

BAC Board Meeting Minutes

In Attendance: Melaney, Guy, Lily, Josh, Mike Erwin, Joanna, Tom, Marie, Don, Mark, Mike O'Conner, 16th and Pershing Developers

Siteworks Presentation

Overview of Siteworks as a company. Details on the 16th a Pershing property. 72 units, max density, no parking, transit subsidized from the developer.

General Meeting Diesel Particulate Relocation

Because of the response, the board is considering relocating the meeting to the Sacred Heart Church. Concerns were raised about having the event in a religious space. We discussed the evolution of the Diesel Particulate meeting and how it could have been handled differently. This topic has ballooned very quickly and there have been many challenges and contentions. A substantial portion of the board felt that at this point, asking the subcommittee to relocate the meeting again to a larger/more neutral venue was not necessary/would cause an unnecessary amount of confusion this close to the event. As of now, the meeting is still scheduled to be in the Sacred Heart Chapel.

Ice Cream Social Recap

The event was overall successful. Next year we would like to ask for more donations of funds for attractions like the face painter, balloon maker etc. as opposed to raffle donations. Marie is stepping down as coordinator.

Sidewalk Repairs

Neighbors wanted to discuss the recent epidemic of required sidewalk repairs in the neighborhood. The question was raised of can the neighborhood use some of its collective voice to influence the sidewalk review process/deadline requirements. If we wanted to, we could ask for someone from PBOT to come speak to the board at the November meeting.

Land Use and Transportation Committee

River access is on the agenda for the Southreach City meeting tomorrow, 9/13. Melaney and Josh will be attending. Joanna moves and Mike O. seconds that we ask the subcommittee to create a flyer asking for public comment regarding requesting river access to the neighborhood. The motion carries.

Board Contacts

We need a physical address for certified mail. Don suggests that we use the post office address with our BAC PO box attached as the address.

I-5 Expansion

Josh moves that we support the group in Irvington that opposes the I-5 expansion. Don seconds. Motion carries.

GBBA

Melaney shared that there is an upcoming walking tour. Also that she learned that we can print fridge magnets for very cheap and it might be a good option for sharing information in the future. GBBA is considering a blood drive. Upside down has invited the neighborhood to for free food this Sunday.