





BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

Development Services Building 150 Beavercreek Road, Oregon City, OR 97045

Meeting Summary

Oak Lodge and Gladstone Community Project

Concord Property and Oak Lodge Library Planning Task Force Meeting Wednesday, November 6th, 2019, 6:45 p.m.

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APPROVED

Task Force Members Present: Mark Elliott, Jean Chapin, Michael Schmeer, Gary Bokowski, Chaunda Wild, Grover Bornefeld, Ron Campbell, Denis Hickey, Jan Lindstrom, Michael Newgard, Denis Hickey, Anna Hoesly

Task Force Members Absent, Excused: Doug Jones

Task Force Members Absent, Not Excused: Kristi Switzer

Staff and Officials Present: Commissioner Paul Savas, Allison Brown, JLA Public Involvement; Brandy Steffen, JLA Public Involvement; Jennifer Hoffman, Opsis; Ray Johnston, Opsis; Kurt Lango, Lango Hansen Landscape Architects; Kathryn Kohl, Library Network Manager; Scott Archer, Director North Clackamas Parks and Recreation (NCPRD); Laura Zentner, Business and Community Services (BCS) Director; Greg Williams, BCS Deputy Director; Mitzi Olson, Director, Gladstone and Oak Lodge Libraries; Liz Lawson Weber, Administrative Specialist, BCS; Melina DeFrancesco, NCPRD; Kathryn Krygier, Project Manager

Guests: Geoffrey Janke, Natalie Smith

An audio recording of this meeting is available on the Clackamas County website: https://www.clackamas.us/communityproject#meetingsandagendas

The meeting began at 6:45 p.m.

Task Force Vice-chair, Denis Hickey welcomed the task force, reviewed the meeting agenda and reminded everyone of meeting protocols.

The optional joint meeting on September 19, 2019, and meeting on October 2, 2019 were reviewed.

- Optional joint September 19 meeting minutes were revised with edits. (Since this was an optional meeting, there was no vote to approve.)
- October 2nd minutes were approved with edits.

Kathryn Krygier reminded the group that there are task force positions open. There were many applications submitted for the at-large position and staff and they were in the process of interviewing candidates.

Denis asked the members if they would like to share anything from the field trip they took to Cascade Park Community Library and Firstenburg Community Center. Denis said he enjoyed the community center and the teen area in the library. Grover Bornefeld shared he enjoyed the flow of the library.

Presentation: Upcoming Community Engagement - Update

Brandy Steffen, JLA Public Involvement, thanked everyone for their input on community outreach at the last joint task force meeting. Brandy reminded everyone of the upcoming Open House at the Concord Property on Saturday, November 16th and invited everyone to sign up to volunteer. Stakeholder interviews are currently being held to help identify underrepresented groups in the area.

Small Group Discussion: Survey

Task force members broke into small groups to review the draft survey which will be sent out to the community to collect feedback. She asked the groups to take the survey together, take notes and see if there is anything missing or problematic with the survey. The groups spend the next 25 minutes of the meeting reviewing the survey.

The group reconvened to ask questions and offer suggestion on edits to the survey.

Public Open House

Brandy and Kathryn reviewed activities planned for the upcoming open house. Kathryn asked for volunteers for the open house and passed around a sign-up sheet.

Public Comment

Geoffrey Janke suggested that it would nice for people to share experiences and stories of the Concord Property as part of the survey and suggested some revised formatting of the online survey.

Commissioner Savas thanked everyone for their participation.

Meeting Adjourned at 8:15pm

Next Task Force Meeting: December 18, 2019

6:45-8:15pm Gladstone Senior Center, 1050 Portland Ave. Gladstone, OR 9702