

The meeting was called to order at 7pm by President, Kathie Halicki.

Minutes of the April meeting were approved without correction.

Treasury balance remains at \$2,597.11.

Presentation: Tapani Development presented graphics for a proposed facility for the WL Public Works Department. The area is off Salamo Road on a terraced site above the 205 freeway. Project managers explained that contracts have not been assigned so they have come to see residents' reactions.

A complete outline of the project is available on the WL website under Public Works projects. A paved area will be provided for heavy equipment plus two structures for storage and office space. A ramp off Salamo Road is needed for access to construction site. Neighbors will experience traffic, noise, and possible blasting until completion in 2027.

WL City Council has already devoted a work session to the project so they can respond to questions and concerns. The Public Works Department has operated in difficult facilities for a very long time. The proposed site would appear to make use of a difficult area.

Questions about drainage, fire prevention, and erosion were all addressed.

Food Pantry continues to see a rise in requests for food. Donations of money and food are always welcome.

Main Street Rebecca reported a big success for St Patrick's Day and Cinco de Mayo. The Summer Market will open next Wednesday May 21 with 87 vendors and live music. A Chalk Walk will occur in September.

The West Linn Fair occurs on the 3rd weekend in July. Entrants are encouraged to join the Parade. The Mail Street office will move to 1754 Knapps Alley.

Community comments and land use:

Due to construction on Stafford Road, more cars are using WF Drive.

An electric charging station for cars has been installed in Willamette. There is a fee for recharging a car.

The 'Welcome to Willamette' sign has been installed in Fields Bridge Park.

The West Linn signs near the freeway exits are dark, unreadable. and need cleaning.

Mary Baumgardner invited everyone to meet her at the Vintage Friday 4to 6.

Pistol shots from Athey Creek ball field frighten nearby dogs.

The meeting adjourned at 7:40.

Elizabeth Rocchia, secretary