

JPNA Neighborhood Meeting Minutes Wednesday, October 26, 2022 6:00pm

Chair: Colleen Nichols

Introductions and Appreciations:

Present: Joan Daniels, Trish Gehlen, Joanna Osuna, Erin Posthumus, Bob Schlanger, Laurel-Heather Milden, Mary Worthen, Jon Heine, Rosemary Bolza, Colleen Nichols, Tom Tobin, Shannon Lindemer, Lisa Jones, Jeanne Calhoun, Joan Hall, Zac Lacy, Angela Kaczowka, Karan Schreiber, Michael Hailey, Ken Landau, Kat Mattimoe, Cindy Doklan, Lisa Floran

Absent: Michael Crawford

Excused: Judy Janson

Guests: Nicholas McCullough: Adelita Grijalva's District 5 Office - no report, CJ Boyd Ward 3, Eryrk Garcia Mayor's Office

Guest Reports:

Nicholas McCullough: no report

CJ Boyd: Ward 3: no report

Eryck Garcia: Reported that there are other neighborhoods that have the same meeting times but he will prioritize based on requests and specific issues.

Business

Approval of Minutes - Minutes Joanne Osuna 1st, Joan Hall 2nd, all in favor minutes approved. **Treasurer's Report -** Treasurer's Report accepted as reported. Total Assets: \$14,324.89.

Standing Committees

- **Nominating Committee** (Laurel-Heather Milden)-There were 11 out of 17 returned surveys. Everyone is willing to remain in their current positions with one change Judy Janson would like to be Area Rep 5 instead of Area 6.
- **Communications** (Joan Daniels) T-shirts at the meeting, help yourself to a free shirt. Joan also asked if anyone had ideas for changes to the newsletter/website to please let her know. She is moving emergency numbers to the website and reorganizing the tabs.
- Program Committee (Laurel-Heather Milden) no report

Ad Hoc Committees

Land Use – (Joan Hall) – Please report any building in the neighborhood so it can be confirmed it has a building permit.

Banner - New date for the next meeting is November7th, at 2:30 in person in the Duval Auditorium. If interested in attending via Zoom the link is on the JPNA website. Still waiting for the new method for reporting the helicopter traffic. TPD helicopters are not included in the MOU.

Traffic Committee- (Joan Hall) Joan shared history of the committee. Three unique traffic calming elements to the neighbor are being considered.

1. Speed tables on Mountain, 5 are proposed 2 of which fall within JP. Will need signatures from abutting neighbors. If we do not get the required # of signatures it will not go forward. If we get the required signatures then it goes to the city for approval. Then we would need to find the money to pay for the tables. If unable to fund then it will not go forward. Another idea suggested is to reduce speed limit on Mountain to 25MPH. **Motion:** To rescind the previous vote from the Traffic Committee. Lisa Jones 2nd, 10 in favor 1 opposed. Motion carries. Motion: To pursue 2 speed tables on Mountain within the JPNA boundaries. **Motion** carries with 10 votes.

2. Speed humps around the International school. The IST board met with the city, Ward 3 and JP reps and three locations were identified for the speed humps. IST will pay for one, Ward 3 will pay for one and JP is asked to pay for the third. **Motion:** That Jefferson Park pay for one of the speed humps to be added by the International School. 1st: Joan Hall 2nd Shannon Lindemer. Motion Carries by 12 votes.

Motion: Use 51% of the Park Tucson money and 49% from JP to fund the speed hump. <u>Friendly amendment</u>: Use 100% Park Tucson money, motion carries by 11 votes.

3. Three traffic calming elements within Jefferson Park. **Motion:** Requesting that the board not put a speed table/hump on Santa Rita, that other options be considered (bollards, painting, pots of plants etc.). 11 in favor motion carries. The other 2 options in JP will be discussed at the November Meeting.

* A **Motion** was made that the University do a comprehensive traffic calming study in JP. Motion carries with 11 votes. (School of Public Health, or Planning School might be interested.) Rosemary Bolza will follow-up.

International School (Colleen Nichols) The new portable classrooms have arrived and will need inspections before put into use. The school will be adding school zone signs in the front of the school. Halloween Party on Saturday. The school will be opening a full use kitchen in the near future for school lunches.

Red Tag- no report

Grant Rd Coalition - (Joan Daniels) -- no report

Green Committee - (Joan Hall)-no report

Clean Committee - (Joanne Osuna) - Currently stalled with the cleanup of the areas that the city is responsible for as they found some added hardscapes to the landscaping and will not finish until the hardscapes have been removed.

Central Segments Safety Committee - (Rosemary Bolza) Working on how crime stats are reported as the NSN report includes Banner. It inflates our neighborhood stats. Don Ijams has asked for this to be changed. A suggestions was made to see if there is a way to allow for 911 calls to have a Text Option. An invitation was extended to our TPD officers to attend the picnic.

Reps to the Community

TEP – (Colleen Nichols)-no report

Campus Community Relations Committee (CCRC) - (Rosemary Bolza) no report

Friends of Jefferson Park, Inc. (Joan Daniels) Informational letters were sent to all neighbors that meet the reduced tax rate but have not taken advantage or applied to the city for historic status. There are two open positions on the Friends board.

Projects Reports

Monuments Sign - (Joan Daniels) - The sign will be installed sometime after Thanksgiving.

QR Codes – (Joan Daniels, Colleen Nichols) - JP is working with UA students and professors to add QR codes to the signs in the linear park. Also considering a virtual tour of the neighborhood.

Neighborhood Party – It will be held at IST 11-2pm, activities for everyone, food and drinks will be supplied. It is suggested to bring chairs and food to share.

Area Representative Reports: - New welcome packets are available. Cindy Doklan has taken on the project to send letters to Real Estate agents to inform them about JP's historic status. She is also looking at sales reports to see what houses have sold in the neighborhood in order to bring new welcome packets if appropriate. **Little Free Library:** - (May Worthen) - still needs door repaired

New Business

Meeting Facilitators:

November 16 - Shannon Lindemer December 14 -Jeanne Calhoun

Meeting ended: 7:28 pm

Next Meeting: November 16, 2022.