SNA Meeting Oct 8 2015

Meeting came to order at 7:35

Board Members Present: Tony, Reuben, Lorraine, Jeff, Nuala, Hannah, Dan, Lee, Josh

Community Members: Heidi Parker, Kelsey Salazar, Doug Klotz, Ethan Krow, Paul Valdez, Carmen Fodor, Roger Jones

Introductions

Approve agenda and minutes-Committee reports-add SEUL, and SEUL Land Use and Transportation Committee, remove Neighborhood Notification requirements from agenda.

Lee made a motion to approve agenda as modified, Reuben seconded Motion passed

Motion to approve minutes-postponed until end of meeting

Nola, Josh-absent

Announcements: PPD Officer presented crime map from last month-crimes not shown on map are -for judicated crimes such as homicides-citizens can go through records at PPD and ask for a public records request.

Bylaws committee-will have our second meeting to revise bylaws soon.

Committee Reports

1. EP-no representative at meeting-can check website-Sunnyside NET website
2. Land Use and Transportation-Jeff-Project at Laurelhurst Village-tear down west portion of building-they have notified SNA-Monkey Tree house is in permit process. Comp Plan testimony at City Hall-mixed use zoning project for commercial corridors is on a later tract.
3. S2T2-Lee- event workshop this Saturday at Library on native trees-what is invasive and what to do –November 14th will have a pruning workshop-meeting will be announced. More info will be in newsletter
4. Crime Prevention-no report
5. SEUL Report-Reuben-Reuben-proposed a candidates forum-City Council, mayor, etc. sponsored by SEUL,or a few neighborhoods could join together to help with that. Steve Novick came to speak about gas tax. Grievance from Alan Field-a committee was formed
6. SEUL Land Use and Transportation Committee-Dan Rutzick-no widening of streets will happen in Sunnyside.

Comp plan testimony begins.

Sunnyside East Green Street and sewer project: Debbie Castleton- JW Fowler will do construction in November. Open House next week to meet Contractor-at Eagles Hall-October 15th. Installing planters, curb extension planters, widening some sewer pipes to help prevent flooding in basements and street flooding.

Legislative Session Recap from Rep Rob Nosse: representative from Rep Nosse’s office-Ethan Krow: Presented overview of the legislative sessions and bills passes.

Summer/Fall 2015-

Blair Community Garden-Funding Request: Tony read request they had sent by email to SNA-Asking for $100.00 for wheelbarrow-Jane Pullman sent a support letter stating this was an important request.

Reuben made a motion that we award $130.00 to the Blair community Garden-Lee seconds motion. Discussion-Reuben says SNA has supported this over the years, the wheelbarrow he has in mind is actually $130.00-it is sturdier and will be more heavy duty-motion passed unanimously

Comp Plan Testimony-Dan-Now going to City Council in November. Focus-Sunnyside Corridors of Belmont and Hawthorne recommended that these be renamed from mixed use neighborhood designations to a mixed use urban center to conform with Belmont corridor.

Dan made a motion to present the testimony from SNA Board to the Portland City Council for their Comp Plan Hearing-Hannah seconded. Discussion-Suggestion to share testimony with Belmont Area Business Association.

Reuben and Jeff Abstained, motion passes.

Centers and Corridors Parking Update-October 22nd at 6PM at Fred Meyer will be “office Hours” with Tony and Lorraine. Tony reported on the Council meeting about permitting process.

Motion to approve additional $10.00 for Jane Pullman for the Raingarden workshop, Reuben moved to approve, Nuala seconded. Motion passes.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:58