

## Fairpark Community Council Meeting Minutes January 22, 2009

Executive committee in attendance: Vicky Orme, Tom DeVroom, Brad Hart and Tiffany Sandberg

1-Tom welcomed everyone.

2-Marialice J moved to approve the minutes from our previous meeting, Brad H seconded, the motion carried.

3-CERT training-there are 8 community members attending class. They are looking for secure places to hold caches of supplies in case of disaster. There will be more classes offered soon.

4-Vicky congratulated Amanda Moore for graduating from the police departments Citizen's Academy. Amanda was interested to learn more about the police department and was impressed to learn that officers are encouraged to continue their educations.

5-Michael Stott (Mayor's office) gave us a briefing on the Mayor's state of the city report. He also passed out a brief survey and information sheet concerning the transparency initiative.

Michael has been attending the gang reduction forums. There are 25 different organizations participating in the discussions.

We were updated on our concerns from the December meeting. Graffiti has been removed from under the viaduct, but lighting still needs to be fixed. If you have concerns about furniture being left out, contact the Health Dept.

6-Joe Sturzenegger (SLCPD) gave us his update. Joe has been working with Robert Lucas (City Licensing) to rework Title 5 to help in enforcement of the food carts.

Joe has tentative approval to post "No Trespassing" signs along the Jordan Parkway.

There are concerns about violent threats between rival gang members. If you have any concerns about gang activity, call dispatch or Joe, do not take matters into your own hands.

7-Gracie Mora (Day-Riverside Library) announced that the library has 8 new computers! They are busy implementing more programs for youth and are looking for a new assistant director.

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8-Leah Jaramillo brought display to show us what potential designs for the I15 Expresslink. She brought surveys to get public input concerning the aesthetic design, surveys can also be found online. The 800 N bridge will be permanently removed and they will be replacing a total of 3 bridges during this project. You can sign up for email updates on the project at [www.udot.utah.gov/expresslink](http://www.udot.utah.gov/expresslink)

9-Nominating Committee volunteers-vicky moved to table this until our meeting in February. Amanda seconded and the motion passed.

10-Tom thanked Amanda and Marialice for their hard work on the Gazette each month.

11-Brad has attended training to get a Fairpark Community Council website up and running and has volunteered to be our webmaster. He would like suggestions as to what we would like to have on the website.

12-Trackside is having difficulty in getting the city to assist in placing curb and gutter along 500 W and would like our support. No motion was made.

13-Jen Seelig (Representative Dist 23) reminded us that the state's budget is a huge issue this year. There will be many cuts. She wants to make sure that the cuts are fair to everyone. She was asked how we can stay up-to date on the session and Jen suggested news reports, public radio and the State of Utah website: [www.utah.gov](http://www.utah.gov)

14-Mike Barnes is concerned about animal control problems and enforcement of vicious dog ordinances. He has been attacked 3 times in the past year by off-leash dogs. He would like other citizens to help him put pressure on government officials enforce ordinances and get more animal control officers.

15-Marialice brought a petition for people to sign who are in support of a new Dog Park in the neighborhood.

16-Tiffany moved to adjourn, Vicky seconded, the motion carried.