

Savanna Oaks Neighborhood Association Meeting
October 1, 2013
7:00 PM

Minutes

Meeting was called to order at 7:12pm by SONA treasurer, Patrick McGuire.

In attendance were 6 members of SONA and one guest.

Meeting minutes from the September 3rd meeting were approved with a unanimous vote.

The Treasurer made his report of the SONA bank balance. Currently there is \$1,986.65 on hand after buying the replacement sign.

Old Business:

1. An update was provided for the "Cutting the Red Tape" project. The Planning Commission appears to be leaning towards accepting some changes and rejecting others. Changes that will likely go through eliminate "de novo" hearings and allow changes to the current tree preservation requirements. Final decisions will be made at tomorrow night's Planning Commission hearing and written arguments will be accepted up until the start of the meeting. There will be no further public testimony.
2. The "Festival of the Farm" netted \$600 for the White Oak Savannah project.
3. A replacement 'A' frame sign has been purchased as approved.

New Business:

1. Charles Seims presented an argument against the establishment of an Aquatic Center in West Linn. Time was allocated for a presentation from representatives in favor of this development, but the group did not attend the meeting. Time for the "Yes" group to speak will again be allocated at the November meeting.
2. The proposed changes in variance at 23150 Bland Circle were discussed. Notices to interested parties regarding the timing of discussion by the Planning Commission were not provided. A delay on this decision will be requested.
3. The members were informed about two additional pre-applications. The SONA President will attend the pre-application meeting and report back to the committee.
4. The Holiday Craft Fair will have more stalls this year and is to be held on November 22/23 at the West Linn Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:50pm.