

RANCHO LA PALMA

NEIGHBORHOOD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

ACTION PLAN



ISSUE	ACTION	RESPONSIBILITY	UPDATE ON ACTION
<p>1. Poor condition of the alley</p> <p>1.1 Potholes need to be repaved</p> <p>1.2 Poor drainage</p> <p>1.3 Insect infestation</p> <p>1.4 Lack of parking</p> <p>1.5 Illegal dumping</p> <p>1.6 Auto repair</p> <p>1.7 Fences in disrepair</p> <p>1.8 Trash cans in alley</p> <p>1.9 Lack of alley sweeping</p>	<p><i>1.1 Repave entire alley correctly</i></p> <p><i>1.2 Improve drainage canal in the alley</i></p> <p><i>1.3 Contact O.C. Vector Control to address insect issue</i></p> <p><i>1.4 Explore feasibility with Traffic Engineering of a alley parking plan</i></p> <p><i>1.5a Implement more extensive Code Enforcement surveillance</i></p> <p><i>1.5b Implement quarterly clean-up campaigns</i></p> <p><i>1.5c Create a neighborhood brochure listing clean-up days and other information</i></p> <p><i>1.5d Promote residents taking more responsibility on picking up small trash items</i></p> <p><i>1.5e Explore the possibility of installing “No Illegal Dumping Signs” at the entrance of the alley</i></p> <p><i>1.6a Implement more extensive Code Enforcement surveillance on illegal car repair shops</i></p> <p><i>1.6b Educate neighborhood with brochure on city codes regarding auto repair</i></p>	<p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City/Residents</p> <p>City/Residents</p> <p>Residents</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City/Residents</p> <p>City</p>	<p>1.1: 10/99 west section of alley repaired. 5/01 middle section repaired.</p> <p>1.2: Canal to be improved with alley repaving</p> <p>1.5a: Ongoing resident and C.E. surveillance</p> <p>1.5b: Annual clean-up campaigns initiated</p> <p>1.5e: 6/00: Illegal dumping signs installed</p> <p>1.6a: Ongoing resident and C.E. surveillance</p> <p>1.7a: 6/23/01: Alley block wall painted</p>

	<p><i>1.7a Explore the possibility of constructing a block wall</i></p> <p><i>1.7b Implement more extensive Code Enforcement inspections</i></p> <p><i>1.7c Explore the possibility of utilizing the ROP Program to construct fencing</i></p> <p><i>1.8 Implement more extensive Code Enforcement inspections</i></p> <p><i>1.9a Increase the frequency of street sweeping</i></p> <p><i>1.9b Utilize community services workers (C.E.) to help clean-up alley</i></p>	<p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p>	<p>1.7b: 8/99: More extensive code enforcement inspections initiated to address the fences in disrepair.</p> <p>1.8: 8/99: More extensive code enforcement inspections initiated to address trash cans in the alley.</p>
2. Lack of street lights/alley lighting	<p><i>2.1 Conduct lighting survey for street and alley lights - develop lighting plan</i></p> <p><i>2.2 Install Dusk to Dawn Lights</i></p>	<p>City</p> <p>City/Residents</p>	<p>2.1: 9/28: Lighting survey for streets and alleys conducted. Lighting plan developed. 1/01: alley lights completed.</p> <p>2.2: 8/99: Letters sent out by C.E. to all residents on Dogwood regarding Dusk to Dawn lights.</p>
3. Gangs in the neighborhood	<p><i>3.1 Deploy APD Gang Unit</i></p> <p><i>3.2 Initiate a Kids-in-Action site at John Marshall Park</i></p> <p><i>3.3 Initiate neighborhood flashlight walks</i></p> <p><i>3.4 Establish a Neighborhood Watch Program</i></p>	<p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p>	<p>3.1: Gang Detail is attending NAC meeting and the Flashlight Walks.</p> <p>3.3: 9/99: Initiated flashlight walks to address gang activity.</p>
4. Graffiti	<p><i>4.1 Develop anti-graffiti "Adopt A Block" Program</i></p> <p><i>4.2 Implement more Code Enforcement surveillance</i></p> <p><i>4.3 Insert information on \$500 reward for reporting graffiti in neighborhood brochure</i></p>	<p>City/Residents</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p>	<p>4.2: Ongoing surveillance of graffiti by residents and reporting to C.E.</p> <p>4.3 Information inserted with monthly flashlight walk flyer.</p>
5. Poor drainage on	<p><i>5.1 Work with City Public Works to address</i></p>	<p>City</p>	

La Palma	<i>issue (After freeway construction completion)</i>		
6. Trash throughout neighborhood	<p>6.1 Implement dumpster clean-ups</p> <p>6.2 Develop a “Pick Up Your Own Trash” informational brochure</p> <p>6.3 Distribute the ADI disposal rules (Flyer)</p>	<p>City/Residents</p> <p>City/Residents</p> <p>City/ADI</p>	6.1: 10/2: Annual clean-up campaign initiated.
7. Deteriorating housing	<p>7.1 Promote the low interest rehab loan program</p> <p>7.2 Implement more Code Enforcement inspections</p> <p>7.3 Create a “Help Your Neighbor” project</p>	<p>City/Residents</p> <p>City</p> <p>City/Residents</p>	<p>7.1: 3/01: Information added to monthly flashlight walk flyer</p> <p>7.2: Ongoing inspections of deteriorating homes</p>
8. Drugs	<p>8.1 Initiate neighborhood flashlight walks</p> <p>8.2 Deploy APD Street Narcotics Unit</p>	<p>City/Residents</p> <p>City</p>	8.1: 9/99: Flashlight walks initiated to address drugs in the neighborhood.
9. Speeding in the neighborhood	<p>9.1 Deploy motorcycle traffic units</p> <p>9.2 Install speed limit signs</p> <p>9.2 Explore “traffic calming” measures</p>	<p>City</p> <p>City</p> <p>City</p>	9.2: 12/00: Stop signs and speed limit signs installed.
10. Lack of a crosswalk on La Palma and Maple	<p>10.1 Explore the possibility of installing a pedestrian signal on the corner of La Palma and Maple</p>	<p>City</p>	<p>10.1: 6/00: Traffic Engineering has applied for a state grant to fund a pedestrian signal. Results will be available in 9/00.</p> <p>1/00: Traffic Engineering to reapply for state funding</p>