



COUNCIL AGENDA: 12/7/2021

ITEM: 2.21

FILE NO: 21-2603

# Memorandum

**TO:** HONORABLE MAYOR AND  
CITY COUNCIL

**FROM:** Toni J. Taber, CMC  
City Clerk

**SUBJECT:** SEE BELOW

**DATE:** December 7, 2021

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**SUBJECT: Retroactive Approval of Blossom Valley Dumpster Day and Greystone Park Neighbor Day Sponsored by Council District 10 as City Council Sponsored Special Events to Expend City Funds and Accept Donations of Materials and Services for the Events**

### Recommendation

As recommended by the Rules and Open Government Committee on December 1, 2021:

- (a) Retroactively approve the Blossom Valley Dumpster Day scheduled on November 6, 2021 as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds;
- (b) Retroactively approve the Greystone Park Neighbor Day scheduled on November 13, 2021 as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds; and
- (c) Approve and accept donations from various individuals, businesses, or community groups to support the events.

CEQA: Not a Project, File No. PP17-011, Temporary Special Events resulting in no changes to the physical environment. (Mahan)

[Rules Committee referral 12/1/2021 - Item G.1.c]



# Memorandum

**TO:** HONORABLE MAYOR AND  
CITY COUNCIL

**FROM:** Councilmember Matt Mahan  
District 10

**SUBJECT:** SEE BELOW

**DATE:** November 18, 2021

APPROVED:

**SUBJECT: RETROACTIVE APPROVAL OF BLOSSOM VALLEY DUMPSTER DAY AND GREYSTONE PARK NEIGHBOR DAY EVENTS SPONSORED BY COUNCIL DISTRICT 10 AS CITY COUNCIL SPONSORED SPECIAL EVENTS TO EXPEND CITY FUNDS AND ACCEPT DONATIONS OF MATERIALS AND SERVICES FOR THE EVENT**

## RECOMMENDATION

1. Retroactive approval of the Blossom Valley Dumpster Day held on Saturday, November 6, 2021 as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds.
2. Retroactive approval of the Greystone Park Neighbor Day scheduled on Saturday, November 13, 2021 as a City Council sponsored Special Event and approve the expenditure of funds.
3. Approve and accept donations from various individuals, businesses or community groups to support the event.
5. Place the item on the December 7, 2021 Council Agenda for action.

## BACKGROUND

On February 1, 2005, the City Council adopted Resolution 72517 which requires Councilmembers to submit a memorandum to the Rules Committee regarding proposed City Council sponsored Special Events and the proposed use of any funds.

The District 10 Council office, worked with the Comanche Blossom Valley Neighborhood Association to organize a Dumpster Day for all of Blossom Valley, and the Greystone Park Neighborhood Association to plan a Neighbor Day beautification days on Saturday, November 6, 2021, and Saturday, November 13, 2021, respectively. Volunteers from these neighborhoods volunteered as bin monitors and provided traffic control. In addition, the District 10 office provided refreshments as well as dumpsters, taking advantage of the \$18,000 budgeted in the FY 2021-2022 Operating Budget for community cleanups and dumpster days throughout District 10. These events were free and open to the public, and followed all appropriate local public health rules, including requiring masks and social distancing.

### **ANALYSIS**

Approval by the City Council of these events will ensure compliance with the Council's prior direction regarding Council Special Events. In observance of existing fundraising disclosure requirements, Councilmember Mahan will report any cash or in-kind donations received for the events on his Disclosure of Fundraising Report (DFR-1). Approval of this memorandum will enable Council District 10, City departments, and the Office of the City Clerk to proceed with the event. Any cash donations received will be processed pursuant to the City's normal financial and budgetary procedures.

### **PUBLIC OUTREACH/INTEREST**

The Office of the City Clerk will post the item on the City's Website for the December 1, 2021 Rules Committee Agenda and the December 7, 2021 City Council Agenda.

### **CEQA**

- Not a Project, File No. PP15-077, Temporary Special Events.
- Not a Project, File No. PP10-069(c), City Administrative Activities.
- Exempt, File No. PP12-080. Minor temporary use of land having negligible or no permanent effect on the environment.
- Exempt, File No. PP13-056, Activities associated with citywide litter clean-up activities.
- Exempt, File No. PP11-046, Graffiti removal services.

Reviewed by:

TONI J. TABER, CMC  
City Clerk

For questions, please contact Toni Taber, City Clerk, at (408) 535-1260.