

## Highland NAC – Meeting Minutes 03/10/2016

In attendance:

Michael Dillon – Chairman

Jeff Menzel – Treasurer (recorder this meeting)

Moses Dillon – Board member

Reggie Frumkin – Board member

Juanita Coparanis – Board member

Sharon Hoffmiester – THPRD

Greg Creager - THPRD

Brad Sutton – Beaverton Police Dept.

Aaron Frumkin, Phil Spiegel, Ann Snyder, Quinn Simpson, John Dugger, Robin Senn

7:00 PM - Meeting opened – Michael Dillon - Welcome to group and introductions.

Approval of February meeting minutes.

Treasurer's Report - -Jeff Menzel – Balanced unchanged since last meeting - \$2,979.25

Presentation – Greg Creager, THPRD – Overall THPRD planning, restoration and improvements to various parks in the Highland neighborhood. Specific information about the new park development, Fir Grove East (Nazareen Woods) on 22<sup>nd</sup> street near Hall blvd. This is an ongoing collaborative park development between the THPRD and the Highland NAC. Next planned Ivy Pull and clean up May 14. Next steps in overall development; Ivy pulls and clean up, remove invasive species, park mapping, possible trail cutting, improve site-lines and establish time lines. All work to be divided between NAC volunteers and paid labor through THPRD. Greg fielded general questions and answers.

Discussion – Highland Neighborhood 5K Fun Run/Walk – Sunday, May 1. Lindsey Lewman, organizer (unable to attend meeting) provided info on the upcoming NAC organized run/walk. The route is nearly established and will highlight prominent trees throughout the Highland neighborhood. The run will start/finish at Highland Park Middle School and refreshments will be provided. Further information can be found on [nextdoor.com](http://nextdoor.com) and [facebook.com/highlandneighborhood](http://facebook.com/highlandneighborhood)

New project – organized by and presented by Reggie Frumkin – Restoration, cleanup and tree planting on the grassy area of Highland Park Middle School on the SE side of property on Hyland Way. Students and walker utilize this stair-stepped area to gain access to the school and is in need of restoration. Blackberry and invasive plant removal, restoration of muddy trail at top and bottom of stairs and tree planting. School is very positive about the project. Grant money will be sought where needed. Further info to come on this project.

Discussion – Hart Road Round – The beatification project continues in the round. General ideas for additional projects were shared. Watch for further information on volunteer and plant/rock donation needs.

Meeting adjourned – 8:53 PM