

**PROJECT GREEN STEERING COMMITTEE MINUTES**  
**6:30 p.m. Thursday, September 21, 2006**  
**Silver Springs Recreation Center**

Present:

1. Jennifer Swejbka
2. Jonathan Tull
3. Norman Richardson
4. Al Jankowiak
5. Susan Ritter
6. Ben Smith
7. Ry Smith
8. Susan Stater
9. Curt Chandler

Committee Reports:

1. Eagle Scout Projects: Chandler will do a project on October 21. Ben will put in posts for trail signs on November 4. We will provide tools, cement and the posts. Richie will build trails from the west and do clean-up on November 18.
2. Signs: The trail signs are ready to order and it will take about 5 to 6 weeks to get them. We are ordering 50 trail signs. We can put in the posts and install the signs later. The interpretive signs are also ready to order.
3. Jennifer told us that we didn't get the BSAF grant for tamarisk removal because we had to use their project. She will apply for the National Fish and Wildlife grant for tamarisk removal.
4. Question 1 grant: Advisors looked at our projects and Curt asked about changing things in our original grant.
5. Trail and plants above the sewer: Curt will be meeting with Parks to start designing this. Funding is from the SNPL Act.
6. The utilities money we are receiving is divided as follows. \$27,000.00 for planting, \$7,000.00 for tamarisk removal, \$20,000.00 for chipping tamarisk and \$13,000.00 for trail heads, etc. on the south side of the wash.
7. Susan Ritter told us that a large area on the South (La Mancha) is eroding and needs planting, etc. Regional money may be used to fix it.
8. Public Lands Day: The plants have been ordered from the CCSN garden center. Evelyn gave Curt a list of plants to buy.
  - Mike C. will lay out the trails.
  - Curt will get the tables from the Rec. center.

Stephanie will take care of the registration and liability forms. She also has tote bags she made, posters from the National Public Lands Day Committee, plus Project GREEN-label bottled water, chap stick and several other items to give to the volunteers.

Stephanie is checking into getting someone to talk to the volunteers about the native plants, etc.

Mike C. is going to provide hot dogs.

Food has been ordered from Coo Coo's for the continental breakfast.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

NEXT MEETING IS OCTOBER 19, 2006

Minutes submitted by Susan Stater