

Adopt-a-Planter Program

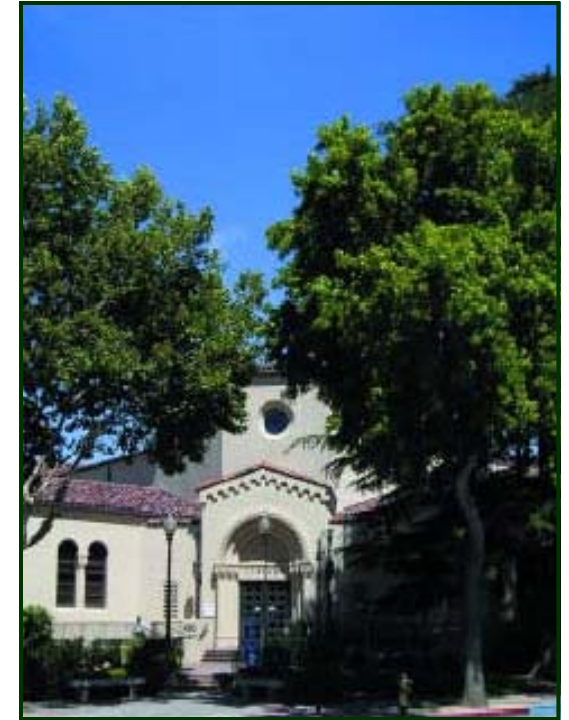
In the fall of 2004 the CBB launched the Adopt-a-Planter Program that allows families, businesses, faith groups, service clubs and residents to adopt one — or more — of the 21 concrete planters on Burlingame Avenue. Not only were all planters adopted but there was a waiting list! We have been assisting the downtown association by updating the seasonal plantings.

CBB is all about community involvement. Residents, business owners, high school students and children (of all ages) have joined us for our planting days.



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is a grass-roots coalition of concerned citizens, merchants and property owners who are dedicated to:

- Enhancing the quality of life in Burlingame, including its small-town, pedestrian-friendly environment
- Encouraging and facilitating civic engagement and participation

We encourage "Smart Growth" development that strengthens the unique character and the success of downtown Burlingame Avenue, Broadway Avenue, and Burlingame Plaza areas focusing on:

- Improving the pedestrian and family friendliness of downtown Burlingame
- Easing pedestrian, bicycle, and automobile access and parking within the "core" Business Districts
- Furthering the unique architectural character and general beauty of our "City of Trees"
- Furthering the excellence of services and products made possible by healthy competition and by a diverse group of businesses.



Activities

CBB has been extremely active in local programs:

- CBB has been working towards a new Safeway that will strengthen Burlingame's unique downtown by active participating in the Safeway Working Group, a 7-member group (including Safeway) designated by the City to develop a new design to recommend to the Planning Commission and City Council
- CBB's "\$32 Solution" School Crossing Guard program was a great success. Over 500+ generous residents, service clubs and business owners sent checks to the CBB to cover the \$32,000 needed to complete the funding for the School Crossing Guards.
- CBB hosted a Burlingame Council Candidates Night in 2003 and 2005 and in 2005 CBB held a Council Candidates Night called "Civics in Action" where high school students questioned our Burlingame council candidates about issues that concerned them
- CBB has conducted a series of free Smart Growth forums to find ways to improve our downtown shopping areas, and create an overall vision for Burlingame.
- In October 2006 CBB was awarded a Proclamation from the City of Burlingame recognizing CBB's civic engagement.
- CBB was invited to be part of a collaborative study session with City staff and various stakeholders to discuss Caltrain's improvements to Burlingame Avenue Train Station.
- CBB has hosted "Coffee and Conversation Roundtables" on issues affecting Burlingame residents and business owners.
- CBB was invited to host a Burlingame Avenue Clean Up Day in May, 2007 as part of an ongoing City Clean Up Program. Our event was a great success!

To join CBB

Please complete the application form below and mail it to:

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First Name _____
Last Name _____
Address _____
City _____
State/zip code _____
Tel (day) _____
Tel (evening) _____
Email: _____
We will not provide this information to any third party.

Annual Membership Fees:

- \$20 Student/Senior Member
- \$25 General Member
- \$50 Contributing Member
- \$100 Sustaining Member
- \$250 Lifetime Member (One time)
- Other

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