

Northside/Westside Neighborhood Council Leadership Team

Meeting Minutes

Date: November 6, 2018

Time: 6:00 PM

Location: Copper Run Apartments meeting room

2200 Great Northern Ave

Missoula, MT 59808

LT Members present: Tom Arvidson, Coby Gierke, and Dave Mikolajcayk

Others present: Jane Kelly, Neighborhood Coordinator, and Vicki Mikolajcayk

1. The minutes of the [September 10, 2018](#) LT meeting was approved as posted.
2. The team reviewed the Resource Page and had no changes.
3. Review Leadership roles and members—Coby moved and Tom seconded the following:
 - Vicki appointed as interim member of team
 - Tom would be the alternate treasurer and Community Forum alternate
 - Coby would be the co-chair
 - Vicki would be the secretary alternateAll items were approved unanimously.
4. Everyone worked on a plan for the General Meeting on January 17, 2019 at 6:00 pm. Agenda items:
 - Working with the Poverello Center—Jane will invite a representative of the Poverello and Union Gospel.
 - Affordable housing and Westside’s designation as an Opportunity Zone—Jane will invite Eran Pehan, Department of Housing and Development
 - Russell Street update—Jane will invite Katie Klietz
 - Neighborhood Watch update—Jane will invite Tony Rollin
 - Report on meeting spaces for general meetings (Burns Street Bistro)—Jane will reserve for general meeting
 - Russell and Scott Street traffic density—Jane will find someone to report
 - Elections
 - Q&A with City Council—Jane will invite City Council members
5. Jane gave the Office of Neighborhoods Report.
6. Jane gave a report on the upcoming Local Government Citizens Academy.
7. Dave gave the Community Forum Report.
8. Public comment on non-agenda items—Tom inquired about “Hospital” signs on Broadway going east and west where the 25 mph signs are.

9. There were no announcements.

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Northside/Westside Priorities

8/29/18

Transients/crime/ drug use: Westside, California Street, Catholic cemetery—45 votes

Traffic density (Scott Street)—28 votes

Working with the Poverello Center—23 votes

Northside/Westside affordable housing—15 votes

Sidewalks/walkability—14

17 other items received 8 or less votes

8/30/17

1. Improve handicap access and fix elevator on Pedestrian Bridge—19 votes
2. Neighborhood Greenways—18 votes
3. Improve bicycle and pedestrian access in the neighborhood—16 votes
4. Add more boulevard trees—15 votes
5. Increase Mountain Line frequency and span of service—13 votes
6. Optimize light at Toole and Broadway for pedestrian traffic—12 votes
7. Add bike path lighting—11 votes
8. Repair water feature at Northside Park—11 votes