

Rose City Park Neighborhood Association

General Meeting Minutes

21st – June – 2016

Meeting Items:

1. Welcome and Review of the Agenda
2. Living Stages / Right 2 Survive Interactive Presentation
 - a. The interactive presentation with audience participation discussed the following topics:
 - Education of personal rights on the street
 - Audience participation was used to change perspectives of the play.
 - Play was followed by a discussion on how to help the homeless.
3. Update from Officer Craig Andersen and Crime Prevention Coordinator Meg Juarez
 - a. Officer Craig Andersen was not in attendance.
 - b. Crime Prevention Coordinator Meg Juarez presented the following topics:
 - Forming a Neighborhood Watch is very useful, information can be obtained at their website.
 - Make yourself a hard target
 - There has been an increase in commercial burglaries, mainly due to summertime.
 - The Crime Prevention department offers help to lessen your becoming a target.
 - Crime Prevention Environmental Design
 - National Night Out is the week of August 2nd.
4. Recruitment / Election of Board Members
 - a. Leaving board members:
 - Michael Roth
 - Eric Stiefvater
 - Gail Zuro
 - Rob Coleman
 - b. Nominated new members:
 - Stephen Effros
 - Jack Downing
 - Gary Points
 - c. New service volunteers: David
Fellows – Webmaster
Caitlin Stanton – Web Designer
Suzanne Desmond – Newsletter Editor
5. Residential Infill Update and Next Steps
 - a. Mission changed from zoning recommendation to policy recommendation.
 - b. The committee looked at size & type of houses and narrow lot development.
 - c. Open House on July 14th
 - d. RIPSAC has a survey at portlandoregon.gov/infill

- e. Main changes:
 - Height limited to 2 stories
 - Front setback increased by 5'-0" or adjust to adjacent homes
 - No off-street parking
 - Increased density near centers, corridors, and stations.
 - f. What kind of Portland do we want?
 - 2/3 of homes for 1-2 people
 - 1/3 of homes for 3 or more people
 - g. Aging in place versus aging in community.
6. DEQ / Toxic Air Update
- a. No test results have been released.
7. Tree inventory
- a. Looking for volunteers.