

Sunset Neighborhood Association Meeting Minutes
Sunset Primary, 2351 Oxford Street, West Linn, OR 97068
Tuesday, January 23, 2018

CALL TO ORDER

Patrick Noe, President of the Sunset Neighborhood Association (SNA), called the meeting to order at 7:01pm.

PRESENT

12 members

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

SECRETARY'S REPORT

Minutes of the previous meeting September 19, 2017 were available and approved as posted on the City website.

OLD BUSINESS

Brief review of old business from the September meeting.

1. West Linn Waterfront Project
2. Aging-In-Place Village
3. Sunset Park Remodel Update

ANNOUNCEMENTS/HANDOUTS

1. Marylhurst University is hosting a Disaster Preparedness Open House on Jan 30th. More information can be found at <https://westlinnchamberofcommerce.wildapricot.org/event-2754101>.

NEW BUSINESS

1. ODOT I-205 Widening and Seismic Improvements Plan – presented by Steve Dahota and Doug Zenn
 - a. ODOT is currently in the design phase of the project. They are waiting for legislature funding before breaking ground. Expect to break ground in 1st quarter 2019/20 and will last about 4.5 years in construction. \$450 Million is needed for approval in order to complete the project.
 - b. Widening of I-205 – Currently the plan is to widen by adding a 3rd lane in each direction between Abernathy Bridge and Stafford. Widening will require blasting in certain sections. Next year they plan to do an analysis (geotechnical exploration) of the impact of these blasts (small charges), potential mitigations, and duration of work. 85,000 cubic yards of rock will be reused in other parts of the freeway. Sound walls will be considered on West Linn and Oregon City side of construction.
 - c. Interchanges – Changes to on and off ramps will happen around the interchanges. Either they will be rerouted or they will be moved. Possible roundabout added to the northbound 43 ramp to help with traffic.
 - d. Bridges – Bridges within the section of widening will be either moved or altered in order to allow for seismic upgrades and interchange improvements. West A Street bridge and Sunset Avenue bridge will be replaced among others. Sunset Avenue bridge will be steeper and they are reviewing sidewalk options. Abernathy bridge will also be widened. Water lines will remain during construction.
 - e. Questions –

- Has future growth been considered in this plan? Currently only planning for the 3 lanes either way, except for bridge lanes. Will plan to match the rest of I-205. City is planning to make I-205 an emergency thoroughway.
- Has ODOT consulting the City of West Linn on their design plans yet? No, they have not talked to the City yet, plans to do so to review traffic and infrastructure issues.
- Additional information can be found at www.I205Corridor.org.

f. Portland Metro Area Value Pricing Feasibility Analysis:

- ODOT is requesting resident feedback on funding options to combat congestion and discuss tolling options.
- Online Open House is viewable at www.odotvaluepricing.org through Feb 5th. For more information contact April Deleon at 503-731-3117 or april.deleon@odot.state.or.us.

2. Sunset Park Remodel – presented by Ken Worcester

- a. Playground Equipment – Playground to be moved closer to where the current shelter is in the middle of the park. Will add strategically placed rocks for play and boundary designation. Pickleball lines will be added to the tennis court.
- b. Design – Water feature to be moved to upper right corner of playground. Will be removing 2 trees in the new spot. This will allow fresh water in and also allow for waste water to drain easily. Water feature will include an interactive splash pad. A compost area was requested near the gardens. New designs will be added soon to the West Linn Parks & Recreation website.
- c. Bathrooms – Bathrooms will remain in their current location. Shelter will be moved closer to the bathrooms for easy access.
- d. Funding – will come from a renewed park bond that the city approves next year. Survey went out to the West Linn residents on interest of use of bond funds. Sunset Park was an option on the survey. It was suggested that the residents or the neighborhood association have the option to purchase/donate living trees to add to the park with a plaque. Design should be done in the spring. Ground breaking to be planned for July and be completed by winter.

3. Sunset NA Board Elections –presented by Leslie Bowlin

- a. Elections from last September were deferred to January meeting in order to allow more time to communicate elections to the neighborhood.
- b. The following residents were nominated for the below officer positions.
 - President: Legion Anders
 - Vice President: Barbara Dobroth
 - Secretary: Doug Vokes
 - Treasurer: Doreen Vokes
- c. A motion was made to elect the above candidates into office. It was seconded and majority passed into effect.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business before the SNA, the President adjourned the meeting at 8:45 PM.

**** Next quarterly meeting Tuesday, April 24, 2018 @ 7:00 PM****

- www.Nextdoor.com – resource to get to know your neighbors and communicate
- Facebook page – www.facebook.com/sunsetneighborhoodwestlinn
- <https://westlinnoregon.gov/sunset>

SNA OFFICERS

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