

NORTH LANCASTER NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

Wednesday, June 6, 2018 – Scott Elementary School, 4700 Arizona Ave NE

Chair Walsh called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Councilor Hoy's shared information regarding the water advisory:

- Geren Island uses a slow sand filtration system
- Boiling the water does not remove the toxins
- The City is looking at options to retrofit the water treatment system. Don't yet know the costs.
- Detroit is looking at installing a tower to cool the water.
- The City is learning from the mistakes of the communication of the first water advisory.

Police Report (Officer Wilson):

- Don't leave valuables in your car during the warm weather. Keep your cars locked.
- Neighbors shared that there are people at Brown Park hanging around the corner.
- Officer Wilson can be contacted at rwilson@cityofsalem.net

City Manager Report (Steve Powers):

- Water advisory will continue through Friday, June 8
- Guidance will be provided when the advisory is lifted. Purge your system for 30 minutes.
- Water sampling is conducted at 12 locations.
- Bottled water is available at 4 locations including the Fairgrounds.
- Four stations for bulk water are open 24 hours.
- Five county sites are also available.
- Information about water safety at swimming pools is available through Marion County Health Department. Can call 2-1-1.
- The City is looking at using a local lab to screening test.

Parks (Rob Romanek)

- The second workshop for the Brown Road Park Planning had nine attendees.
- 20 people responded to the Brown Road Park survey
- The Brown Road Parking lot will be paved.
- Popular items for Brown Road Park are 2 separate playgrounds, pollinator garden, and accessible garden beds.
- The third workshop is July 14 at Brown Road Park from 10:30 am to noon.

Committee Reports

- Brown Road Park Pot Luck
 - Will be held in conjunction with the third park planning workshop on July 14
 - Doug will bring a grill
 - The board approved up to \$150 for supplies for the BBQ
 - All should bring chairs

- Bike Rodeo is June 15 at Northgate Park
- Salem Park Foundation approved \$1,819 for partial funding of four park benches and three bike racks at McKay Park.
- Transit
 - Budget approved new buses
 - Transit signs are being changed out

Future agenda topic: Change out buses from fossil fuel to CNG/Electric

Chair Steve adjourned the meeting at 8:04 p.m.