



**THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO
PARK AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT
OPEN SPACE DIVISION
MIRAMAR RANCH NORTH MAINTENANCE ASSESSMENT DISTRICT
SEPTEMBER 2016 STAFF REPORT**

Ornamental Landscaping

- Irrigation checks and repairs continue. Irrigation systems are operating at a minimum, depending on weather and type of plant material that is being watered.
- The South side of Scripps Ranch Blvd., from Overlook Park, past Spencerport, - the banks are in process of being renovated. The process is to prune Toyons to a height of 4' tall, remove all Eucalyptus and any leaning pines. These banks have not been through any major clean-ups for 10 years or more. The reasoning behind the renovation is to remove threats of fire, air circulation for the pines and an even water distribution. Mulch from the trees that are removed is put back on the slope. Planting trees in the bare spots of the slope will happen in the fall.

Tree Trimming

- Trees pruned away from directional signs for clear view of site.
- Trees were lifted for a clear view on the medians and the ROW's.

Mini-Parks

- Staff is working with Blueskies Landscape on cleaning the planter beds, removing dead plant material, adding mulch where needed, removing and transplanting plant material where it is appropriate, and redefining the landscape plan for the mini parks that resembles the original plant pallet.
- A few aloes and agaves were planted in the desert garden within Dry Creek Park.
- 4- Dasyilirion longissimum, Mexican Grass Trees were planted at Canyon View Park.

Landscape Contract

- Blue Skies Landscape continues to provide services within budget.

Respectfully submitted,

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