

Joint South 39th and Moose Can Gully Neighborhood Leadership Team Minutes

Tuesday, February 15, 2023

6:00 PM

Virtual Microsoft Teams

MCG Present: Zac McFarland, Teresa Flor, Jan Williams, Cathay Deschamps

S. 39th Absent: Ruth Burke, Dave Bell

City Staff Present: Kalina Pritchard

1. Discussion items:

- Discussed the March General meeting.
- The Floriculture Building at the fairgrounds is reserved from 5:30-7:30.
- The developers want to have an open house layout with different stations.
- Kalina is going to reach out to the City planner and ask if they will set up a booth.
- Ten minutes for the neighborhood council leadership team to give a public service announcement.
- Neighborhood survey update.
- Neighborhood cleanup date.
- Do an announcement that the nursing home is closed.
- Kalina will reach out to the City Council members for Q&A.
- Neighborhood Leadership Team Members have a station setup.
- Zac will call City planning to get the regulations and responsibilities for the developer.

The Neighborhood Leadership Team would like to get a copy of the comments so we can validate what the developer is sending to the City planning.

We would like to have a short presentation on how the development process works. Not sure if it is possible, but we would like to try.

Kalina will work with the developer to see if they are providing food, if not, what kind of food should be provided?

Outreach:

Neighborhood Facebook page.

Zac and Kalina will work on getting the sandwich board posters printed and work with the County Print Shop.

Distribute flyers in various places.

Kalina will post the survey on the City website.

Print QR code.

Have physical copies to hand out.

Send notices to the Chief Charlo and Meadow Hill Elementary Schools Parent, Teacher Organization (PTO).

2. The Neighborhood Leadership Council is interested in setting up a few block parties, and is a permit is required?
3. Neighborhood cleanup is scheduled on April 29, and Kalina will confirm with Republic Services.
4. Community Forum Report:
Kalina gave the update as Dave could not attend. Charles Menefee, City Planner, gave a report on the Higgins Bridge plan which was approved by the City Council.
5. Neighborhood Report:
 - a. The Grant Committee is reviewing the grants and should be awarded in April.
 - b. Neighborhood cleanups is taking shape and more information will be sent to the Leadership Teams.
6. Public Comment:
 - a. Facebook pages are initially created. If we have any ideas for content, we can send it to the Missoula Neighborhoods for publication.
7. The meeting adjourned at 6:55.