Welcome and introductions of GHAAC members
Art Ellison, Chair, called the meeting to order at 7:05 PM. There were 21 members present, 5 by proxy; 1 County Liaison, and 20 guests. Attendees introduced themselves.

Dennis Cziske—Kingston Ferry Advisory Committee update
Dennis Cziske reported that Ferry Advisory Committees had been invited to Olympia to give input to the WA State Transportation Commission on the possible makeup of a new Tariff Policy Committee, which may or may not be created. The Ferry Advisory Committee is also talking with the ferries scheduler on the issue of schedule changes required by the Coast Guard regulations that will no longer allow the “sleep over shift”. We will lose the daily 5:10 PM sailing out of Edmonds and one other run, not yet determined. This will probably go into effect with the fall schedule change which is due to be published July 23. The Transportation Commission has adopted the recommended fare increase of 2 1/2%, which will go into effect with the fall Schedule Change. The Transportation Commission also adopted a Super Summer Surcharge of an additional 10% fare increase for June, July, August, and September beginning in 2010, this is over and above the usual summer surcharge of 25%. These surcharges are not included in the frequent rider coupons. The Transportation Commission is expected to schedule a hearing for the Super Surcharge sometime in September of this year. Riders are urged to contact their legislators, particularly members of the Transportation Committee. The website http://leg.wa.gov/legislature has contact information. WSF is also working on a reservation system, using the Kingston-Edmonds route as a test site. If you have thoughts on that, you can contact them at 206-515-3400 or Washington State Ferries; 2901 Third Avenue Suite 500; Seattle WA 98121-3014.

Art reminded that the agenda is posted on the Hansville.org website and members should look there for the latest update.

Follow-up to Community Concerns from prior meeting
Constance Kinnard told of the major problems in the Buck Lake Neighborhood resulting from use of fireworks by some residents as well as continuing problems of speeding.

Cindy McDermott reported on the request for a crosswalk on Hansville Road at Buck Lake Road. She was told that it would not be beneficial as experience has shown that traffic does not observe a crosswalk and it gives pedestrians a false sense of security in crossing.

Initial public comments:
John Scarpelli read a statement which the Council found did not pertain to GHAAC business and has therefore been excluded from its records.

Approval of Minutes of Last Meeting

7/24/2009
Minutes of the June 9 meeting were approved as published on Hansville.org

**GHAAC Committee Presentation/Updates**
Art introduced Dick Dadisman, (360-337-5777) Design manager for Kitsap County Public Works who gave an update on the Cliffside Improvement and Design. He presented an illustration of the planned improved road. There were questions from the Council and from guests concerning the potential for speeding, drainage management, and wildlife safety.

**Community rep reports**
The Summer Market is well underway. Shorewood residents had put out signs advising that logging trucks would be travelling in their area and the signs disappeared. The Fire Department put life vests at Buck Lake for the use of kids there and all were stolen. Those who had seen logging trucks said that they were driving carefully. There were numerous reports of fireworks violations and a request to keep the issue active. The community center reported a successful Pancake Breakfast and Picnic in the Park and requested volunteers for the rummage sale, for which workers are needed from July 29 through August 11. Because of the rummage sale notice the sign will not be available until after August 9. The Sheriff’s department controlled access and parking in the Point No Point area on July 4 which avoided the many problems experienced last year. It was mentioned that a light is needed for the flag which flies after dark at the lighthouse keeper’s quarters. The Better Halves group welcomes wives to attend coffee at 10 AM on Tuesday mornings at the store.

**Pete Sullivan—briefing on final Community Plan**
Pete reported that the Community Plan Open House on June 28 was attended by 14 GHAAC members and 56 guests and from them he received 45 written comments. Those and other comments submitted by July 10 will be considered in the final draft of the Plan which will be presented to the Planning Commission when they meet in Hansville on August 18, at 7 PM. It will be their regular meeting and will follow their usual procedure. Public comment will be allowed. For their suggestions refer to the agenda of any scheduled meeting on their web page: http://www.kitsapgov.com/dcd/pc/

Linda Redling moved and it was approved that GHAAC request that Pete move the plan along to the Planning Commission.

**New Issues/updates on prior issues**
Community Emergency Preparedness – Becky Ellison: Some neighborhoods are still assessing their needs, there may be a future meeting of various groups.

Neighborhood reps—how do we get the word out? It was agreed that the LOG and the website would carry a listing of neighborhood and organization members of GHAAC, with e-mail addresses for each.

**Next meeting**
No meeting in August, The next meeting will be September 8, 7:00 PM at the Greater Hansville Community Center

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