

Faye Wright Neighborhood Association

November 12, 2020

Board Members Present: Blake Shelide, Shawn Range, Bryant Baird, Susan Hecox, Bev Ecklund

City of Salem: Lt. Jason Van Meter, Salem Police; Ben Harney, Public Works; Joel Alderman, Public Works; Thomas Walsh, Public Works; Josh Bergseng, Parks Department; Irma Dowd, Neighborhood Services

Marion County: Theresa Pinski, Marion County Parole and Probation

Welcome:

- The meeting, conducted via ZOOM, was called to order at 7:00 PM.
- Attendees introduced themselves.
- The meeting agenda was accepted.
- Previous meeting minutes will be sent to board members for approval.

City Reports

- **Lt. Jason VanMeter, Salem Police**
 - The move to the new police facility is underway and is planned to be completed by November 20.
 - Trevor Wormack has been selected as the new Salem Police Chief.
 - Protests are scheduled for downtown Salem this weekend.
 - Traffic control via motorcycle is being implemented.
- **Ben Haney, Public Works**
 - Salem's Aquifer and Recovery System (ARS) will be improved and expanded, including a new treatment facility and additional wells.
 - For a detailed description of the project, go to:
<https://www.cityofsalem.net/Pages/drinking-water-supply-improvements-and-woodmansee-park-master-plan-update.aspx>

Marion County

- **Theresa Pinski, Patrol and Probation**
 - They are dealing with the restrictions due to COVID-19 as best they can.

New Business

- Board members voted to begin meeting every month beginning in January 2021 in order to ensure the ability to respond to issues in a timely manner.

- Bryant Baird reported that CANDO had appointed a person to be responsible for monitoring homelessness in their area. The board agreed to explore a workable approach to address the issue in FWNA.
- Bev Ecklund noted the need to update FWNA's Facebook page and volunteered to do it.

Meeting Adjourned at approximately 8:30 PM