

# **OKNA Meeting Record**

### **Meeting Details**

Date	February 6, 2018	Chair	Chris Trejbal
Time	6:30 – 8:30pm	Location	Overlook House
Meeting Type	Board	Secretary	Alexandra Degher

#### **Attendees**

### **Board Members in Attendance**

Addie Humbert	Cynthia Sulaski	Kristina Kern	Mike Shea
Alan Cranna	Danielle Herman	Leslee Lewis	Mitch Bixby
Alexandra Degher	George Spaulding	Melissa Castor	Noelle Smith
Chris Trejbal	Kent Hoddick	Mike Murphy	

### Guest(s)

• Frank Opila, Doretta Schrock, Brian Castor, Merideth Boe, Isaac, Susan Hayden

### **Chair Report**

- Chris called the meeting to order. Went through introductions.
- Meeting minutes:
  - Mitch moves to approve the minutes from Jan 2 and Jan 16; Danielle seconds
  - Board Vote: Chris asked if any objections to approving both meeting minutes; motion passed by unanimous consent.

### **Air Quality Monitoring**

- Frank Opila presented from Willamette Industrial Area Neighborhood focused on air quality
  - o Group has access to diesel monitoring equipment
  - Want to put these in different locations around Portland for two week stretches currently taking suggestions for places to put the equipment
  - o More information under Linton NA website
  - o Group meets every two months attendees from N and NW Portland
- Cleaner Air Oregon Gov. Brown looking at ways to control air pollution but may not provide funding
- Diesel monitoring PBS news hour had a 9-minute clip about monitoring being done by a PSU professor
- WIAN needs volunteers to help input data on emissions; would use their own computer
- Once they have processed the data, the group plans to lobby to get the state and local govs to fund DEQ and implement requirements

### **Portland for Everyone**

- Wants to attend a general meeting to present on the Residential Infill Project
- They are supportive of more density around transit
- **Board decision:** Chris asked if any objections to having them present at the next General meeting; no objections were made.

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### **MURP Student Project Funding**

- Project goal is to make Willamette Blvd a safe place to walk, bike, and access public transit while not impacting traffic flow
- A social equity lens will be applied to the project
- The project deliverable is a documented plan of what could be done to turn the Willamette corridor into an effective active transportation corridor; document could be given to PBOT and Trimet to assess improvements
- Alexandra Degher makes a motion to approve Board spending of up to \$150 (based on need) for the MURP students; Mitch seconds.
  - Board Vote: Chris asked if there were any objections to approving the use of up to \$150 to support the MURP students. Motion passed with no objections.

# **Bylaws Revision Committee**

- Board agrees that there are still some points in the bylaws that need refinement
- There was a suggestion to start a committee to review the bylaws that would include 2-3 Board members, and residents of Overlook residents
- Action Item: Chris to ask for resident volunteers via email and at the next general meeting
- Noelle, Addie, Melissa volunteered to participate as Board members
- Action Item: Board members to review the bylaws and send suggestions to committee members

### **ONI Budget and NPNS Update**

- Mayor has requested that every bureau analyze what will happen if they had a 5% cut
  - ONI a 5% cut would affect the graffiti abatement group and Elders in Action

## **Committee Updates**

- Sustainability (Leslee)
  - Will repaint intersection Concord and Overlook Blvd on June 9 turn it into a neighborhood gathering and painting party
  - May apply for money to the Board
- Neighborhood Emergency Team (Mitch)
  - o Cancelled the neighborhood preparedness summit
  - Prepare Out Loud presentation at Trillium School on Feb 7
  - NET has their monthly meeting on Feb 12 at Lucky Lab at 6:30pm
- Data/participation (Danielle)
  - Would like to post attendance data to a public location
- Public Safety (George)
  - Mark Salvo is trying to revive the Public Safety Action Committee; trying to put together a meeting this Spring
  - Still no information on the death of Brian Spaulding; can donate to his GoFundMe page
- Overlook Views (Noelle)
  - Still need blurbs for three topics discussed during this meeting:
    - Save the date for the intersection painting
    - Call for volunteers for the bylaws

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- Call for volunteers for the diesel monitoring system
- Houseless Outreach (Noelle)
  - Had a meeting on Feb 5; still in the early planning stages of committee goals
- Parks (Cynthia)
  - Sent in application for movie in Overlook Park asked for Wonder Woman, Toy Story III or Sing
- Land Use (Mike S)
  - Developers want to develop houses along Going neighbors appealed the approval for the environmental permit (very first permit) and lost; still many permits the developers have to get through
  - Early assistance for a 4-story building with two retail spaces at Killingsworth and Denver
- Events and Marketing (Addie)
  - Looking at doing an event at Patton Park in early planning stages but may be able to use the Fire Station
- Transportation (Alexandra)
  - Meeting with the MURP students tomorrow to look at the proposal. Will be working with them for the next four months to develop a study of the Willamette Blvd corridor
- Treasurer (Kristina)
  - Current bank balance is \$20,634.49

### **Hazelnut Grove**

- Chris was told by Caitlin from Joint Office of Homeless Services that out of six sites for relocating HG, at least two have been deemed adequate – at this time, they are not divulging the location but they are being reviewed internally at the city.
- Melissa also talked to Caitlin and was told that they do not have any sites and that if HG finds any to let them know

### **Next Meetings**

- Feb 20 Meeting Agenda Item Topics
  - Developer from the last meeting has been rescheduled for this meeting
  - o Action Item: Board members send agenda topics to Chris
- Dates
  - o General Meeting: Febuary 20, 2018 (6:30–8:30pm) Kaiser Town Hall; 3704 N Interstate Ave
  - o Board Meeting: March 6, 2018 (6:30–8:30pm) The Overlook House; 3839 N. Melrose Dr.