

City of Beaverton  
Neighborhood Association Committee Meeting Minutes

**NAC: Denney Whitford / Raleigh West**

Date: 28 April 2011

Board members present:

- Chair: Ernie Conway
- Vice Chair: Andrew Bynum
- BCCI Rep: *vacant*

- Treasurer: Martha Schauffler
- Recorder: Tracy Thornton

Quorum present?  Yes  No

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Meeting start time: 7:00 pm

**Community Policing Report:** Due to low turnout, Officer Corning did not give an official report. He dropped off a flyer for the prescription drug turn in event on Saturday, April 30 at City Hall between 10 am and 2 pm.

**Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue Report:** Again, no official report. We discussed changes at the West Slope station and how Portland and TVF&R coordinate calls. Captain Miller noted that given recent disasters such as the tornadoes in Alabama and the earthquake in Japan, it's important to have an out of state contact person. Also, texting can be an effective way to send messages during a disaster. In case of a major disaster in our area (most likely an earthquake), you should be able to take care of yourself and your family for at least 72 hours, because rescue teams will be dealing with the biggest issues first.

**Neighborhood Issues / Concerns:** None

**Guest Speakers:** None

**New business & announcements:**

We need volunteers for recycling day. Contact Ernie if you're able to volunteer. In the past, we have offered donations to organizations (such as Boy Scouts) who bring volunteers for recycling day, and we would consider doing the same this year.

We still need a BCCI representative.

Urban Renewal is expected to be on the November ballot. The Planning Department will be visiting the NACs prior to that to give a presentation and answer questions.

The Mayor will visit all the NACs sometime this fall.

New Bike Maps from the Bicycle Advisory Committee were available at the meeting. If you need more, contact Ernie or the City.

We have a Facebook page, but there hasn't been much activity on it. If you are aware of an event in our NAC—it does not have to be city related—let us know. We can post school

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activities, church activities, photos, new businesses, or other special events. Contact Ernie for more information.

We are looking to update the NAC bylaws to allow for more members under the age of 18 to participate in NAC boards. If you know a high schooler who lives in the neighborhood who wants to get community service credits, we can have them serve on our board (as BCCI rep?). We would also be happy to have a younger person help or take over the Facebook and social media work for the NAC.

If you know of an area that could use a Denney-Whitford or Raleigh West sign topper, let us know—we may be able to get one added

Our Picnic in the Park is scheduled for Wednesday, August 3. Come for free food.

**Old business:**

Minutes from the March meeting were accepted as written.

Martha gave the Treasurer's report. The NAC has \$3,637.04. Our bank (Chase) is charging a \$15 service fee, so we will look into changing banks.

**Other issues:** None

**Meeting end time:** 7:40 pm