

**Berry Creek Community Association**  
**October 11, 2008**  
70 Graystone Lane

**Council Members Present:** Roger Cutler, Loren Gill, Skip Gross, Dori Hamill, Katherine Molohon

Association Members Present:

Minutes of September 13, 2008 approved

Treasurer Report:

Approved reimbursing Roger for snacks

**Committees Reports:**

**Planning and Zoning:**

\* Roger and John met Pat and reviewed plans for her café. Documented that neighbors are not against plans.

Planning and Zoning recommends that we accept Café plans for Use Permit. 10 Menzie Lane at Bald Rock. Letter drafted to Planning.

6am-3pm seating for 30, patio out back.

\*\*Council agrees no opposition.

The Planning and Zoning Committee will now be consulted with any new commercial or residential plans.

**Roads and Trails:** Kathy

\*Continue to gather signatures for Road Widening Petition.

\*Kathy will ask Highway Patrol for accident records.

\*Large Realty signs: Mark Jones of Public Works says if they are in the right of way are illegal. Is it possible to replace them with smaller signs? Can we come up with standards that guide sign placement? If they are blocking line of sight we request they replace them with smaller signs.

\*Trails: There is a Bald Rock cleanup on October 18.

\*Contact: Tim Snellings, Planning Dept head: There is house that is boarded up and we would like to see about code enforcement. It is an eyesore, an unattractive nuisance. Reported to county 3 times. It has been acceptable by county so far to leave it as is.

\*Traffic Counter has been place on Bald Rock Rd. In 2003, 1 mile west of Rockerfeller about 1000 cars per day. We can compare new numbers.

\*Berry Creek Road is now open. Gate is now open. What we really want is a multi-use trail. Maybe get bollards to block dumping from car access. Mike Crump is contact.

Request limited vehicle access to Berry Creek Road due to remote location and dumping.

\*Asked USFS to put in removable bollards above Bald Rock trailhead/Zinc.

### **Public Health:**

\*Medicare for 2009: Skip has info on means testing.

\*Flu Shot clinic or resources to find low cost options.

\*Mark Trumm power point presentation on affordable health care. Income thresholds. Medi-Cal. Veterans benefits. Have applications at town hall meeting. Need education and counseling. Possible health fair to offer information. Many agencies that would come up and give info. Look to spring town mtg. ACTION: Spring meeting health/business fair.

### **Public Safety:**

\*Skip creating communications booklet with scanner codes and websites and phone numbers.

\* Fire Safe Council is 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday every month.

\*Disaster Training. John Gulserian of OES will call me after his vacation. Fire Safe Council will take lead and we will work with them to get better prepared.

\*Harts Mill building has a Captain's room that might work as a substation for Jesse. We would like crime statistics. Compare to see if having Jesse up here has reduced crime.

### **Watershed:**

\*Grants for watershed assessment need to be researched.

\*Lake Madrone, Bald Rock, Canyon Creek are watersheds. Also Bean Creek. Get Lake Madrone people involved. Invite them to meeting.

\*We are concerned with pollution. We have different issues than other watershed groups.

### **Parks and Rec.:**

\*Still waiting for Harts Mill to turn over building to General Services so we can get the wheels in motion. Mike Shorrock is contact.

\*Berry Creek School community center attached to school. Due to enrollment numbers grants are non-existent.

\*Creating a park next to school. Talked to Mr. Fredenburg about park. He said some members of School Board might oppose due to low visibility.

\* Research 5 acre parcel owned by Nick's Towing, ask about selling.

\*We would like more than 1 park so maybe both sights are appropriate.

Feather River Parks might be able to help. Can we calculate how much taxes we have paid and how much they owe us in services to pay for property? Research by Roger and Loren. Demand programs for kids and adults. Shirley will generate questionnaire of class interests and ideas for town meeting.

Input from town for what kinds of programs need to be offered.

\*Foreman Creek: DWR agreement has to be signed for anything to happen. Sensitive Native American tribal burial areas will be excluded and recreation service will be located outside those areas.

**Communications:**

\*Website still waiting to be transferred to us.

**Town Meeting:**

\*Nov 8, 2008 at 10am

\*Ask Will to book school

**\*\*Agenda:**

\*By-laws call for May elections. Call for change from May, to March 28 elections. Need to vote on it at town meeting. Change election of officers to that meeting. Amend to March.

\*Healthcare presentation by Mark Trumm. Flu Shot clinics. Veterans forms.

Questionnaire asking about clinic needs....

\*Brief committee reports, share our accomplishment. Then break down into groups.

\*Communications booklets hand outs.

\*Fire reports.

\*Invite Jesse, Reed, Bill Connelly, Calfire

\*Get encroachment permits for road signs.

**Meeting Adjourned at 10:45**