

BOLTON NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION June 16, 2008 Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:15 p.m. in the Bolton Primary School Cafetorium.

It was announced that we are preparing a Certificate of Appreciation for a long time West Linn Police Officer who was assigned to our Neighborhood Association and has been a long time resident of this neighborhood. (Marty Smith) We want all who knew him to sign your name around the border of the frame before you leave to personalize the certificate.

Mindy Warren of "Big Brothers, Big Sisters Columbia Northwest" came to describe and encourage us to participate in their program of mentoring for children. Their Clackamas County office is at 18670 Willamette Dr.

Alma Coston filled us in on the Willamette Centennial Celebration. T shirts are \$12. BallGame and Street Dance are free (July 12 & 13).

We voted to support this years Lockfest (Sept. 13) at the same level as last year, which was \$450.

Gary Wells, Tualatin Valley Fire and Rescue Facilities Dir. came to address some of the concerns voiced at our last meeting regarding the stark presence of the fire station facing Buck St. Changes had been made to mirror the style of the other sides of the building and landscaping was added to soften the appearance. We were assured that the traffic situation on the Buck-Elliott corner would be addressed to alert drivers coming to the light when an alarm is being answered.

We voted to skip our July meeting as we do not have any pressing issues to address and many of us are involved in other city activities (Concerts, W.L. Fair etc.) Our bylaws state there will be no Aug. or Dec. meetings as these are busy times for most families.

The May 19, 2008 meeting minutes were approved as printed.

Sgt. Corbin reported to us on recent police activity in West Linn.

Lynette Meadows came to encourage us to make a donation to the West Linn Community Chorus. They will be performing at the Mary S. Young Arts Festival August 16-17 and at Lockfest. The chorus is a 501-C3 non-profit organization. This decision was deferred until we know exactly what funds are available.

Ken Worcester, Parks and Rec. Dir. came to update us on the possibilities for West Bridge Park. The adjacent McLean House Master Plan indicates need for more event parking. Funding sources have slowed for park improvement but planning needs to begin for this area. The parks board and Parks and Rec. would like to gather a group of interested citizens to work on a plan for this area. It would involve about 3 or 4 meetings. We will be notified. Ken fielded other parks questions. He said they are trying to get one more year out of the restrooms at Hammerle Park and then they will be replaced.

Many people signed up to help with ice cream sundaes at our concerts on July 2 & 23. We decided to do both so that all could participate. Sally will make calls to coordinate these events.

Roger Shepherd passed out the new Bolton Walking Tour Guides and we discussed the financing for these as the Tourism grant does not come in until September. The Trails committee needs to be repaid for those already printed.

It was voted that the "Executive Board"--Pres. and V. Pres.-- be authorized to reconcile our records with the City's records and make decisions as to the best use of our '08 remaining funds.

It was reported that the concurrent City Council work session regarding Neighborhood Associations is looking at some changes for neighborhood association funding--perhaps permitting some rollover of unused funds to the next fiscal year.

Submitted by Sally McLarty, Pres.

31 people present

NEXT MEETING September 15, 2008

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Bolton Neighborhood Association
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Lynette Meadows	14598 KAPLEYS ST	636-0034
Bob Adams	2310 Century Lane	557-3514
Dawn Adams	"	"
Norma & Bill Sumner	2800 tree top lane	665-8010
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Hannah Bergowitz	1519 Holly St.	655-0689
Gerda Edwards	5749 Terrace Dr.	656-4658
Angela R. Dreher	5767 Terrace Dr.	656-2491
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MAI & GLADYS LEIN	20130 LARKSPUR LN. #97	503 387-3387
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