Lansing Neighborhood Association Minutes February 27, 2018, Board Meeting

Waldo Middle School Library

14 present: Patty Tipton-Chair, Virginia Barker-Secretary, Terry Pratt, Mary Dodson, Claudine Shaw, Officer Stacy Metcalf (Salem PD), Matt Ausec (City Councilor), Pat Norman (Salem Parks Foundation), Dorothy Petersen, Mark Shipman, Karma Krause, Frank Pack, Jeanne Pack, Jane Aiken (Municipal Court Judge)

Patty called the meeting to order and introductions were made. Terry moved adoption of the minutes of the January meeting. Claudine seconded and motion carried.

POLICE REPORT: Officer Stacy Metcalf

She encouraged us to reach out to the organizations that are trying to collaborate on the homeless issue.

CITY COUNCILOR: Matt Ausec

- Garbage rate increases and recycling were the topics at last Council Meeting. There will be a year-long campaign to educate customers how to properly recycle so recycling can once again be sold. There was a lot of discussion over the lack of cost savings to reduce pickups to less frequent.
- UGM's Conditional Use Permit for the new location has been appealed. An agenda item will be on the March 26 Council Meeting.
- The Homelessness Task Force has met and there was a lot of discussion and citizen participation.
- Police Station: They have selected and awarded the General Contractor contract. Police and Fire are using the demolition for exercises on how to get into buildings that are in dangerous conditions, such as fires and criminal activities.
- Library has a Food for Fines program to collect for Marion Polk Food Share.
- The Policy Plan (from the Strategic Plan) will drive the budget process.

SCHOOL BOND MEASURE PRESENTATION: Karma Krause & Mark Shipman

Carma addressed the needs of Salem Keizer School District and how the Bond Package was formed. The final proposal of \$619.7 million addresses needs in every school. The cost of proposal is \$1.24 per \$1,000 of assessed value. Mark further addressed the process and what the money will be used for; every school in the district will receive something. Safety and security are huge needs as well as capacity increases. May 15 is the date of the election.

SALEM PARKS FOUNDATION: Pat Norman

She explained what the Salem Parks Foundation does. The deadline date for grant applications is April 30.

NEIGHBORHOOD CONCERNS:

- Homeless camps on Hawthorne and a lot of garbage on Center Street
- Hamel and Lansing residence seems to be getting better
- 2603 Sunnyview sidewalk issue: Virginia is going to talk to the city and provide pictures of the problems
- Dogs on Hamel chasing people and cars: Marion County Dog Control has been contacted
- Virginia reported on the response from the City regarding streetlights on Hawthorne between Sunnyview and Silverton Road

CHAIR'S REPORT: Patty Tipton

Patty reported on the McKay Community Breakfast Virginia reported on the Chair Meeting in January

Patty represented Lansing at the Health & Wellness Fair at Washington Elementary School

ANNUAL MEETING:

April 24 - Finger Food

Virginia moved we allocate up to \$75 for supplies. Terry seconded motion carried. Virginia proposed we have a presentation from the Department of Justice Consumer Protection Division on Fraud & Identity Theft.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Land Use: None Traffic: None Neighborhood Watch: None Salem Parks: None

State Fair: None

Virginia moved the meeting be adjourned. Motion seconded and carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Virginia Barker, Secretary