

Public Works and Building Department Report Council Meeting, August 11, 2011

LAUREL GROVE CREEK BANK SLIDE REPAIR AND CULVERT REPLACEMENT PROJECT

The project started on July 26, 2011 and is scheduled to be completed by August 15, 2011.

SIR FRANCIS DRAKE INTERSECTION PROJECT

We will have a team kick-off meeting on Monday, August 8, 2011. We are planning to hold public meetings with Marin Art & Garden Center and Ross residents early in the process to receive their input.

CORTE MADERA CREEK BANK STABILIZATION PROJECT

Per our request, the review process has been expedited and we will have a preconstruction meeting on August 17, 2011.

PG&E GAS LINE REPLACEMENT PROJECT

The project is progressing smoothly. It should be completed by the end of August.

ROSS SCHOOL AND THE COMMON

We have been holding weekly meetings with Ross School and our Public Works team. The Ross Common restoration will be completed by the end of August.

DED ELM TREE REMOVAL

We removed DED (Dutch Elm Disease) Elms this month. At least six more will need to be removed soon.

TRAFFIC ISSUES

- 1. We have been looking into ways to improve the safety of drivers exiting Walters Road onto Laurel Grove.
- 2. We will authorize David Parisi to do a traffic flow measurement study to help us improve the safety of drivers exiting Sylvan Lane onto Lagunitas Road.

ALLEN PARK MAINTENANCE

We accepted Marizco Landscaping proposal to perform weekly maintenance of Allen Park at the rate of \$530 per month.

BUILDING PERMITS, RESALE INSPECTIONS AND BUSINESS LICENSES

In the month of July we issued 17 building permits with an actual valuation of \$625,075 and 13 plan-check permits with a future valuation of \$6,010,400. We scheduled three new resale inspections and processed 5. We collected \$835 in business license fees.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT INCOME FOR JULY 2011: Copy attached.