

A Monthly Newsletter for the Fiesta Gardens Homes Association, San Mateo, CA PO Box 5288, San Mateo CA 94402

President's Message

By Steve Strauss

Hello Summer! The sun is out, the pool is open, everyone is travelling to far away (and some near) places, the kids are off to camp and normal is returning slowly, but surely.

Good news on the Cabana! All conditions have been met, all questions have been answered and as of writing, all we are doing now is waiting for our building permits. Once we have them in hand, construction should begin almost immediately. Our goal is to leave the pool open as much as possible during construction.

As far as I know, the effect COVID has had on Fiesta Gardens has been minimal at best. Let's make sure we keep it that way. If you haven't already, GET VACCINATED! Your family will thank you, your friends will thank you, in fact, we'll ALL thank you. I know, I know.... it has all gotten very political and I understand *some* of the reasons not to get vaxxed, but for the health and safety of everyone, especially YOU, please get the shots.

That's all I've got. Please stay safe, stay healthy, travel smart, enjoy life!

See you at the next Zoom Board meeting on Wednesday, August 4th at 7PM.

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Wednesday, August 4 7PM via Zoom call.

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Pool Operations

By Steve Stanovcak

The current pool hours will remain until

Sunday, August 15th.



Beginning on Monday, August 16th, pool hours will be 4:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Monday through Friday. Saturday and Sunday hours will remain the same: 12:00 noon until 8:00 p.m.

Lap swim will be Saturday and Sunday 11:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. The pool will remain open with these new hours until Sunday, October 10th.

Civic Report

By Richard Neve

San Mateo Central Park Music Series is back

Music in the park started on July 4th and will continue through the summer (July 15th, 22nd. 29th and August 5th). For details search Central Park Music Series on the San Mateo City homepage.

Housing bills move through Assembly

Senate Bills 10, 477, and 478, authored by state Sen. Scott Wiener, would essentially up-zone up to 10 units in certain areas near transit, eliminate certain restrictions on small apartment buildings and ease lot size rules. Weiner calls these Bills common sense, but there is opposition too. SB10 makes it easier to up-zone areas near transit (such as Fiesta Gardens) to allow multi-unit dwellings without having to go through the California Environmental Quality Act- by a majority vote from our council. SB478 prevents local square footage caps banning multi-unit dwellings preventing cities denying projects that exceed existing standards. State Sen. Josh Becker does not support Senate Bill 10 because he thought it was too many units and also because it had a provision to override voter initiatives with a simple majority of the council vote.

Educate yourselves on these Bills and let your state representative know what you think of them! To contact Josh Becker: https://sd13.senate.ca.gov/contact

General Plan Land Use Alternatives.

At the June 17th General Plan Subcommittee meeting, three draft alternate land use plans were reviewed. Alternative A proposes the least change and the lowest residential growth. Alternative B has the second-highest residential growth spreading it more evenly across potential redevelopment areas. Alternative C has the highest residential growth and concentrated change, height, and density near transit, the rail corridor and downtown.

These are important, again, for communities like Fiesta Gardens as the General Plan will affect how single family home neighborhoods are considered for development, and increase in traffic.

Eric Rodriguez: erodriguez@cityofsanmateo.org and Rick Bonilla: rbonilla@cityofsanmateo.org are on the

subcommittee. Please contact them for more information and to let them know your thoughts.

San Mateo is in Drought

We are in another historic drought! State officials are urging everyone to reduce water use by 15%. Some ideas:

- Take shorter showers
- Reduce lawn watering (better still, replace with a drought-tolerant landscape

https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/landscaping) Only run dishwashers when full

The idea that individual consumers should be responsible to conserve out of this crisis is controversial. One argument is that consumers did not waste their way into drought, and thus can't preserve their way out of it. In fact, residential water use has declined over the last ten years.



There are three main factors that draw on California's precious water supply: 50% environmental, 40% agricultural and 10% urban. That means just 10% is used by residential users and thus even a 25% saving there would not significantly impact the current crisis. That means that significant savings in environmental and agricultural use are needed as well as urban savings. Certain crops – such as almonds – have been highlighted as culprits. California produces 80% of the world's almonds (2 billion pounds per year) and 2,000 gallons of water are needed for *every pound* of almonds produced. While farming methods are efficient this is still a staggering amount of water for a non-essential crop and alone equivalent to the total urban use (10%), yet more and more almond trees are being planted in the central valley every year. Other high water use crops are pistachios, pasture (clover, other grasses), alfalfa, and citrus. Some view export of crops is the equivalent of pumping water out-of-state. Limiting or regulating agricultural use of water is a complex issue tied to economics and employment in often impoverished rural areas. As water supplies have become more scarce farmers have turned to drilling wells to feed yearround thirsty crops like almonds. This has led to emptying of underground aquifers causing collapse and subsidence of the ground above and even small earthquakes.

Another side of the story is an environmental one; more water is being diverted to the San Joaquin Delta to preserve the delicate ecosystem there, such as the endangered delta smelt, and to maintain the right level of salinity in the delta. This means that over 80 billion gallons of additional water is flowing into the delta and out into the sea every year. This has led to conflict with the agricultural community who also vie for this water supply.

The bottom line is that we as Californians need to look at all three water use categories and decide what makes sense. Small actions like replacing a grass lawn with native plants make sense (and vastly reduce your water bill). But if you have strong views on how we should use water for the environment and agriculture, contact your state assembly representative (<u>https://sd13.senate.ca.gov/contact</u>) and let him know your views!

https://www.sfchronicle.com/local/article/This-is-how-the-California-s-water-use-has-16166902.php



FIESTA GARDENS

August 4 FGHA Board Meeting 7 p.m., Zoom call

August 15 Deadline to get articles and ads to Bee Editor.

August 21 Ice Cream Social! 2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Outside the FG pool

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City Meetings will be held online via Zoom calls. For more information on these calls, please visit <u>https://www.cityofsanmateo.org/3971/Agendas-Minutes-Public-Meeting-Portal</u>

August 2, 16 City Counsel Meeting Where: Remote via Zoom call When: 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

August 10, 24

Planning Commission Meeting Where: Remote via Zoom call When: 7:00 PM - 11:00 PM

August 5

Central Park Music Series - Pop Fiction (Party Band)

Pop Fiction has been a mainstay in the Bay Area since their first show way back in 2009. From the minute they hit the stage, Pop Fiction churns out non-stop dance hits, sing-alongs, and favorites from the 70s, 80s, 90s, and 2000s, guaranteed to keep the dance floor packed and audiences of all ages ecstatic all night. The band, dressed to impress, delivers high-energy performances, audience participation, and pure unadulterated fun throughout the night!

Where:Central Park, 50 E 5th Ave, San MateoWhen:6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.Cost:FREE!

Questions? Please email parksandrecreation@cityofsanmateo.org or call (650) 522-7400.

Fiesta Gardens Homes Association Inc. Income & Expense Statement Operating Fund June 30, 2021

| C | Current Period | In the little states | | | Year To Date | | |
|--------------|----------------|----------------------|---|---------------|---------------|------------|--------------|
| Actual | Budget | Variance | Description | Actual | Budget | Variance | 2021 Budget |
| | | | INCOME | | | | |
| 1,130.00 | | 1,130.00 | Regular Assessments | 187,760.00 | 188,280.00 | (520.00) | 188,280.0 |
| 0.84 | 2.08 | (1.24) | Interest Inc - Operating Fund | 6.01 | 12.50 | (6.49) | 25.0 |
| 185.32 | 83.33 | 101.99 | Interest Inc - Repl. Res. Fund | 1,086.65 | 500.00 | 588,65 | 1,000.0 |
| | | 0.00 | Interest | 254.88 | 0.00 | 254.88 | 0.0 |
| 36.00 | | 36.00 | Late Charges | 96.00 | 1,033.00 | (937.00) | 2,068.0 |
| 60.00 | 90.00 | (30.00) | Bee Ads | 660.00 | 540.00 | 120.00 | 1,080.0 |
| 1,412.16 | \$ 175.42 | \$ 1,236.74 | Total Income | \$ 189,863.54 | \$ 190,365.50 | -\$ 501.96 | \$ 192,451.0 |
| 1,412.16 | - | | Gross Profit | \$ 189,863.54 | \$ 190,365.50 | -\$ 501.96 | \$ 192,451. |
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| | | and the second | EXPENSES | | | | |
| 540.00 | 540.00 | 0.00 | Landscape-Contract | 3,240.00 | 3,240.00 | 0.00 | 6,480. |
| 12,090.72 | 7,600.00 | (4,490.72) | Lifeguards | 14,313.58 | 10,383.64 | (3,949.94) | 38,000. |
| 425.00 | 425.00 | 0.00 | Newsletter Editor | 2,550.00 | 2,550.00 | 0.00 | 5,100. |
| 1,226.52 | 746.00 | (480.52) | Payroll Taxes | 1,409.97 | 1,119.00 | (290.97) | 3,730. |
| 300.00 | 300.00 | 0.00 | Secretary | 1,800.00 | 1,800.00 | 0.00 | 3,600. |
| 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 | 0.00 | Treasurer | 6,000.00 | 6,000.00 | 0.00 | 12,000 |
| 36.88 | | (36.88) | Payment Processing Fees | 2,654.80 | 2,700.00 | 45.20 | 2,700 |
| 227.50 | 600.00 | 372.50 | Payroll Service | 634.54 | | (634.54) | 3,000 |
| | 45.00 | 45.00 | Pest Control | 279.34 | 270.00 | (9.34) | 540 |
| 2,239.95 | 1,458.33 | (781.62) | Pool & Spa | 12,896.95 | 8,750.00 | (4,146.95) | 17,500 |
| 700.00 | 308.33 | (391.67) | Common Area - Maintenance | 875.00 | 1,850.00 | 975.00 | 3,700 |
| | | 0.00 | Wristbands | 730.83 | 150.00 | (580.83) | 300 |
| | 83.33 | 83.33 | Tennis Court- Service & Repair | 0.00 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 1,000 |
| 792.43 | 300.00 | (492.43) | Gas | 938.98 | 1,800.00 | 861.02 | 3,600 |
| 874.97 | | 291.70 | Electricity | 5,365.69 | 7,000.00 | 1,634.31 | 14,000 |
| 188.93 | - | (63.93) | Refuse | 1,133.58 | 750.00 | (383.58) | 1,500 |
| 188.48 | | (53.15) | Telephone & Pager | 1,030.70 | 800.00 | (230.70) | 1,600 |
| 1,243.16 | | | Water | 3,999.11 | 6,000.00 | 2,000.89 | 12,000 |
| 1,210110 | 83.33 | 83.33 | Pools & Spa Facilities | 0.00 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 1,000 |
| | 100.00 | 100.00 | Audit & Tax Preparation | 0.00 | 600.00 | 600.00 | 1,200 |
| 16.60 | | | Mailings, Postage & Copies | 215.50 | 1,250.00 | 1,034.50 | 2,500 |
| 32.30 | | | Newsletter Postage/ Printing | 226.04 | 300.00 | 73.96 | 600 |
| 02.00 | 125.00 | | Meeting Expenses/Social Functi | 275.00 | 750.00 | 475.00 | 1,500 |
| -260.00 | | | Collection Expenses | 303.82 | 2,500.00 | 2,195.18 | 5,000 |
| 1,317.48 | | | Insurance Expenses | 6,741.88 | 6,750.00 | 8.12 | 13,500 |
| 298.00 | | | D & O Ins. Expenses | 1,788.00 | 1,750.00 | (38.00) | 3,500 |
| 280.00 | 368.67 | | Insurance Exp - W/C | 2,081.25 | 2,200.00 | 118.75 | 4,400 |
| 137.48 | | | Office Supplies | 1,555.66 | 1,630.00 | 74.34 | 3,260 |
| 137.48 | 8.33 | | Civic Expenses | 199.0 | 50.00 | (149.00) | 10 |
| | | | Web Site | 354.0 | | | 50 |
| 0 000 | 41.67 | | Professional Services | 26,255.4 | | | 10,00 |
| 9,086.20 | | | Permits & License | 0.0 | | | 1,00 |
| | 83.33 | | | 3,893.4 | | | 8,20 |
| | 683.33 | | Taxes - Property Inc Taxes- Operating Fund | 0,060.4 | | | 2 |
| | 2.08 | | | \$ 103,742.1 | | | \$ 186,63 |
| \$ 32,700.50 | 3 \$ 20,521.42 | -\$ 12,179.08 | Total Expenses | ₽ 100,146.1 | | | \$ 5,810 |

Fiesta Gardens Homes Association Inc. Income & Expense Statement Cabana Rebuild June 30, 2021

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|----|----------|-----|-------------|-----|------------|---------------------------|---|-------------------------|----|--------------|------|------------------------|-------|-------------|
| 1 | Actual | | Budget | ٧ | ariance | Description | 2.743 | Actual | | Budget | ۷ | arlance | | Budget |
| | | | | | | INCOME | | | | | | | | |
| | 5,000.00 | | 10,000.00 | | (5,000.00) | Special Assessments | | 1,217,900.00 | | 1,300,000.00 | | (82,100.00) | | 1,300,000.0 |
| \$ | 5,000.00 | \$ | 10,000.00 | -\$ | 5,000.00 | Total Income | \$ | 1,217,900.00 | \$ | 1,300,000.00 | -\$ | 82,100.00 | \$ | 1,300,000.0 |
| \$ | 5,000.00 | \$ | 10,000.00 | -\$ | 5,000.00 | Gross Profit | \$ | 1,217,900.00 | \$ | 1,300,000.00 | -\$ | 82,100.00 | \$ | 1,300,000.0 |
| | | | | | | EXPENSES | 1. S. | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 0.00 | Cabana Rebuild - Contract | | | | | | 0.00 | | 1,340,000.0 |
| | | | | | 0.00 | Update Plans | | 47,559.12 | | 20,000.00 | | (27,559.12) | | 20,000.0 |
| | | | | | 0.00 | Construction Reserve | | | | | | 0.00 | | 58,838.0 |
| | | | | | 0.00 | Consulting | | | | | | 0.00 | | 30,000.0 |
| | | | | | 0.00 | Permits and Fees | | | | | | 0.00 | | 50,000.0 |
| | | | | | 0.00 | Payment Processing Fees | | 12,542.54 | | 13,000.00 | | 457.46 | | 13,000.0 |
| | 0.00 | \$ | 0.00 | \$ | 0.00 | Total Expenses | \$ | 60,101.66 | \$ | 33,000.00 | -\$ | 27,101.66 | \$ | 1,511,836.0 |
| 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Fiesta Gardens Homes Association Inc. Balance Sheet As of June 30, 2021

| ASSETS | | |
|--|-----------|---|
| Cash - Operating Fund | \$ | 80,294.71 |
| Cash - Reserve Fund | \$ | 298,306.59 |
| Cash - Cabana Rebuild | \$ | 1,210,309.63 |
| Old Accounts Receivable | \$ | 116,062.00 |
| Dues Receivable | \$ | 34,720.00 |
| Special Assessment Receivable | \$ | 148,300.00 |
| Other Current Assets | \$ | 18,130.26 |
| Due From JD Builders | \$ | 19,500.00 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$ | 1,925,623.19 |
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| | NCE | 2,288.77 |
| Liabilities | NCE | 2,288.77 |
| Liabilities Accounts Payable | NCE | |
| Liabilities Accounts Payable Accrued Expenses | NCE | 1,750.00 |
| Liabilities Accounts Payable Accrued Expenses Prepaid Assessments | NCE \$ | 1,750.00 |
| Liabilities Accounts Payable Accrued Expenses Prepaid Assessments Payroll Withholding and Taxes Payable Total Liabilities | | 1,750.00 1,323.10 1,813.84 7,175.71 |
| Liabilities Accounts Payable Accrued Expenses Prepaid Assessments Payroll Withholding and Taxes Payable Total Liabilities Fund Balance | | 1,750.00 1,323.10 1,813.84 7,175.71 1,833,364.84 |
| Liabilities Accounts Payable Accrued Expenses Prepaid Assessments Payroll Withholding and Taxes Payable Total Liabilities Fund Balance Current Year Net Income/Loss | \$ | 1,750.00 1,323.10 1,813.84 7,175.71 1,833,364.84 85,082.64 |
| Liabilities Accounts Payable Accrued Expenses Prepaid Assessments Payroll Withholding and Taxes Payable Total Liabilities Fund Balance | | 1,750.00 1,323.10 1,813.84 7,175.71 1,833,364.84 |

FGHA BOARD MEETING – June 2, 2021

APPROVED Minutes, Respectfully Submitted, Pam Miller, Secretary

The FGHA Board Meeting via Zoom was called to order by Steve Strauss, President, at 7:01PM. Board Members in attendance were: Steve Strauss - President, Christina Saenz - Social Director, Steve Stanovcak – Pool Operations, Rich Neve -- Civics, Naresh Nayak – Vice President, and Steve Muller -- Pool Maintenance.

May 5th Minutes - On a motion duly made and seconded and approved by all Board Members, the minutes of the May 5th meeting were approved.

Financial /Steve Gross

- \$110,000 in our operating account.
- We paid out \$20,000 in the month of May.
- We have a little over \$1.5 million in the Cabana Funds/Reserve Account.
- \$6,100 was collected in dues for the month of May. \$188,000 has been collected in total.
- \$6,500 more was collected in special assessments for the month of May. So far 428 Members have paid the special assessment. There are 44 making monthly payments and 17 are in collections.

BOARD REPORTS

Civic/Rich Neve

- If you would like to be entered or would like to nominate someone in our neighborhood for the SMUHA Home Maintenance Award, please let Rich or Roland know.
- June 15th there will be a virtual community meeting via Zoom at 6pm regarding the Clean Water Program. You can register at the website.
- SamTrans is working on updating their bus routes. New bus routes will start sometime in 2022.

Social Director/Christina Saenz

• After June 15th we will have a better idea of Covid restrictions and start planning appropriate summer events. Some ideas are ice cream truck at the pool and bring back our neighborhood garage sale.

Parks/Roland Bardony Not in attendance

Pool Operations/Steve Stanovcak

- The pool will be open 7 days a week starting June 7th.
- Friday, Saturday, and Sunday lap swim will be from 11am-12pm.

Pool Maintenance/Steve Muller

• The new pool pump has been installed and is working great.

Vice President/Naresh Nayak

• Nothing to report.

President/Steve Strauss

• Congratulations to Steve Gross on his recent engagement.

NEW BUSINESS None

OLD BUSINESS

Cabana Renovation Update

The City has come back with more things they need from us. It's minor however it's frustrating. The difficulty with our new cabana is it's a commercial building; therefore, we have many items to be checked off. The latest issues are water runoff and the arborist report. One of the trees in the area needs to be removed due to instability. Scapes will be removing the tree. We submitted both reports to the City.

Assessment Collection Update

This will be discussed in Executive Session after the meeting.

J.D. Builders Collection Update

The lawsuit will be discussed in Executive Session after the meeting.

Questions and Comments None

ADJOURNMENT/NEXT MEETING

The next Meeting will be held on Zoom, Wednesday July 7th, 2021 at 7pm. Meeting was adjourned at 7:26pm.

FGHA BOARD MEETING – July 7, 2021

Unapproved Minutes, Respectfully Submitted, Pam Miller, Secretary

The FGHA Board Meeting via Zoom was called to order by Steve Strauss, President, at 7:03PM. Board Members in attendance were: Steve Strauss - President, Christina Saenz - Social Director, Steve Stanovcak – Pool Operations, Naresh Nayak – Vice President, and Steve Muller -- Pool Maintenance.

June 2nd Minutes - On a motion duly made and seconded and approved by all Board Members, the minutes of the June 2nd meeting were approved.

Financial /Steve Gross

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- We paid out \$32,000 in the month of June.
- We have a little over \$1.5 million in the Cabana Funds/Reserve Account.
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BOARD REPORTS

Civic/Rich Neve Not in Attendance Submitted Report

- Music in the park started on July 4th. Will continue through the summer. You can get more information on the San Mateo City homepage.
- Educate yourselves on Senate Bills 10, 477 and 478. Sen. Scott Weiner would like to up-zone, up to 10 units in certain areas near transit, eliminate certain restrictions and ease lot size rules. Sen. Josh Becker does not support, he feels it's too many units and also it would allow a provision to override voter initiatives with a simple majority of the council vote.

Social Director/Christina Saenz

- There will be an ice cream social in August.It will be the 14th or the 21st. We will have music, ice cream and refreshments. People are welcome to bring picnic lunches.
- David Martin will be organizing our neighborhood garage sale. The date will be September 11th.

Parks/Roland Bardony Not in attendance Submitted Report

• The diseased elm tree will be cut down in the park. Everything else is good.

Pool Operations/Steve Stanovcak

- We are seeing challenges with the pool chemicals. They are getting very hard to get. May get worse going forward.
- We are open for swim lessons.
- Steve Strauss acknowledged that certain chemicals for the pool are getting very hard to get and we may need to figure out alternatives in the future.

Pool Maintenance/Steve Muller

• Some of the chemical sensors in the pool are not working and it's hard to get the parts needed to fix them. Steve M. is having to go to the pool 3 times a day to check the chemicals.

Vice President/Naresh Nayak

• Nothing to report.

President/Steve Strauss

• Please don't leave garbage and unsightly things in front of your home. If at all possible, put what you can away.

NEW BUSINESS None

OLD BUSINESS

Cabana Renovation Update

Good news, we have our preliminary approval for our permit. We will be sending out a letter to all residents within 500 ft of the cabana. We will also post a letter of intent at the pool. We should have the permit in August.

Assessment Collection Update

This will be discussed in Executive Session after the meeting.

J.D. Builders Collection Update

Proceedings with JD builders is over. We received our money back and then some. The money will go back to our construction account. We have received 10% of the settlement thus far.

MINUTES

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Questions and Comments None

ADJOURNMENT/NEXT MEETING The next Meeting will be held on Zoom, Wednesday August 4th at 7pm. Meeting was adjourned at 7:39pm.

Are You Considering a Move?



We all Scream for

I scream, you scream

Fiesta Gardens is hosting an Ice Cream Social to meet your new and old neighbors!

Be sure to wear your pool wrist band to get FREE ice cream!

Bring a blanket, listen to music, and eat ice cream!

If you are a new to the neighborhood, wear a purple shirt, or stop by the table to get a sticker!

Saturday, August 21 from 2:30-4:30 Outside the FG Pool

Contact: social@fiestagardensHOA.com



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DECLUTTER & DELIGHT!!

I have been busy cleaning out my aunt's house since she passed away last Fall! She was 102 and lived an amazing life. However, she left behind 102 years of stuff!

I highly encourage everyone to begin that process of choosing what things you want to have around you and what things you might be able to live without! Check out some of the suggestions by professional organizers like Marie Kondo! It can be an overwhelming task to attack all at once, but choosing one room at a time or even smaller goals like one drawer at a time can get you started on a less cluttered home where you can see the items you appreciate most every day!

I'm doing my part to help you by organizing the neighborhood garage sale again. I was planning on doing one last year, but due to COVID, I had to postpone. I am excited that this year it will be on September 11th ~8:30AM to 2:00PM. Please see the ad in the Bee to learn how to register. As always if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call or email!

I'll have another market update next month. Prices have been very strong on the Peninsula, although the number of multiple offers has lessened in many cases, except with homes that are in the most desirable locations and/or exceptional conditions. Interest rates have ebbed and flowed, but are still around 3%.

Glad July 4th in our neighborhood was uneventful and I look forward to seeing my neighbors again when I walk the dog or host open houses! I'm looking for listing number 35 in the neighborhood, so if you have been thinking of buying or selling and would like to talk about my proven marketing strategy, give me a call!

1427 Chapin Ave, Burlingame, CA 94010 | 650.685.7621 | David@SellPeninsulaHomes.com

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Date: Saturday, September 11th Time: 8:30 AM -2:00 PM

<u>Time to get</u>

rid of some things?

Back by popular demand, I will once again be organizing a neighborhood-wide garage sale. The best thing is it is <u>FREE</u> to participate. I only ask that you register! The more houses that

participate, the better the crowds.

Register online at fiestabuzz.com or submit the registration form below so that I know how many homes are participating. I look forward to another great turn out!

> Registration: <u>Due by August 27th</u>! Register online at www.Fiestabuzz.com Or drop off at my mailbox listed below.

Name:_____Email: _____ Address: _____Phone: _____ What types of items will you be offering? Drop-off: David Martin 768 Fiesta Drive San Mateo, CA 94403

REALTY

Fiesta Gardens Homes Association Monthly Board Meeting Agenda Wednesday, August 4, 2021 7:00 PM

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Reading and Approval of Minutes
- 3. Financial Report Steve Gross
- 4. Board Reports:
 - i. Civic Rich Neve
 - ii. Social Christina Saenz
 - iii. Parks Roland Bardony
 - iv. Pool Maintenance Steve Muller
 - v. Pool Operations Steve Stanovcak
 - vi. Vice President Naresh Nayak
 - vii. President Steve Strauss
- 5. New Business
- 6. Old Business
 - i. Cabana Renovation Update
 - ii. Assessment Collections Update
- 7. Questions and Comments
- 8. Adjournment/Break into Executive Session if needed