

Robinwood Neighborhood Association (RNA)

General Meeting Minutes

Date: June 9th, 2026

Time: 7:10 PM – 7:45 PM

Attendance: 10 members present, including Tony, Liz, Sean, Shane, Greg, Tammy, Dodds, Mike K., Kevin B., and others

Guest Speakers: Absent / Guests

Chief Rollins and invited city staff members (no show)

1. Call to Order & Introductions

- **Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 7:10 PM.
- **Introductions:** New and returning attendees were recognized: Greg (relatively new attendee) and Tammy (returning member).
- **Agenda:** The evening's agenda was officially approved.
- **Minutes Approval:** The minutes from the previous month's meeting were approved

2. Treasurer's Report

- **Current Balance:** \$3,884.06

3. Guests - Absent

4. Committee Reports

- **Public Works — Chairman: Tony**
The city has been conducting road projects in the College View area (upper/lower Midhill).
At least one property on the affected stretch still requires sidewalk repairs.
- **Emergency Preparedness — Chairman: Tony**
Tony reached out to potential participants; no one was available to attend today's meeting.
- **Parks Committee — Chairman: Dodds**
The Parks Department is still in the process of interviewing for a new director; the previous director now works for the City of Wilsonville.
City Council previously discussed renaming Willamette Park; the Parks Board voted

unanimously against the proposal.

Trillium Creek: A city councilor noted this issue should be a quick fix (estimated ~5 minutes); the matter will continue to be monitored.

- **Business Committee**

The committee currently has no chair. Tony is actively seeking a volunteer to fill the role.

Community update: White Orchid restaurant has relocated to a nearby strip mall and merged with Tai Orchid. Food quality remains strong; seating capacity is reduced.

- **Community Development — Chairman: Mike K.**

New meeting schedule: First Tuesday of each month at the Station.

Senate Bill 1537 establishes state-mandated allowances for certain building codes. The HWY 43 Vision plan has stalled at the planning commission/City of West Linn level, likely due to resources being directed toward the Savanna Oaks neighborhood appeal (related to a public works expansion).

Liz D. noted that Vision43 discussions are likely to resume in late summer.

Dodds noted that speaking times at recent public planning commission meetings have been significantly reduced: neighborhood representatives went from 10 to 5 minutes; individual citizens went from 5 to 3 minutes. Tony will follow up for more information and context.

5. Announcements & Community Events

- **Historical & Vintage Societies:** Meeting on June 13th at the RNA.

- Animated community display has new updates.

Improv Night: June 10th at 7:00 PM — all are welcome.

Open Mic Night: Upcoming event (date TBD).

Saturday June 13th at 6:00 PM: West Linn Historic Society Vaudeville Show featuring acrobats and other performances.

Historic Homes Tour: McLean House tour scheduled for July.

6. Old Business

- **Neighborhood Signs / QR Code Update**

Sign QR code update remains pending and is not yet complete. Tony confirmed he is not the blocking party and is ready to approve once the update is submitted.

- **Life Jacket Rack — Boat Ramp**

A question was raised regarding funding to construct a life jacket rack at the boat

ramp (adjacent to the existing kayak rack).

Kevin B. may already be researching applicable grant or funding opportunities.

- Steps by Church (near Walmart / Hwy 43)

The design for steps next to the church has been changed to wooden construction for easier pedestrian movement.

The church congregation has raised concerns about potential insurance liability associated with the new design.

- McDonald's Car Wash — Status Clarification

Reiterated for the record: the proposed McDonald's car wash was not approved, and no appeal of that decision was filed.

7. New Business & Adjournment

- Reviving Inactive Neighborhood Associations — Kevin B.

Kevin provided an update on efforts to reactivate several defunct neighborhood associations, including: Hidden Springs, Marylhurst, Skyline Parkway, Rosemont Ridge, and Parkwood Crest.

Suggestion made to consolidate some of the smaller associations to increase participation and engagement.

Benefits identified:

Greater community representation and feedback to the City.

Ability to utilize accumulated neighborhood improvement funds that have gone unspent.

- Utility / Emergency Preparedness Building

The Lions Club has been offered the opportunity to take over the Utility/Emergency Preparedness Building, contingent on RNA approval.

Under the proposed arrangement, RNA would retain use of a portion of the space (rather than exclusive use of the entire building).

- **Adjournment:** 7:45