

WEST LINN NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION PRESIDENTS MEETING- NOTES

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21 2019

7:00 PM - WEST LINN ADULT COMMUNITY CENTER

Attendees:

Absent, Savanna Oaks NA	David Baker, Rosemont Summit NA
Absent, Skyline Ridge, NA	Julia (Secretary doesn't know her last name) Willamette NA
Steve Miesen, Bolton, NA	Absent, Parker Crest NA
Absent, Marylhurst, NA	Absent, Robinwood NA
Absent, City Councilor	Absent, Barrington Heights, NA
Lauren Beeney, Hidden Springs, NA	
	Phil Rees, West Linn Food Pantry (Guest)

1. Due to a lack of quorum, no votes were taken at the meeting. The discussion began at approximately 7:10
2. Guest speaker- Phil Rees from WL Food Pantry
 - All volunteer
 - In basement/lower level of Methodist church of Old Town Willamette
 - Open Thursdays from 3-6; ideally have 10 people work the day
 - Each week, serve about 30 clients. About 120 people a week/ 500 per mo.
 - Started in 2007
 - 501c3 nonprofit
 - Sustained with food drives and donations
 - At Christmas, do about 150 food boxes- has everything someone would need for holiday dinner
 - Back room turned into Santa Clause land- gifts for kids, etc.
 - 3 years ago, connected with backpack buddies- kids take home food on Fridays- started at Willamette, now at 6 elementary schools in WL. Deliver about 60-70 packages every Thursday. Home Plate program. Separate from pantry budget.
 - Get food from "gleaners" in Oregon City, also purchase food
 - Full pantry now, but gets lean in the summer. Also, kids don't get the packages in the summer (problem!!). [NA's could try to pull something together in June/July/August?]
3. Stipend Policy: David will share spreadsheet for review. If have quorum at next meeting, will vote on and take to council.
4. Add "signs" to next meeting agenda
5. Standardization: worth still talking about.
6. CCI- no meeting this month

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7. FYI- Willamette- Dollar street middle school proposal. Bond summit proposal on Saturday
8. Announcement of Next Meeting- March 21, 2019
9. Adjourn- 7:40pm