



Missoula Neighborhoods

Miller Creek Neighborhood Council Leadership Team Meeting Minutes

July 16, 2024; 6pm

Fire Station #5

Attendance: Lee Boman, Alex Fregerio, Holly Haslam, Jack Walton, Julie Anton, Diane Bickers, Medora O'Connor

Meeting was called to order by Jack Walton.

Minutes of June 18, 2024 Meeting were approved.

No presentations.

Lee Boman spoke about Missoula's strategic plan that has a guide for a Neighborhood Action Plan. He had a printout for each of us. This is a chance to guide improvements in our neighborhood. Tentative date to set up a Miller Creek Action Plan could be October 1st, 2024. The first step is to review the Strategic Plan, which Lee is doing. Second step is to get adequate input from a wide variety of residents. Third step is to develop a draft action plan. To engage all of Miller Creek, we could contact HOA's, Schools, Businesses, use emails, & talk about this at the General Meeting in September. This can be a two year plan. Jack will contact the Upper Linda Vista HOA, Maloney Ranch HOA, and Invermere HOA through the City's Website.

General Meeting:

September 10th, 2024. 6pm. Maloney Ranch Park, or Jeanette Rankin School if it's inclement weather. (Alex to discuss with Principal Stevens)

Menu: Notorious P.I.G. Pulled Pork, Brisket, Turkey. Ice, Rolls/buns, chips. We will bring jugs of water from home. Cups, plates, utensils, napkins. Ice Cream at 7pm.

Holly will order the meats/sauces; and contact The Den regarding the ice cream. Jenn Pfeiffer may be able to contact Yokes for the buns, ice & chips. Alex will ask Kalina about the cups, plates, napkins, & utensils. We'll need sign-in sheets to collect emails. Sign Pro will be who we ask to make the placards for advertising the details of the General Meeting in September.

Speaker ideas:

Aaron Wilson, (Medora to request he bring traffic maps, traffic updates, and traffic studies information)
Lee Boman, to present the Neighborhood Action Plan.

Stacie Anderson and Bob Campbell, (Alex will contact)

Lee Boman: Community Forum Report-

1- Code Reform & Growth Policy Update: Missoula is seeking input from individuals and organizations to share concerns & learn about the changes being considered.

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2- Long Range Transportation Plan: Missoula Urban Transportation District is developing recommendations for the Public Transit system. To learn more, visit engagemissoula.com to read the long-range transportation plan.

3- City Council Liaison Report: Gwen Jones shared information regarding Unhoused Residents and Marijuana use by young people. Proactive efforts are being planned and implemented regarding Urban Camping.

In regards to THC use, an attempt is in place to limit the number of Cannabis stores in Missoula County.

Non-Agenda Items:

Holly commented on the City Ordinance regarding low tree branches extending over sidewalks. Discussion followed about getting a Fall Cleanup going and getting a dumpster for Neighborhood Cleanup. This can be a traffic safety issue especially on street corners or when branches cover street signs. May end this could be a Neighborhood Action Plan topic.

Jack commented on the progress of the construction of intersection of Shaver and Miller Creek Road.

Meeting Adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,
Medora O'Connor, Secretary