

FAN/Forest Hills Meeting January 7, 2009

Meeting called to order by Chair Lisa Shaw

Attendees

Committee Members: Lisa Shaw-Ryan, Tracey Elliott, Diana Smith-Bouwer, Jim Bolland, David Jorling, Tim Green, Peter Sweet, Maria Meneghin, Kelly Perlewitz, Sharon Gustafson, Carole Ockert, David Rudawitz, Dennis O'Neil

Other Attendees: Patsy Sweet, Jeff Foster, Bruce Griswold, Chris Clee, Cynthia Blanchard, Kathy Burke, Anne-Mari Simpson

Special Guest: Jordan Wheeler

Treasurer's Report – Diana Bouwer

- Balance \$104.32
- Voted to renew LONAC membership – fee \$15

Alley Trash Project – Jordon Wheeler, City of Lake Oswego

- Intent is to have everyone's garbage and recycling pickup in the alleys
- Residents can leave their bins in the alley and haul their trash to the bins.
- Allied Waste needs path 18 ft wide and 15 ft high to operate in the alleys; right-of-way in the alleys is 20 feet.
- Jordan will be taking an inventory of problem areas.
- Will clear alleys of obstructions March or April.
- City will work with individual homeowners to solve access issues.
- FAN Alleys Restoration Project web site coming soon – will be a link on the neighborhood site.
- Note, regarding storm debris: if cut up and put in Kraft bags, Allied Waste will pick up.

Position Statements regarding Facilities – Maria Meneghin

Response to Brandt Williams' facilities inventory:

- 1) Maria read proposed FAN/Forest Hills statement in support of Village concept for our historic downtown.
- 2) Lisa distributed copy of joint letter from other downtown neighborhood associations (see attachment).
 - Evergreen and Lakewood neighborhood associations have already approved.
 - ACTION: voted unanimously to support this letter.

New Business:

50-Plus Advisory Board: Neighbor Helping Neighbor Project – Lisa Shaw

- Everyone who participates needs a background check.
- Churches, Rotary, and other organizations already do this kind of thing.
- Lisa prefers a more informal, ad hoc system. For example, the Adult Community Center knows they can contact her as chair of FAN/Forest Hills and she will find volunteers to help a fellow neighbor in need.

Skip Ormsby Lobbying for Change in Neighborhood Boundary – Lisa Shaw

- Skip wants to move northern boundary of First Addition Neighborhood closer to Birds Hill (on the other side of Terwilliger).
- Skip is looking for our support.
- Neighborhood boundaries are changed by vote of the City Council.
- ACTION: voted unanimously to table discussion of this issue.

Infill II – Jim Bolland

- January 26, Planning Commission Public Hearing
- Review of key issues: overlay zones, design review process for single family dwellings, flag lot/lot divisions, RID, 50% rule, zero lot lines
- Proposed special meeting to discuss infill in more depth so Jim and Carole can find out how people feel about these issues before the Planning Commission hearing. Date/time: TBA.

Next Meeting: February 4, 2009

Submitted by Tracey Elliott, Secretary, FAN/Forest Hills