

South Beaverton NAC

March 15th, 2012 Minutes

Board Attendees: Aaron Bogle

7:00pm - Welcome and Introductions

7:05pm – Police Report

- ▲ Beaverton Police have a Neighborhood Response Team (NRT) that operates Wednesday through Saturday from 1pm – 11pm, made up of a Supervisor and two Officers whom are available to address repeated livability issues in the area, such as noise, graffiti, parking, trash and other recurring issues
- ▲ Informed everyone to keep an eye out for suspicious activity in the forested area behind the Sorrento Daycare due to rumored vigils for suicide victims from last year
- ▲ Officer Mike Rowe is the new Public Information Officer for the Beaverton Police Department
- ▲ Informed that Beaverton Police offer Traffic School for traffic violations. Also informed about Crosswalk Stings that are held 4 times a year, which are announced publicly, to help increase pedestrian awareness

7:20 – Tualatin Valley Fire & Rescue (TVF&R) Report

- ▲ Total Calls for Beaverton from Mid-February to today: 883 calls (all types)
- ▲ Update on continuation of 2006 Bond work, new stations being built at West Slope and North Wilsonville areas. The Oak Hills location project has been stalled and they are continuing work on finding a solution
- ▲ Informed us of Community Risk Reduction efforts by the firehouses on a local, station by station level. Their focus is identifying ways to educate on prevention in an area
- ▲ Talked about their Car Program, a single unit response vehicle which carries one person that can take basic medical calls to lessen the load on large crews and free them up for bigger emergencies. The roaming unit can also respond to unknown injuries or vehicle accidents, assess a situation and call for assistance

7:30pm – Volunteer Opportunities

- ▲ Two attendees volunteered for board positions pending more information

7:35pm – Open Discussion

- ▲ Discussed ways to increase neighborhood awareness of the NAC itself as well as opportunities to build community
- ▲ Block party idea casually proposed as a way to bring the neighborhood together and create a fun atmosphere around the NAC meetings.
- ▲ Discussed soliciting local businesses for support
- ▲ Scholarship idea for local students also suggested

Action Items:

- ▲ Contact board volunteers
- ▲ Gather matching fund information and begin further discussion of a South Beaverton NAC Block Party

8:15pm Meeting Adjourned

Next Meeting: April 19th, 2012 at 7PM, Southridge High School Community Room