



Summary Notes from Walkabout in SRCC Areas 6 & 7 Wednesday May 19, 2004

Attendees:

Barbara Aybar	Margaret McInroe
Terry Franz	John Schuler
Fred Krebs	Patricia Wallace
John Lacaria	Kyle Zumberge
Tim Mahoney	

Sonya Lopez (NPZD)
Adam Smith (NPZD)

Issues brought up during walkabout:

- Elmhurst – access to I-35; odd access road
- Need cohesive sidewalks and bike lanes
- Parker Lane
 - Noisy speeding cars; accidents have occurred at two homes possibly due to drunk drivers
 - Cars squeezing by to pass on the right when other cars are trying to turn left off of Parker (at Windoak, Mariposa, Fawn and Deerfield)
- Parker Lane between Deerfield & Parker
 - Graffiti on backyard fences
- Parker/Woodland: police patrols needed on Saturday evenings
- SW corner of Parker Ln. & Woodland
 - Stop sign obstructed by tree branches – not visible to drivers approaching Parker from West.
 - PM rush hour cars squeeze by on Woodland to pass on right to turn south onto Parker, driving over curb & lawn
 - Increased signage needed on approach to flashing red light; slow down warning sign around Matagorda needed
- IH-35 & Woodland Avenue
 - Northbound I-35 access road to Woodland Ave: overgrown weeds under I-35 impede drivers' view when turning onto Woodland from I-35
 - This corner on both east and west sides is becoming a favorite for panhandlers
 - Homeless men camping under interstate and lack of street lighting under bridge
- Drainage issues
 - SW corner of Parker Ln. & Woodland



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- Storm water empties out from a pipe and forces water down alley between Old E. Riverside Rd. and Lupine to the north and south and between Summit and Upland to the east and west.
- In cul-de-sac at Manlove & Inglewood there is no storm water runoff management
- IH-35 & Woodland –Sidewalks needed:
 - On Woodland east of I-35
 - On Summit between Woodland & Riverside
- Traffic calming
 - Along Summit
 - Parker (Windoak to Woodland)
 - On section of Woodland approaching flashing light at Parker from the west
- Connection to hike and bike trail needed (I-35 & Riverside area)
- Old E. Riverside Rd. – popular area for transients
- At Summit & Riverside there needs to be a crosswalk
- At Windoak & Matagorda – (on the mansion property where the pond is located) this might be a good future neighborhood park site.