September 27, 2016 Marylhurst Neighborhood Association Minutes

- 1. President Oakes called meeting to order at 7:10 PM
- 2. Mr. Allmon motioned to approve the agenda, second by Mr. Koll, approved with none opposed.
- 3. Mr. Kelty moved to approve July 27, 2016 minutes, second by Mr. Cummings, motion approved with none opposed.
- 4. Treasurer Boucher reports balance unchanged at \$5898.31. Balance does not reflect costs for Ice cream social (~\$41.00). Ms. Cummings will order new signs and sign stands.
- 5. Each City Council candidate; Gail Holmes, Rich Sakelik and Teri Cummings, spoke for 5 minutes.
- 6. West Linn City Engineer, Lance Calvert, presented a map featuring Valley View between Suncrest and Kapteyns. As drafted, the standard width for Valley View is 28ft. including a "curbtight" sidewalk on south side, and no sidewalk on north side due to topographical constraints. Suncrest and Valley View intersection might have a "bump-out" to facilitate pedestrian safety. Suncrest is a "neighborhood route", 30 ft. wide, with sidewalks and bike lanes on each side. We need to replace Valley View's asbestos cement waterline first, possibly this winter/spring. Suncrest's also needs replacement. Construction might take a few months. A plan for Marylhurst Park's north parking lot will come later. Neighbors questioned how City would manage potential speeding problems due to widening/improving Valley View. Mr. Calvert suggested that MNA consult officer Stradely.

Hwy 43- West Linn recently ranked third out of 20 and received tentative approval for a 1.2 million "enhanced" STIP grant from ODOT for the Hwy 43 design process. The city of West Linn has never received STIP Enhance funds before this application and no other entity in Clackamas County received STIP funds in this round of funding. STIP grant hinges on the ability to obtain Metro Regional Flex Funds (RFFA) for construction.

Second Traffic Study- Ms. Burke reported concern that the traffic monitoring machines where not calibrated before they were used for the second study, thus she questions validity of the study. Kapteyns is 35.6 ft. wide from end to end. Valley View, with heavier traffic, is 15 ft. wide at some points and 28 ft. at the widest.

- 7. President Oakes asked members to think of questions for the upcoming NAP/League of Women Voter's candidate forum. A member suggested," What is the most important issue in the next four years?"
- 8. MNA will accept nominations for election of MNA officers up until the vote at the Oct 25, 2016 meeting. Meeting adjourned at 9:15 PM.

Minutes submitted by MNA Secretary Teri Cummings