

Sunset Neighborhood Association Meeting Minutes

January 28, 2014

Location: Sunset Primary School Library - 2351 Oxford St - West Linn

CALL TO ORDER

Doreen Vokes, Secretary/Treasurer of the Sunset Neighborhood Association (SNA), called the meeting to order at 7:02 p.m. She ran the meeting in the absence of President Tony Breault and Vice President Randall Jahnson.

PRESENT

8 members and 1 guest present.

The meeting attendance sign-in sheet is in our files and is available upon request.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Minutes of the previous meeting September 24, 2013 were available and approved as posted on web site.

TREASURER'S REPORT

City of West Linn – NA Stipend Account 2013-2014

Opening balance		\$1,436.89
07/01/13	'13 – '14 Fiscal Year Budget	889.16
07/15/13	SNA picnic = Band – Choatic Soul – returned ck	400.00
10/04/13	Meeting location fee (2013 – '14)	(25.00)
11/09/14	Entry-way sign clean-up day	(405.00)
01/28/14	Balance	<u>\$ 2,296.05</u>

SNA – Discretionary Funds

Opening balance

09/20/13	Balance since last meeting	<u>\$ 382.06</u>
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. City-wide curb side clean-up - April
2. Take Care of West Linn Day - May 17th

GUEST PRESENTATIONS

1. **West Linn Police Officer Kempas:** Officer Kempas reported that the main problem in West Linn at this time is cars being broken into, primarily because of car doors being left unlocked and valuables in plain sight. He reminded us about the importance of keeping our garage doors closed. Announced that the new police station should be completed by July/August. Check the web site for more details - www.westlinnoregon.gov/citypolice

OLD BUSINESS

1. Sunset Neighborhood Plan Implementation:

- **Increasing Involvement by our neighbors:** *No update.*
- **Sunset School:** Upcoming bond summit to discuss the future financing plans for the school.
- **Preserving our natural resources – survey of trees and vistas:** Rob Cozzi and Troy Bowers met with the city. *No update.*
- **Preservation of historic resources:** Shawn Hughes has volunteered to head this up. *No update.*
- **Assessing safety needs – survey of sidewalks, pathways, and trails:** Doug Vokes will email the new public works director.
- **Enhancing the SN identity – intersection signs:** Troy Bowers and Tony Breault are working on this. *No update.*

2. 2009/2010 Goals Update:

1. Rezoning of properties at Sunset and Cornwall from general commercial to neighborhood commercial. *No update.*
2. Work with City and Transportation Advisory Board (TAB) to determine how to best manage overall Sunset/Cornwall/Lancaster/Parker alignment. *No update.*

3. **Sunset entryway signs – October 2013:** Plants were replaced and bark chips were laid down.

NEW BUSINESS

1. **Bond Summit-February 22nd:** Regarding the future of the Sunset Primary School, a discussion was held concerning the upcoming bond summit. The purpose of the summit is to gather citizenry input to help the district prioritize future capital spending. A motion was passed and seconded (8-0) for the following resolution: *The Sunset Neighborhood Association strongly urges the West Linn Wilsonville School District to give the rebuilding of the Sunset School a high priority.*
2. **Oregon Passenger Rail: Eugene-Portland:** Rob Cozzi reported on the South Portland Metro Area Community Advisory Group meeting held on October 24 2013. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss preliminary alternative rail line connections between Portland-Eugene to service future high speed (110 mph) rail service. The outcome of the meeting was two rail options which can be seen in detail at the following address:

www.oregonpassengerrail.org . This effort is being done in conjunction with the state of Washington who is planning the same type of high speed service.

3. **Annual Sunset Neighborhood Picnic:** June 2014 at Sunset Park - details forthcoming.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business before the SNA, the President adjourned the meeting at 8:25pm.

**** Next meeting – April 22nd, 2014 ****

Remember NEW MEETING LOCATION – Sunset Primary School Library

Respectfully submitted by Doreen Vokes, Secretary of the SNA.

SNA OFFICERS

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***** PLEASE NOTE new email address for officers *****

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