Board Meeting

Argay Terrace Neighborhood Association

Tuesday, January 16, 2017

Meeting was called to order at 6:30 pm by Doug Cook at Fire Station 2, 4800 NE 122nd Ave, Portland, OR 97230.

Board members Present:

- Doug Cook, President
- Craig Tolenen, Vice President
- Valenka Speer, Park Chair
- Barney Newman, Land Use Chair
- Tom Hoffman
- Brian Atkinson
- Bill Lindekugel, Treasurer
- Deanne Englund, Secretary

Board members Absent:

• Katie Beymer, Events Chair

Guests:

- Na'ma Schwietzer, Green Streets
- Sarah Berkemeier, Crime Prevention Coordinator
- Robert Bowles, resident

Business:

Old Business:

None noted.

New Business:

• Item 1 – Introduction of Na'ama Schwietzer with Green Streets

- Na'ma introduced the Green Street Stewards volunteer program. Green Street Steward volunteers work with the City to help keep the bioswales or planters in our neighborhood maintained. Picking up trash, clearing debri so that the drains are clear, and adding preapproved vegetation to keep our neighborhood looking beautiful. We can do a large scale clean-up in the future but concerned with the cost of the plants. Na'ma will look further into our options. Further information can be found at Portlandonline.com/bes/greenstreetstewards.
- Item 2 Introduction of Sarah Berkemeier, Crime Prevention Coordinator Sarah has been our Crime Prevention Coordinator now for three months. She discussed some recent changes in leadership at the Portland Police bureau that affect our area, and encouraged the use of the Neighborhood Watch program.

--Sarah Berkemeier: 503-823-4098, <u>sarah.berkemeier@portlandoregon.gov</u>, <u>http://www.portlandoregon.gov/oni/cp</u>

--Neighborhood Watch Coordinator: Mark Wells, 503-823-1871, https://www.portlandoregon.gov/oni/62587

--Neighborhood Officer: Bob Boylan, 503-823-5833

- --To report malfunctions with street lights: www.pdxreporter.org
- --Park Rangers: Dispatch 503-823-1637

• Item 3 – Movie/Concerts at Luuwit View Park

We have a committee made up of Bryan Atkinson, Tom Hoffman, and Robert Bowles who are working with the Parks Department and soliciting donations to bring movies and/or concerts at the new Luuwit View Park over the summer.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Deanne Englund, Secretary