

# Committee for Community Involvement Meeting Minutes

## January 17, 2023 MEETING MINUTES

Time: 6 - 8 p.m.

Held via Zoom

**CCI Attendees:** Karen Bjorklund, Rick Cook, Bill Merchant, Brent Parries, Gordon Slatford, Laurie Swanson, Barbara Smolak

**County Attendees:** Stacy Davenport, Holly Krejci, Chris Lyons

**Public Attendees:** Sparkle Anderson, Martin Meyers, Elane Newland

1. Welcome, Introductions
2. Approval of December's meeting minutes
  - Brent Parries moved to approve minutes, Rick Cook 2nd, all in favor
3. How should the County be communicating with CPOs and Hamlets?
  - Suggestions were made about this topic.
  - It is up to the County to send information to the CPOs to share to their community.
  - You can provide information, but it is up to the community/CPO members to do something with the information being sent.
  - An email sent to all members with links to click on for more information and a short description on why you should care
  - Some rely on the Board of County Commissioner's weekly meetings for information
  - QR code on the #ClackCo Magazine to direct people where to sign up for county information
  - Briefings of issues going on might work better than receiving several links to log into
4. CCI Work Item Tracker
  - Project to propose actions to educate community members about CPOs & help them connect with CPOs/Hamlets
  - Karen shared Rick Cook's list about educating community members about CPOs
  - 9 items are on his list. PGA will take a look at the list and let CCI know what can or can not be completed on the list.
5. Any updates on other items already in the CCI Work Tracker
  - Stacy gave an update on CPOs that might become inactive and an update on some inactive CPOs
  - Karen asked about technology survey to be sent out to CPOs/Hamlets. It has not been sent as of yet. CCI will review before it is sent out
6. CCI Task Force Reports on Monitoring Land Use Applications in Inactive CPO areas
  - Brent gave an update about some inactive CPOs. Molalla CPO would help with South Canby CPO if needed
  - Holly gave an update on how inactive CPOs can be monitored by neighboring active CPOs
7. New Business

- Gordon and Brent gave an update on the meeting they had with county employee Duke Dexter about the rollout of broadband. It was determined that CCI should not do anything with this information as a committee
8. Public comment
- Martin Meyers made comments throughout the meeting
  - Sparkle Anderson and Elane Newland with Far West CPO discussed that it is difficult to meet unless there is a land use issue and would like help on obtaining new members

**Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 21, 2023, 6 – 8 p.m. via Zoom**

Meeting adjourned 8 p.m.