

SESNA Minutes April 24, 2018

Meeting called to order at 7 p.m. Board members attending: Arnaud Verstuyf, Darwin Sandau, Jeff Leach, Kirk Leonard, Marcia Hoak, Seleste Liyanage, Darrin Brightman, Shannon Priem, Ken Jacobs. Neighbors attending: Dave McMillan, Melanie Zermer, Joanie and Dean. Also attending: Counselor Tom Andersen; Chelsea Pokorny, Richmond B&G; Jon Weiner, candidate for County Circuit Court Judge; Eunice Kim, City of Salem; Officer Libby, Salem PD.

Previous meeting minutes approved with one plea; please consistently spell Counselor Andersen's name correctly...sen, not son.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: *May 1st the documentary "Unprepared" will be shown at North Salem High, along with panel discussions; festivities begin at 6:00. *Boys and Girls Clubs accepting registrations for summer programs: Eastwood Branch 503-361-3081; Swegle Branch 503-391-1519. Knudson Branch, 503-581-7383. *Next CERT meeting is July 14, 503-991-2139. *Richmond B&G Club Spring Culminating Event will be 5:00-6:00 on April 30; 503-507-2945. *International Pot Luck on 30th at Center 50+. *On May 20 there will be a neighborhood Litter Pickup. *FEMA/CERT wanting to locate 30 day preparedness caches in city. *Youth Center moving into former Cavasos Program site, 15th and Ferry. *City Budget Committee Meetings on May 2 and May 9.

OFFICER REPORT: More car break-ins, now smashing windows to get in; back up cameras being stolen off of vehicles, worth \$500; seeing a cycle of derelict RV's on business lots, cannot tow with someone inside (is a residence); gang members with more time (school, temps)= more tagging.

NEIGHBOR CONCERNS: Kirk experienced a mysterious garbage can incident; Tom Andersen yard signs disappearing; concern about collapsed carport at 19th and Mill (Ken will check with residents)...we should approach before calling code compliance; Seleste reported that there are dogs running loose in her area...what are the leash laws? We should all talk to each other first, but Marion County will pick up strays if a constant problem.

COUNCIL REPORT: Budget process is streamlined due to tie-in with Strategic Plan; may be more officers; Wednesday April 25 will be first meeting, time for public comment, wish list. *Homelessness Task Force has met 3 times, defeated sit/lie order; staff will be coming back with proposals and costs...biggest issues are storage, bathrooms, showers, trash. *State Street hearing Tuesday May 1; *Congestion Task Force is meeting, dealing with morning and evening delay (12 minutes) crossing bridges...need to create two-way on one of bridges in times of crisis. UGM is moving...3 hours of discussion last night, more on May 14. **Recycling has changed; go to websites to learn more. *Plastic bag ban coming up.

GUESTS: Jon Weiner, candidate for Marion County Circuit Court Judge, spoke. He believes that everyone coming to court should feel they were treated fairly, and that the court must work to minimize the potential destructive power a court has over people. Chelsea Pokorny, Richmond Boys and Girls Club Director, invites every one to Richmond this Monday, April 30 for the Spring Culminating Event. With the demise of the after school program at Capital Park Wesleyan we need to make an effort to

connect her with Pastor Ken, DJ Vincent and perhaps Bush School Chapter. Summer enrollment in the B&G Clubs is only \$5.

OLD BUSINESS: Upcoming Ice Cream Social—Umpqua is committed, music is lining up, porta potties can be borrowed from the city. Question: who are we going to invite to have a booth? Ideas: SESNA, Watershed Stream Clean Up, Just Walk Salem, CERT, Fire Dept., Huggy Bear, Mission Mill, Salem Public Market, KMUZ. Need to come up with door prizes, have face painters, balloons, our banner, buckets o'fun, story reading for kids, more.

Motion approved to allow Shannon spend up to \$75 gathering supplies.

State Street—next meeting May 1st; waiting on letter from ODOT regarding historic review; 17th-25th will continue to be 4 lanes, road diet 12th-17th, will continue to study traffic flow.

NEW BUSINESS, COMMITTEES: Neighborhood clean up on 20th, 2:00-4:00; fliers will be printed May 2nd (?); * Vinyl wrap mock ups will be done by May 17, installed in June at 4 locations:*Digital Assets—a new, robust platform is coming up; *Tree planting—time for survey; Geer Line will be a long term project; need to check on getting bags for trees, check online prices.

Adjourned 8:45