

RBCC Membership Meeting – July 11, 2018

Board Members in Attendance:

Tom Beck	Brett Boynton
Gerd Prewett	Anne Nolan
Su Harambe	Ruth Cousineau
Alan Ross	Natalya Roberts

Membership Committee

- No news

Building Committee

- Su reported that we are getting regular inquiries for rentals.
- Su also reported on chairs that she is about to procure from Costco. She needs volunteers to help schlep (she has access to a truck but will probably take a few trips). Old chairs will be offered for free on Next Door or Ron may take them for the Scouts.

Finance Committee

- Gerd reported YTD revenues of \$10,791 and expenses of \$7,310. \$34700 in the bank plus \$800 in security deposits. Jenna will continue to rent in the Fall (\$1,000/month).

Social Committee

- Tom reported that there will be a Game Nite on September 15 for adults.

Tech Committee

- No news – Meeting minutes now available

Other Items Discussed:

- Jackie provided an update from the 2 open houses hosted by the **Kubota Garden** Foundation's and their 30-40 year master plan for improvements. An advisory committee, of which Jackie is a member, is compiling comments from the community from which they will develop recommendations to the Foundation. There are 2 potential state grants available (totaling \$1.2M) for bathrooms and accessibility. The Committee supports no-charge access.
- Tom provided an update of the **air quality monitoring project**. The monitoring equipment requires an outside electrical outlet. He is not sure if our center has that. Another neighbor attending the meeting volunteered the use of his property for the monitoring if need be. UW will reimburse the \$3.46 estimated electricity charge.
- Tom reminded folks of event on July 21 10-4 at **Farm Fest at Urban Farm Wetlands**.
- Reminder to vote at SDOT's **Your Voice – Your Choice** link.
- Danielle from Rainier View neighborhood advised members that Seattle Parks Department plans to build a **second entrance to Dead Horse Canyon**. Danielle and Tom will coordinate on how to have a say.

- Danielle also announced the annual **Back-to-School Bash** on August 11 (noon-4). Among other things, it provides back-packs and supplies to Rainier Beach families. The RBCC membership agreed to contribute \$500 to this worthy cause.
- Danielle also mentioned that she has organized a **Rainier View community** group that meets the first Saturday of every month. Details on Next Door.
- Ron announced **Band Fest** on August 19 from 11am -6 pm at the Rainier Beach Community Center. They need volunteers. Last year's event featured 40 bands, on 4 stages with 8 food trucks.