

## **Report to the North Fair Oaks Community Council**

Reporting Agency: Office of Sustainability (OOS)

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Follow-up on Council request (note specific request and date it was made):

The SeeClickFix application for San Mateo County, called Report It! SMC is currently being tested by County staff. The date for the soft launch will be the first week of April, with an official launch to the community at the Clean-up Day on May 30<sup>th</sup>. It will also be shared with the Council at their May meeting. Please bring your smartphones to your May meeting so we can show you how to download the app and how it works.

- Highlights from the Reporting Period:
  - Community Choice Aggregation (CCA) Program Office of Sustainability is
    working on an effort to bring CCA to the entire County, which will give
    residents/businesses another choice in energy provider (with more renewable
    power options). The OOS would be happy to do a more detailed presentation for
    the Council if requested on this topic.
  - Possible Adopt-A-Block program being considered for North Fair Oaks as part
    of the storm water management program. Concept will be included in business
    sustainability plan and potentially in residential neighborhoods. Staff is
    interested in what the Council thinks about starting this type of program. It
    could be kicked off at the Clean up Day event on May 30<sup>th</sup>.
  - Cigarette receptacle study County Environmental Health would purchase cigarette butt receptacles and install them in North Fair Oaks to study their effects on litter reduction. Installation could be done by Public Works, with businesses volunteering to maintain them (could also be incorporated into the Adopt-A-Block program). Suggestions for potential locations and interested businesses would be appreciated.



- Bicycle Rodeo (6/6/2015) Office of Sustainability staff also work on alternative transportation programs and will assist District 4 and Council member Avendano with the bike rodeo scheduled for June  $6^{th}$  at the Community Center.
- Council action requested (if any):