aragon sometime this year
- Identify the streets and intersections where we see problems and request new traffic studies
- Will look at possibility of volunteer student crossing guards at Vista Grande/Marlowe (entry into Rolando Park Elementary)