

Wilkes East Neighborhood Association Board Meeting Meeting Synopsis – 21 May 2008

The quarterly meeting of the WENA Board Meeting was called to order at 7:10 PM on Wednesday the 21st of May at St. Aidan's Episcopal Church and facilitated by Marc Thornsbury.

All Board Members were present including 40 members of the WEna Neighborhood Association.

Robert Muse, Property Manager of the shopping center at 162nd & Glisan, Donna Edgley member of the Reynolds School District Board, and Brighton West of Friends of Trees were introduced as guests.

Minutes from the April meeting were not read in order to allow time for speakers.

It was reported that one (1) Neighborhood Watch Group was formed since our half-yearly meeting in March. The group is the NE Wasco Group and covers NE Wasco Street from 172nd Avenue to 178th. The Naylor's are the Watch Captains.

Pacific Drive met in mid-April and are going strong. They are planning a summer picnic.

It was announced WEna will be having their annual Clean-Up with three (3) dump boxes on Saturday the 26th of July. It is planned the dump boxes will be located in the parking lot of HB Lee Middle School. Dump hours are 8AM until Noon and an Ice Cream Social will follow the clean-up.

Donna Edgley was introduced. Ms Edgley is a member of the Reynolds School Board and presented the Reynolds Bond Measure and answered questions.

Brighton West, Program Director Friends of Trees was introduced. He explained the Mission of Friends of Trees and gave an updated report on what the group is doing in Gresham and what they have accomplished to date. He asked that anyone interested in joining the group and doing volunteer projects with the group contact him.

Lee Dayfield reported on the present status of the Nadaka Park Grant project and asked for volunteer time from those members present. A sign-up sheet was passed around and twenty (20) people signed up.

Kris Freiermuth announced that Rockwood Neighborhood Assoc. was looking for in put and

volunteers who were interested in participating in Urban Renewal talks

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Respectively submitted Kristen Freiermuth, Pro-Tem

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