# Sunnyside Neighborhood Association Meeting Minutes

October 11, 2018

Southeast Uplift Fireside Room 3534 SE Main St

# **Board Present:**

Dave

Reuben

Sean

Pat

Matt

Eric

# **Board Excused:**

Maggie

Russell

# Attending:

| Name, Affiliation | Board? | Email                      |
|-------------------|--------|----------------------------|
| Dale Peppel       | No     | dpeppel@att.net            |
| Reuben Deumling   | Yes    |                            |
| Sean Watkins      | Yes    | watkinsean@gmail.com       |
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| Meghan Mack     | No  | meghanm10@gmail.com |
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| Colin Sakewitz  | No  | csakewitz@gmail.com |
| Pat Schwiebert  | Yes |                     |
| Mary Ann Schwab | No  |                     |

#### Called to order at 7:02pm

#### Introductions

#### Leaf blower ordinance

- Alternative practices and education
- Leaves in the street are dangerous for bikers

## Valerie Hunter Mural Presentation @ 3334 Belmont Ave (Belmont Pub)

- Looked at the photos
- Will ask Valerie what kind of feedback she's looking for

#### Houselessness

- Add pdxreporter.org to Resources section of website
- Lighting in Sunnyside Park? NE corner light might just need to be repaired / serviced?
  - Dale to contact PBOT about presenting at our meeting
- SES PTSA meeting went well
- [Dunkin] Folks aren't dangerous just because they're sleeping outside. Need to get houseless perspective into out conversation
  - Q Center Speaker's Forum
    - Group of houseless and formerly houseless folks who can come and provide houseless perspectives at meetings like ours, etc
  - Street Roots staffers
- Provision of a POD during warming season
  - o Location?
    - Walgreens?
      - Too far?
  - Can we provide security / facilitation so people using the warming shelters know their possessions will be cared for?
- Re-collection of blankets, jackets, etc after warming season
  - Put note in a pocket
  - When camps are swept, possessions are commandeered to a far off location

#### **Committee Reports**

Preparedness

- No report
- Land Use & Transportation
  - Short Term Rental Notices
    - 741 SE Peacock Lane, Heather and Collin Terrell
    - 1411 SE 46th Ave, Jennifer Jaffe
    - 820 SE 37th Ave, Brady Daniels and Emma Renshaw
  - Type B (Commercial) Home Occupation Notice
    - 3754 SE Salmon Ave, Kara Bubchfield Chiropractic
  - Peacock Lane Car Free Holiday Lights Permit filed for December 15, 16, 17
  - Motion to approve short term rental enforcement letter
    - Unanimously approved
- Treasurer's Report
  - No report
- Crime & Livability
  - Covered during previous discussion
- Southeast Uplift
  - Advocacy request from "Bike Loud" informing SEUL about Central City in Motion Project. \$30MM for 18 potential projects to enhance bike and other non-motor vehicle transportation. Testimony at City Council in mid November.
  - SEUL funding the purchase and installation of sign caps to memorialize murdered PSU student, Mulugeta Seraw. Memorial on November 14th.
- SEUL Land Use & Transportation Committee
  - Workshop held to regarding citywide design processes, tools and equity planning. portlandonline.com - BPS (Bureu of Planning and Sustainabilty)
- Business Associations
  - o BABA
    - Treasurer's Report, Connie
      - Streetfair check from Ticket Tomato put in the wrong mailbox at SEUL - didn't find it until this week.
      - Jim will be stepping down as Treasurer, Leann Gauttier to take over.
    - Membership
      - Travel Portland shooting a video of Belmont to feature on their website. Belmont is one of twelve commercial districts being featured by Travel Portland. Focusing on visitor-facing businesses.
    - Other Business
      - Trinkets and Treats online map available
      - Looking for speakers / educational programming to feature at networking events
      - Veronica stepping down as communications manager, Becky to take over

- Looking for new board members. Connie stepping down as President in February after six years.
- Neighborhood + Community
  - BABA agreed to send out a volunteer / donation request blast on behalf of Community House.
  - Meals on Wheels leaving 46th and Belmont location due to funding cuts. Looking for a new location. Big commercial kitchen, co-locating with County Services would be ideal. Multnomah County funding being redirected in favor of ethnic-specific services.

#### HBBA

- Crime and Safety Report (Sgt. Shaun Shali)
  - Renewed efforts at Sunnyside and Laurelhurst in response to summer Hawthorne mission pushing folks to these areas.
  - Biggest problem is capacity.
  - PPD can abate property they deem to be a nuisance. This usually means hiring a vendor to remove property and post signage regarding where and when it can be picked up (30 day window).
  - Another problem is lack of real-time communication between agencies regarding available shelter beds, other services. Joint Office of Homelessness.
  - Support for Wapato letter to Mayor Wheeler, Multnohmah County, etc. Testify at ...? Social services provider to manage it??
- Promotions Committee Nancy Chapin
  - Gift guide booklet not to be printed this year.
  - Doggie Stroll & Tree Lighting December 9th
  - Pumpkin carving contest at Hawthorne Hostel Oct 27/28, not a streetwide event
- Membership Report
  - New members
    - Seven Virtues
    - Jiffy Lube
- HAND Linda Nettekoven
  - Hawthorne & Division Design Guidelines adopted
    - Need to identify key sites / special buildings (doesn't have to be architecturally significant)
  - Central Eastside Industrial Council near approving BID that extends through 12th. Focused on enhanced cleanup and safety services
  - Pedestrian bridge approved for Clinton Street MAX station
  - Cell tower in front of Langlitz was erected without required community input

- Diesel pollution reduction efforts ongoing CA/WA standards much higher than OR so we're getting a lot of their older trucks
  - Small scale air quality monitoring equipment available through chair of HAND
- Richmond NA Safe Space agreement
- Richmond NA
  - Better housing by design presentation
  - New Seasons Donate Dinner for Meals on Wheels
- New Business
  - Internships through local HS and colleges?
- Sunnyside Environmental School PTSA

- Communications Committee
  - Present and discuss Strategic Communications Plan at the next meeting

### Minutes approved as submitted (unanimous)

#### **Announcements**

- Mary Ann requests that SNA track Portland Parks Budget regarding the community center proposed for the area around Washington High school.
  - Can the SNA send a representative to the Prosper Portland (formerly Portland Development Commission) meetings to track progress on this effort?
- Eric asks for additional submissions for the Newsletter
  - Megan: can we dedicate a portion of the Newsletter to the houseless community and their voices?
    - Q Center
    - Community House
    - Street Roots

#### **Interim Board Member Appointment**

- Brief candidate introductions followed by a secret paper ballot vote
  - o K.C. Hoffert
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  - Lorraine Henriques
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- K.C. seated immediately

## Adjourned at 8:37pm