

Meeting Minutes: April 11, 2019 @ 7:00 PM *Epic Life Church*

Attendees: Alistair Patrick, Tyler Emsley, Ron Hornung, Kevin Whatley, Ryan DiRaimo, Susan Larrance, Peter Bell, Alyssa O'Connor, Caro Beresford-Wood, Kate Underwood, David Osaki, Casey Pier, Lauren Foley, Melissa Porter, Melanie Davies, Tracy Cramer, John Lombard, Candidate for District 5 Seattle City Council - speaker

I. Introductions

II. Meeting Minutes

March 14, 2019

- III. <u>Guest Speaker(s)</u> John Lombard, Candidate for Seattle City Council D5 position
 - Highlights:
 - Will be accepting Democracy vouchers
 - Supports revitalizing Aurora
 - Bitterlake needs support
 - Will utilize his community organizing skills
 - Thornton Creek Alliance
 - Environmental Policy
 - North District Chairman
 - Homelessness biggest issue
 - Will play an active role:
 - Connect with businesses
 - Empowering not overpowering
 - Balance City issues and D5 issues
 - Housing
 - Supports ADU units
 - Look at environmental effects of densifying
 - Neighborhoods for All well-written
 - Ideas that Planning Commission thinks are valuable
 - Duplexes, cottages
 - o Reduce lot size
 - Urban hamlets are not as large as urban villages
 - Growth structure of urban villages esp. with those of great need
 - Not equal access to equal funding
 - Community Center
 - Needs to be designated a priority by the City
 - Work with legislators
 - Multi-cultural groups
 - Go to them schools, places of worship
 - May 9, 2019 Speak out Seattle Haller Lake Community Center
 - Meet the six D5 candidates

IV. Discussion Items/Status Reports

• ALUV Organization

- Annual retreat need to set date
 - Sharon and Susan check calendar sometime in late May or early June
- Website calendar no update

NSF Grants -

- o 2018 Overpass art installation
 - Ribbon Cutting ceremony
 - April 27 @ noon
 - Solar lighting installation to go into daffodil bed
 - Kevin will contact businesses
 - Press releases, PNA, Facebook, emails
- o 2019
 - Contract signed
 - Celebrate North Seattle event
 - Sunday, June 23 from 2-4 PM at Oak Tree Plaza
 - Flyers, promo video to share on social media
 - Celebrate event \$150 per booth split with other neighborhood groups

• Licton Springs Encampment

- Exit plans for everyone
- o A couple of folks didn't want to go Dave doesn't know the outcome
- o Will be one more CAC meeting in April to debrief

Community Center

- o Follow-up letter Ryan
- O Chip Nevins City properties map sent to Ryan
 - Send to CM Juarez and KC member Jeanne Kohls-Wells

D5 Community Network Meeting

- Working out logistics of leadership change rotating responsibilities; no chairperson
- o Will sponsor candidate forums as election approaches
 - Join with Maple Leaf and LSCC to sponsor
- Design Guidelines Ryan will reach out
- D5 Tour with SDOT director, Sam Zimbabwe
 - May 3 from 11-1 PM
 - Start with ALUV

D. Past Meetings/Event Reports

E. New Business

- DESC new building at 96th Lauren Foley, Project Manager at Clement Place
 - Encourage neighborhood involvement
 - Time to help with food service/cooking
 - Contact Lauren if you want to be involved
 - Ifoley@desc.org
- Mark Coffman June 28 event at Northgate Community Center outreach event
 - Northgate short on representation

- Visitors from SPU
 - o Theology students learning about neighborhoods

Meeting Adjourned @ 8:30 PM

Next meeting: May 9, 2019, 2019; Epic Life Church @ 7:00 PM