



MEETING MINUTES

DATE: August 13, 2019

TIME: 3:00 PM

LOCATION: Columbia River Room

Welcome and Introductions

3:00 – 3:05 – Welcome and Introductions

Meeting called to order at 3:03 PM by Sky Johnson

BCOA Members in Attendance:

Sky Johnson (Chair), Susana Sharp, Hilary Greenebaum (Secretary), Carley Adams (City Staff Liaison); John Ratliff, Suzanne VanSlyke, Martha Mc Jacobs, Louis Weisberg, Kim Allchurch Flick

Absent: Pam Rinehart (Vice Chair), Beverly Sali, Jing Feng, Marc San Soucie (City Council Member).

Approval of Previous Minutes

Susana Sharp approved minutes with three spelling edits. Martha seconded.

Visitor Comment Period

1. Gary Million Community member
2. Elaine Hartmann Community member
3. Virginia Fuller
4. Peggy Ross: Community member, retired RN, discussed the need for medically based foot care
5. Irene Neale: Irene's Foot Care Clinic (503.292.7555) will be ending her service Oct 2020. Discussion ensued around finding new person, new places for Beaverton, and the surrounding area. Typically, 100+ individuals per month receive these medically based services. Liability issues complicate the issue as well. We will continue to think about how we can address this crucial need.

Guest Speaker, Update: Hen Truong of H.O.P.E., and Beth Finch

Honoring Our Precious Elders.

Hen came back to visit us. HOPE is now a certified nonprofit! Hen passed out his new business card and social media addresses. He also showed a beautiful video, a day in the life of H.O.P.E. The video is uploaded to the new website: www.hopeoregon.org

He is looking for supporters, funding, and new clients.

August 25, 2019 Event: At Ex Novo the new pub in Beaverton from 12-3 PM

Guest Speaker – Jaspreet Chahal and Ann Albrich (THPRD)

Community Engagement Specialist: Leads the district in visioning process. What do people want in the future? About 5,000 people have been part of the process thus far. There are five phases: preparation of the outreach, outreach and engagement, action teams, community review, vision report due around March – May 2020.

THPRD wants to hear from you! Go to bit.ly/THPRDVisioning to log your thoughts and opinions. There is also a calendar of events where residents can offer their feedback.

Several members shared their hopes and vision for THPRD. Examples include more trees and parks; elder friendly dog parks, intermittent benches on trails, bikes and trails for commuters, labyrinths, multi-use bike paths, memorial benches, signs indicating incline as well as distance; [culture gardens \(e.g. Cleveland\)](#).

Event Update: Senior ID Theft and Fraud Prevention Event

Confirmation on the date: November 2, 2019, 10 AM - 1:00 PM

- Lou sent out the flier to the three presenters and confirmed attendance.
 - Bev has taken the lead working with Elsie Stuhr
 - Hilary arranged with the Beaverton CityLibrary for book display.
 - Notice: Carley arranged for Spanish and English versions of the flier.
 - We all agreed where we would distribute fliers digitally and physically
1. **Washington County Sheriff's Elder Safe Program** - Corrine Haning, Public Affairs/Elder Safe

- Topic: Avoiding Scams – Elder Safe Program. Could also weave in one or two actual cases
 - Presentation typically takes 35-45 minutes, including questions and answers. Can be adaptable to the time needs of the forum
2. **Oregon Dept. of Consumer & Business Services, Division of Financial Regulation** – Kevin Jeffries, Lead Outreach and Education Coordinator
- Topic: ID Theft & Financial Fraud Prevention
 - All dates ok. They have 4 people in their office who can support
 - 30 minutes for presentation
3. **Billie McNeely**, State Elder Financial Exploitation Specialist, Adult Protective Services-APD-DHS would be an excellent option to speak on financial issues:
- Works as the State’s Elder Financial Abuse Subject Matter expert in Oregon
 - Works very closely with Oregon Banker Association as well as assisted AARP in developing a new National Wide Training for bankers on prevention.
 - Teaches the Elder Abuse Investigations class at the police academy.
 - Available for any of our proposed dates

New Business:

Saturday Oct 5 at Elsie Stuhr Health and Wellness Fair.

We agreed BCOA would be present as we have in the past.

Beaverton City Staff Liaison Report: Carley Adams

Carley shared the following updates:

August News

Get outside, meet your neighbors in August. Beaverton's Neighborhood Association Committees host events and get-togethers throughout the year to encourage connectivity and community involvement. In August, neighbors have more chances to enjoy each other's company at these upcoming neighborhood and community events:

*Sexton Mountain Neighborhood Movie Night featuring The Incredibles II |Thursday, August 8 | Carolwood Park
The movie begins at dusk. Parking is limited, please walk or bike to the event.*

*South Beaverton Neighborhood Movie Night featuring Spiderman, Into the Spiderverse | Friday, August 16 | 4 PM | Hiteon Park
This year's event also includes a neighborhood faire with booths and live music. The movie begins at dusk.*

*Beaverton Night Market | Saturday, August 17 | 5-10 PM | The Round
Join thousands of your neighbors for this summer's second market featuring ethnic foods, crafts and culture.*

*Flicks by the Fountain | Friday, August 23 | 6:30 PM | City Park
Bring your blanket and chairs to watch Captain Marvel under the stars. The movie begins at dusk.*

*Vose Neighborhood Picnic | Saturday, August 24 | 11 AM-2 PM | Wonderland Park
Lunch will be served to the first 225 guests from local restaurants, and the picnic will include Aztec Dancers, K9 demonstrations and more.*

Volunteers needed for Family Promise of Beaverton. *The city will once again host Family Promise participants for two weeks this summer and fall, and we need your help! Family Promise of Beaverton is a local nonprofit working with families experiencing homelessness. The program serves several families with children every night of the year through partnerships with 13 host sites and provides a variety of services to help families gain stability and move into housing. The city is coordinating volunteers to help with hosting families during the weeks of August 18-24 and October 13-19. Volunteers are needed to provide dinner, plan an activity with guests after dinner, set-up a breakfast station in the morning, and stay overnight with the families. An orientation for new volunteers interested will be offered. Please contact the city's Community Services Program at maguilar@BeavertonOregon.gov <mailto:maguilar@BeavertonOregon.gov> or 503-350-4083 to learn more and get involved.*

Meeting Adjourned 4:24 PM