## Lansing

## **Neighborhood Association**

555 Liberty Street SE Room 305 Salem, Oregon 97301 503-588-6207

March 23, 2021 meeting minutes, 7 pm - 8 pm.

**Attendees:** Patty Tipton, Chair. Terry Pratt, Vice-Chair. Claudine Shaw, board member, Mary Dodson, board member. Irma Dowd, City of Salem, Coordinator.

**Guest speakers:** Tammi Starrs, City of Salem Project Manager, Irma Dowd with the City of Salem.

**Tammi Starrs** presented on the City's 5 Year Capital Improvement Program. State of Oregon requires the renewal of the CIP budget annually for projects above \$50,000. Financial plan has been recently submitted to the City's Budget Committee and will then be shared with all Neighborhood Associations once there is an update to share from the committee. Neighbors are encouraged to review and submit CIP requests to <a href="mailto:tstarrs@cityofsalem.net">tstarrs@cityofsalem.net</a> for consideration. Public hearing is scheduled for April and Council is expected to approve or modify the proposal in June. City of Salem does apply for grants and state funds when available.

**Irma Dowd** discussed options with the board on helping increase public participation. Recent post cards sent to all Lansing neighbors have been well received with several neighbors calling/emailing with questions on the association. Social media options were discussed and approved as follow:

- 1. Board took a vote and approved the renewal of Lansingcommunity.org Yahoo account
- 2. Board took a vote and approved for Irma to help create and oversee a new Facebook account for Lansing NA until the board takes over the page

**Traffic report:** As previously requested by the board, Irma reached out to City of Salem, Traffic Engineering about implementing residential parking on Lansing Rd and Silverton Rd due to increased vehicles from the new apartments. Request has been denied by Public Works, Traffic Engineering but encouraged to contact Planning Administrator as Traffic Engineering does not have control over the number of required parking spaces for multi-family dwellings. A few things neighbors will need to know about the RP parking designation. The restriction is only in effect during weekdays between 7 AM and 6 PM. After those hours, there is no restriction. Currently, the cost is \$15 for the first vehicle, and \$12.50 for each additional vehicle. Guest passes are available for \$2.50 for 25. Also, if 75% of the affected neighbors and Lansing Neighborhood Association support the new RP area, Public Works will install the signs and create the RP District.

**Chair report:** Carol Snyder from Salem Parks Improvement Fund asked Patty to approach the board about interest in a half basketball court at Lansing Park, but Jennifer Kellar, City of Salem

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Parks would have to also approve. Board took a vote and approved the half court at Lansing Park. Patty will follow up with SPIF.

Virginia Barker's memory bench has been ordered and paid for with donations from neighbors, Lansing funds and City of Salem Park's funds. Unexpected shipping delays have delayed the placement of the bench, but Patty expressed desire in hosting a celebration in June for placement of the bench.