SNA Meeting January 11, 2018

Present (Board) Lorraine, Reuben, Mike, Neil, Eric, Chelsea

Absent: Hannah (excused) Maggie

Meeting came to order at 7:03

Introductions

Motion to Approve December minutes (Eric) Seconded (Mike) motion carried

Agenda additions: Neil wants to report on the Parking Tool kit, Tony Jordon is here to answer questions. Will report after general announcements-requested 5-10 minutes

Mary Ann Schwab will report on RipSAC, reporting after Neil/Tony-requested 10 minutes

Motion to approve agenda (Chelsea) Mike seconded. Motion carried.

General Announcements: Officer Shaun Sahli is here, and reported on reduction of numbers on 37th and 36th and Hawthorne.

Neil and Tony Jordon-January 24th, City Council will introduce a Parking Tool Kit and permit program –Neil asking SNA to reaffirm support SNA approved in 2014. It did not pass at City Council at that time. In March 2017, SNA and 8 other neighborhoods wrote letters to City Council asking for Parking Tool Kit and Permits to be re-introduced to address parking and reach out to neighborhoods who complained it had not been voted on yet.

Neil: Sunnyside NA writes a letter and include language suggesting we could be a pilot program, support of support to approve Parking Tool Kit as City Council agenda item. Mike seconded. Motion carried

Committee Reports:

Sunnyside prepared – not present –going to quarterly meetings

LUTC: Neil: reported on Salmon Greenway-reached out to Buckman neighborhood on this as well.

Treasurer’s Report:Mike: Quiet money month-Balance: $12,233.00

Crime Prevention and Liveability

SEUL: Reuben-met yesterday-Kaitlin Burke Joint office of Homeless services gave presentation, Melissa Castor lives at Hazelnut Grove, first unhoused person to be elected to a neighborhood association (Overlook). Fiscal sponsorship system was discussed-management of contracts, for example.

SEUL LUTC: Mike reports did not meet in December, brainstorming topics on MLK day

Business Associations: Chelsea-cannot reach anyone at HABA.

Sign Update: Neil-Neil is now working out of town a lot, and therefore not able to do what he would have liked to do regarding sign getting done. Reuben reports that Bill wants the SNA board to find a way to pull the permit. Neil will be liason with city, but doing autocad work needs to be done-that is time consuming. Neil will contact Tim Brooks to ask for help on this.

Switching to Advantis: Mike: Still with US Bank at this time, need to get something notorized, should be done in next month.

Franklin High School PTSA Auction: Susie Silva-Strommer-asking for sponsorship-Sunnyside NA is one of 2 (other is Mt Tabor) entire neighborhood feeds to Franklin cluster. Bulk of funds from auction goes to Grants-try to encourage student groups to apply. Marching band uniforms, sheet music, visiting student bus passes, learning materials for special ed, and many others.

Motion to sponsor the auction this year: $500, Neil seconds.

Discussion-FHS is a title 1 high school-58%. Motion passed

unanimously.

Her email is susieportland@yahoo.com-we will send a graphic for the program-4 tickets available to NA.

Pat Schweibert: Sunnyside Community House Update: Pat said that the SCH is trying to be part of the solution-got second dumpster, encouraged houseless folks to use them, SCH is offering showers, dry socks. Pat points out that houseless people aren’t the only ones littering. Pat said there are sharps containers in bathrooms. Trying to start a clothing exchange,

ask people for old clothes first. Getting about 40% return. Started an emergency shelter at 32 degrees-had 41 people there. Have not made it open to the City-see this as a community service. Open 6 nights during holidays.

De-escalation training 1-4PM at the Community House this Saturday.

Reuben suggested low-capacity toilets at $200.00 each-need to be installed. Reuben will re-visit this next month

Mary Ann: RIPSAC: Concerned about future of ONI guidelines. Concerned about cutting their budget 5% -New executive Director is Suk Reed. How can we as a NA ensure the ONI budget is not cut? Mary Ann suggested we read the SE Examiner article about ONI.

Neil motion to adjourn, Mile seconded. Meeting adjourned at 8:30.

Minutes recorded and submitted by Lorraine Henriques, SNA Board Secretary