

WNA Minutes...April 9, 2014 Pacific West Bank

Attending: Julia Simpson, Jill Viggiano, Andy Rocchia, Elizabeth Rocchia, Jim Matthis, Jody Carson, Zach Pels, Jim Milne, Michael Selvaggio, David Smith-English

The meeting was called to order at 7pm by president, Julia Simpson. Minutes of the February and March meetings were passed around. MSP.

Treasurer's report:

WNA acct at Pacific West Bank: \$1709. \$400 paid to Shaylinn Construction for refinishing of two benches.

US Bank acct: \$2084.33 (mostly Yoga class money)

New Business:

Zach Pels from WL Planning office presented parking options for Willamette. He passed out a graphic of the area under discussion. There are 683 private off street spaces and 253 public on street places. Agreements with property owners and businesses can be arranged for public use of spaces for special times and occasions. He presented three possible approaches to managing parking in area. Pedestrian, bike and buses are encouraged to reduce local car use.

West Linn will partner with ODOT to develop a plan to relieve traffic impact on Willamette Falls Drive and its side streets.

Tri Met not interested in weekend service because of low performance on Route 154.

Regional Transportation Plan soon up for review. Public comment is important and can be entered through METRO website. Requests for bike and pedestrian amenities important. Discussion ensued re: jitney service within LO, WL and OC.

Short term parking needed by "take out" restaurants. Best solution: informal sign of five minute parking during open hours relying on volunteer compliance. Trial sign use suggested.

Jody Carson explained process of Regional Transportation Plan. In order to qualify for federal grants, process requires community input. Clackamas County Board acts as a conduit. West Linn citizens need to organize plans and requests now to prepare for Plan Update in near future.

ODOT considering roundabout at top of 10th street and WF Drive or 2 lane left turn from WF Drive to 10th Street. Community interests need an advocate to focus on this issue.

Andy Rocchia requested crosswalk on WF Drive near Arbor Cove. Pedestrian use of road on route to park is increasing.

Jim Milne presented a plan for discussion concerning opening 8th street at Dollar Street. His proposal is attached to these minutes. Citizens with comments should attend the May WNA meeting when his proposal will be voted upon.

David Smith-English, director of the Clackamas Repertory Theater, presented the plays for the upcoming season. He passed out flyers containing vouchers for one free ticket. This is the 19th anniversary of the theater company which has created a total of 250 jobs for CCC students in the past 10 years. More information is available at: [clackamasrep.org](http://clackamasrep.org)

The meeting adjourned at 9pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth Rocchia very temporary secretary