



# EVPA

## EUREKA VALLEY PROMOTION ASSOCIATION

A NEIGHBORHOOD ORGANIZATION SINCE 1881  
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### Minutes from the October 18, 2001 EVPA General Meeting

Corresponding Secretary Gustavo Serina filling in for Recording Secretary Mike Babbitt.

- Meeting was called to order and the minutes from the previous meeting were approved, although some members objected to editorial comments made by the Recording Secretary.
- Steve Williams, candidate for City Attorney, did not appear.
- Jody Sanford from the Presidio Trust and Johanna Wald Natural Resources Defense Council discussed the plans for the Presidio.
- The Internal Affairs Committee presented its recommendations for next years officer and board member candidates:  
President: Gustavo Serina  
Vice President: Tom Hanus  
Corresponding Secretary: Joe Foster  
Recording Secretary: Mike Babbitt (Incumbent)  
Treasurer: Herb Cohn  
At Large Board Members (2 year terms): Drew Bertagnolli, Michael Crawford, Gerald Abbott  
At Large Board Members to Complete seats vacated by Herb Cohn and Joe Foster: Rich McRee and Steve Hall
- Discussed the proposed by-law amendment regarding discounted membership fees for seniors and individuals on disability. While the concept was met with general favor, the membership rejected the proposed change in the by-laws, because the by-laws do not discuss the amount charged for membership. The Internal Affairs Committee agreed to come back with a proposal to address this issue.
- Chris and Cindy Metcalf discussed their proposed changes to the roofline of their house on 19<sup>th</sup> Street and an increase in height, which require a variance. Steve Hall, a neighbor, said the neighbors do not object. Membership voted to support their proposal when it is heard by the Zoning Administrator. ( This won't go before the Planning Commission unless someone objects and files for a discretionary review.)
- No action was taken on an item raised by Mila and Pierre Martin regarding demolition of a house on Douglass and 21st Streets.
- Michael Crawford and Tom Hanus reminded attendees that a 120th EVPA anniversary Party would be hosted by the Chat Cafe on Tuesday, October 30, 6:30-8:00PM.
- A special thanks goes out to the Membership & Promotion Committee who have completed the 2001-2002 Membership Guide and begun distributing it at meetings. Please contact Committee chairman Michael Crawford to receive a copy. Additionally, the Committee has updated the [www.evpa.org](http://www.evpa.org) website. The Committee asked for assistance from membership in distributing the newsletter at social spots in the area to introduce the EVPA to more of the public.
- The motion was made and passed to adjourn the meeting.

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