

Historic Milwaukie NDA Minutes

Monday, June 10, 202

In person at Milwaukie City Hall, 10501 SE Main St. and on Zoom

Present:

NDA Team: Co-Chair, Debbie Liptan; Land Use Rep & Co-Chair, Val Hubbard; Land Use Rep, Gary Klein; Treasurer, Linda Thomas; Secretary, Jennifer Murphy; Land Use Rep, Zachary Pacholl

In Person Participants: Mayor Lisa Batey, Ray Bryan, Lisa Bolander, Brent Bolander, Lisa Lashbrook, Virginia Pai, Lisa Gunion-Rinker, TSPAC Rep Chad Vinsar Tucker, Adam Moore, Jean Wynn

Zoom Participants: Siri Bernard, Carmen Meyer

Presentations & Discussions

- Milwaukie Parks Foundation - Mayor Lisa Batey and several other members of the MPF Board spoke with us about Milwaukie Bay Park, budgeting, project challenges, and the complex relationship between the City of Milwaukie and the North Clackamas Parks and Rec Department. They spoke at length about Milwaukie Bay Park. They shared there is a NCPRD online survey now open that will inform the plan for parks and recreation moving forward. More info can be found at www.ncprdsystemplan.com. We are urged to share our feedback regarding park development in Milwaukie. [Survey link here](#).
- City of Milwaukie Parks - Parks Development Coordinator Adam Moore spoke about the three parks under construction: Balfour Park, Scott Park, and Bowman-Brae Park. All three parks are being planted with as many native plants as possible, have had invasive plants removed, are built with many natural materials, and will be ready for public usage this autumn. Balfour Park will be given complete privacy fencing, geotechnical evaluation for rock wall stability, and will be completed this autumn. Bowman-Brae Park will now have privacy fencing, and will be home to a couple more benches and picnic tables than previously planned. Scott Park will open in late October, and receive an art installation in mid-November. The parks will have a net gain of 33 trees. Reach out to Adam for further information: moorea@milwaukieoregon.gov, 503-786-7624.
- Transportation System Plan Update - TSPTAC Rep Chad Tucker shared with us that Milwaukie was the first city to update plans with the new Climate-Friendly and Equitable Communities (CFEC) rulemaking process. The Transportation System Plan Technical Advisory Committee is assessing vehicular and non-vehicular performance standards to measure transportation success. He will have a more thorough update for us at our October meeting. With questions or to provide input/comments, contact Chad at chadvintuck@gmail.com

Neighborhood Opportunities for Engagement

- September 9 Picnic - Debbie Liptan updated us on the NDA's search for the right venue for the picnic, as Scott Park will still be under construction. We welcome volunteers to help us with this upcoming event and will have a signup to share once a venue has been secured.
- HMNDA Flag - Val Hubbard discussed with us the concept of creating an Historic Milwaukie flag (cherry logo from HMNDA's Facebook image). We discussed the likelihood of community members purchasing these flags for \$22. Our neighborhood has many businesses and fewer residents than other NDAs.
- Washington Street Construction Follow Up - Ray Bryan welcomes volunteers to help plan for replanting of Washington Street islands. Contact him to sign up: ray1bryan2@gmail.com.
- Update on Krohnberg Park bench donation - Val Hubbard brought up the idea of moving our Krohnberg Park bench donation to Scott Park. Adam Moore says the park would welcome the donation in exchange for a bench plaque and will continue this discussion with the NDA.

HMNDA Current Business

- Land-use Updates - Zak Pacholl discussed Kellogg Creek Water Resource Recovery Facility plans: to increase flood storage capacity, add a building, make building updates, and focus on habitat conservation in the 45-acre natural area.
- Minutes for May '24 were approved