

## Willamette Neighborhood Association Minutes of April 11, 2018

Meeting was called to order at 7:11 by WNA president, Gail Holmes followed by introductions. Attendance sheet was passed around. 14 persons present.

City Councilor Richard Sakelik explained aspects of the upcoming general obligation bond. Expenditures will focus on capitol improvements not maintenance. He emphasized the effort for transparency in the process of identifying needs. Citizens chose transit improvements as the highest priority. Property taxes will reflect 42 cents per \$1.000 resulting in about \$19,000,000 during the life of the bond. West Linn property taxes are the lowest among surrounding cities.

### West Linn - Lake Oswego Village Project

Marjorie Synakiewicz and Christine Kennedy described a national plan by which persons can remain in their homes with the help of Village members doing small services such as odd jobs, shopping, transportation and household help. This plan will eventually involved a membership fee.

This Village organization has begun informational meetings throughout the metropolitan area with small social events and email communications. The spring of 2019 is the goal for launching a membership drive.

### Historic Willamette Main Street

Brad Hulquist described the St. Patrick's Day pub crawl event as a big success with many participants. With this success, the group may organize a similar event featuring wine and area wineries. The Farmers' Market is in the planning phase.

### West Linn Historical Society

Danny Schreiber told of the 'Radio Days' event which brought 80 people to the Sunset Fire Hall on March 17.

A historic cash register will be displayed at the Pacific West Bank on April 20 with appropriate period photos.

'Voices from the Past' will be staged at the McLean House on May 5 and will feature 10 characters relating to the 175 anniversary of the Oregon Trail. Tickets will be available on line.

June 18 author, Amber Keyser, will introduce her book 'Underneath it All' about women's undergarments!

July 29 'Ignight Talks' with feature history in 5 minute segments.

August 5 author, Mike McCloskey, will present 'A Glimpse into History'.

Minutes of the March 14 meeting were approved as distributed.

The WNA has a balance of \$3,674.05 reflecting a deposit of \$1,082.11 from NAP.

### Announcements:

ODOT is considering tolling a portion of the 205 freeway which will impact residents of West Linn.

April 12 City Council will stage a Town Hall meeting in the Police Station community room to discuss a variety of issues but mainly the upcoming bond measure.

A neighbor in River Heights described an abandoned house on Nicole Drive which has be invaded by squatters. Drug activity seems evident and police have been notified.

April 10 West Linn Alliance for Inclusive Community is sponsoring a program at the West Linn Library 4:00-5:00 featuring "Hate under Law: Free Speech , Bigotry and Oregon".

April 21 is Earth Day. Clean up is 9 to 1 along Willamette Falls Drive and in West Linn Parks. Comcast is assisting.

Next Meeting: May 9, 7:00 pm West Linn Police Station Community Room

Meeting was adjourned at 8:23pm  
Elizabeth Rocchia for Kathie Halicki, secretary

# WNA sign-in sheet (2018)

4/11/18

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