

# Upper Rattlesnake Leadership (URLT) Team Meeting Minutes

March 7, 2023

5:00 pm

Messiah Lutheran Church

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1. Roll Call: Terri Roach, (Co-Chair) Andrea Stierle (Co-Chair), Jeani Alonso-Adams, Kathy Gaskill (Secretary), Kalina Pritchard (Missoula Neighborhood Specialist)
2. Meeting Minutes for January 29, Upper Rattlesnake General Meeting were unanimously approved after a motion by Terri and seconded by Andrea.
3. Kalina presented an orientation for the URLT beginning with the history, and the purpose and facets of the Neighborhood Councils (NC). She emphasized the importance of NC as a resource for residents to contact for questions, issues and concerns. The NC further serve as ambassadors and advocates to the City for residents.
4. Items Discussed
  - a. Doing an Ice Cream Social this summer to bring residents together and inform them about what is going on in their neighborhood and the city. The Ice Cream Social could be done as a General Meeting and include ratifying the revisions to the Upper Rattlesnake Bylaws. Jeani will contact Big Dipper to see if we can put down a deposit with the remaining funds that need to be spent by June 30, 2023.
  - b. Terri will stay on as Co-Chair, Kathy as Secretary and Jeani said she will serve as Treasurer. The position of representative to the monthly Community Forum meetings needs to be filled.
  - c. Jeani asked Kalina why there is not a sidewalk on Rattlesnake Drive given it is a route Rattlesnake Elementary Students use. Kalina suggested she contact the City Public Works and /or the Street Division.
  - d. Kalina gave a Missoula Neighborhoods update mentioning the Neighborhood Grant Program has completed the review process for submission and will move forward to the awarding phase.
  - e. There was no public comment on non-agenda items.
  - f. A date for the next meeting to discuss the Ice Cream Social and any other topics that come up will be determined at a later time.
5. Andrea moved the meeting be adjourned and Jeani seconded.