RBCC Membership Meeting – March 13, 2019

Board Members in Attendance:

Brett Boynton Alan Ross Natalya Roberts

Anne Nolan Su Harambe

Tech Committee – Alan reported that we have a new blue-tooth swipe and pay device.

Building / Membership / Finance Committees - No news

Social Committee

- Social Committee opening remains unfilled looking for a volunteer to organize and manage Harvest Social.
- Alan reminded us to pre-register for the 3/30 wine event so that he can get a good estimate on the number of attendees.

Other Items Discussed:

• Bridge to Beach will be 5/4/19 – Kathy reported that volunteers need to commit to 5 hours for us to qualify for the grant.

Featured and Other Speakers

Anne Udaloy a Ground Water Scientist, spoke about changes in legislative changes that could loosen rule on wells that would further deplete ground water in the state (which has been dropping a foot/decade. This will impact surface waters and reduce stream flows (adversely impacting salmon and Native Americans rights under the 1854 Treaty). Anne took us through the history and called for transparency, fairness and a science-based approach in the process. Anne also encouraged the membership to sign up to get a ballot to vote in the King Conservation District Board election (and to consider voting for Chris ____).

Mark Solomon, City Councilman candidate spoke. Born in Beacon Hill and a former RB resident, he seeks the seat being vacated by Bruce Harrell. His focus is on the homeless, public safety and youth opportunities.