

Captain John Mullan
Neighborhood Council Leadership Team Meeting
February 29, 2012 at 7:30 pm
Barnes & Noble Coffee Shop

Meeting called to order at 7:30 pm

Present – Randy Johnson, Steve Schmidt, Nathan Howard, and Kathie Snodgrass

Absent – Rod Austin and Josiah Hodge

Meeting Minutes: The meeting notes from the November LT meeting were approved as corrected (a stray bracket was removed).

Spring General Meeting: The meeting will be Wednesday March 21st from 7 to 9 pm at the usual place – the Hellgate School Commons. Nathan has reserved the space. Nathan and Randy will make sure there are refreshments (probably cookies and bottled water). The agenda will include the issue of alcohol at the 44 Ranch park, further development of the Pleasant View Park (Kathie will ask Donna if Parks & Rec will attend to explain the process and Steve will explain the Community Forum/Office of Neighborhoods small and large grant processes), reports from City Council, and we will try to get somebody from the City or County to update us on public works projects in our area.

HOAs in our Neighborhood: Nathan has been collecting HOA contact info. He's also found out some interesting information, such as that several HOAs hire property management companies to take care of common area maintenance, dues collections, etc.

Collecting Donations: Nathan investigated non-profit bank accounts, because we are wondering how to handle donations that may be made towards Pleasant View Park development. It is not clear how "non-profit" meshes with the Neighborhood Council being part of City government. He said computer students at the UM would be more than capable of developing such things as an app for cell phone donations.

Gas Cards for Trail Plowing: Nathan delivered gas cards to Jim & Kim Morrow, to reimburse them for fuel expenses for their plowing from Flynn Lane to Katoonah Lodges on the Mullan Trail Bike Path this winter. Others who have been plowing include the Cemetery (Cote Lane to Frey Road), Bonnie and Charlie McNeal (Frey Road to the gas station) and some folks who he hasn't yet met that plow from the gas station to Katoonah Lodges.

Missoula Marathon: Nathan will be running the half marathon this year, so he won't be able to be at the aid station, but he may still organize that effort – he'll have to wait and see how things go.

The meeting adjourned about 8:30 pm.

Kathie Snodgrass
note keeper