



Wilkes East Neighborhood Association **Board Meeting Minutes**

October 17, 2022

Meeting called to order at 6:33 by Kris Freiermuth. This Board Meeting was held via Zoom.

Roll Call: Kris Freiermuth, President; Gail Voge, Secretary; Billy Simmons, Treasurer; Greg Hartung, Land Use; Eric Porras and Dimitrios Zourvos, Members at Large.

Kris Freiermuth, President

There was a 3 car accident on 172nd and Oregon St. The occupants had to be removed from vehicles. The cars took down a fence at the house. Vic who resides in the house wrote an article about the accident for the WENA Fall Newsletter. The neighbors that live around this area are going to start a petition to have the City of Gresham install speed bumps. They would like these speed bumps installed on 172nd from Halsey to Stark.

Feedback from the WENA Summer Public meeting – Parks - There were some attendees that were complaining that they think that no changes should be made to the Columbia View Park. Others were open to have walking paths and handicap accessibility to the path.

Speakers for WENA Fall Public Meeting

Kris spoke with Chris Strong, City of Gresham, Transportation Division Manager to see if she will get us someone from her department to come and speak.

Kris also talked to Tina Osterink, City of Gresham, Natural Resources Planner, to come and speak.

CVIPs – Joan Albertson & Linda Parhasos will be speaking at our meeting

Vic Rolund – Will be speaking about the car accident that was in front of his house on 172nd.

Greg Hartung, Land Use

The apartments that are being built on 165th and Burnside will be taking out some homes on 165th. This is a 92 unit building. There was a parking analysis done on this build and it was determined that they do not need as much parking as the City of Gresham code requires. They decided that most people will be using public transportation and that they are lower income.

Car Washes – 2 along 181st are being renovated and a new one is being built.

No updates in the City of Gresham lands use records for the Habitat for Humanity build.



Pape Machinery, east of Zimmermen house on Sandy, is in the process for a lot line adjustment.

Billy Simmons, Treasurer

No Activity this month.

Billy visited the Wesleyan Church on 16700 NE Halsey St. to see about using the meeting rooms for our Public Meeting. He showed us some pictures of the meeting rooms and they looked nice. There might be a small fee. We could pass the hat to get some donations to pay for that.

Motion to have the WENA Fall Public Meeting at the Wesleyan Church. It was 2nd and approved.

Motion to approve WENA September meeting minutes. They were 2nd and approved.

Motion to adjourn. Seconded and approved.

Next Public meeting, Monday November 14, 2022

Next Board Meeting, Monday December 12, 2022.

Website: www.wilkeseastna.org

All Board Meetings start at 6:30 pm.

All Public Meetings start at 7:00 pm.

Until further notice all meetings will be held via Zoom.