



## Island Station Neighborhood District Association

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# Island Station NDA Meeting Minutes

**April 17, 2024**

Meeting was called to order at 6:35 pm at the Two Sisters Play Café. There were 10 neighbors in person, one on zoom, Chief Burdick from Milwaukie PD and one guest.

Minutes of the March meeting were approved as written.

### **Milwaukie Police Report** – Chief Burdick

Field training for new officers takes 3 months. Alex B. graduates next week and they are now almost fully staffed. There is a new traffic video on the MPD social media. There will be a free medication drop off and document shredding event on April 27 at the Milwaukie Public Safety building; hours are 10-2 and Milwaukie CERT will be helping with this event.

JoAnne commented on the poor pedestrian and traffic crossing at se River Rd and McLoughlin; Charles suggested a different type of signal for ped crossing that worked for two crosswalks – the current one crossing from se River Rd to Kronberg Park and another at se 22<sup>nd</sup> and McLoughlin to Kronberg park where people are constantly seen crossing and one man was killed recently.

Mention was made that the traffic light on McLoughlin and se River Road is malfunctioning occasionally allowing opposing traffic to have a green light at the same time. Chief Burdick noted this and Pam will take this to PSAC.

### **Treasurer Report**

Bank balance -\$13,043.76, Outstanding checks - \$250.00, commitments - \$12,100.00, Available for use by ISNDA - \$693.76

### **New Business**

A motion was made by Milo to donate \$250.00 to the Grange for the use of the hall last year; the motion was seconded by Pam and passed.

Micah mentioned that a bench could be acquired and be placed at the end of the street ROW on se Bluebird and a plaque placed to honor the pedestrian that was hit and killed crossing McLoughlin near se 22<sup>nd</sup> earlier this year. Dave noted that there are still no signs or barriers to stop pedestrians from crossing McLoughlin from Kronberg park to se 22<sup>nd</sup> Ave.

CERT submitted a donation request for \$150.00 to help with printing and lamination costs for training materials. The request was discussed and it was moved by Milo and seconded by Jo Anne to donate \$500 to



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cover other costs for training new members – the motion passed.

Milwaukie for Energy Choice – the speaker did not show up for the meeting.

Charles moved that we purchase new NDA meeting signs as the ones we have are 8 years old and fairly beat up. Pam will look into the costs for 8 signs and bring the information to the next meeting.

### Old Business

Spring Park/Elk Rock work parties – Charles is looking into ‘adopt a park’ for these two parks by the NDA. These work parties continue on the third Saturday of the month from 9:30 – 12:00 with Milwaukie Parks Foundation.

Micah is leading a birding trip on May 13 @ 8:00 am meeting at the Milwaukie MAX station; see Jo Anne Bird for more details.

Picnic brainstorming session – Milo moved we commit \$2,500 for the Sept 21<sup>st</sup> 2024 picnic to be held in Kellogg Creek Park; Dave Cadwallader seconded and it was passed. We decided to have a bounce house again as well as face painting and popsicles. It was discussed who to have it catered by, having fried chicken, veggie trays with vegan and gluten free options but be sure to order cake balls from Two Sisters Play Café.

Jo Anne will talk with the New Seasons manager about discount prices for food for the picnic. So far we will ask CERT, MESH and Milwaukie Museum to table at our picnic as has been done for many years. We will ask Dave C.’s band, Roadside Attraction, how much they charge for playing at the picnic and Pam will ask about getting the city event trailer. Charles will talk to Central Rentals about chairs, etc that we may need.

Elections are to be held next month for all offices in the NDA, Pam will send out this info in the NDA email and on the facebook page.

Meeting adjourned at 8:18 pm.



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**Treasurer's report**

**New Business**

**ISNDA Committee, Board and Association Reports**



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Next meeting will be on **date @ \*\*\*\* pm**. Meeting was adjourned at **\*\*\* pm**