



Kingston Citizens Advisory Council (KCAC)

Committee Report

(4/9/19 - 5/6/19)

Communications

Members: Linda Fyfe, Glenn Malin, Rebecca Pirtle, Beth Worthington

- o Did not meet during this period

Environment and Land Use

Members: Annie Perry, Beth Berglund, Jenn Leach, Emily Ramirez

- o Did not meet during this period

Community Services

Members: Mary Gleysteen, Ruth Westergaard, Jane Mack, Sonja Roberts, Chris Gilbreath

Meeting Minutes 4/18/19

a. Debrief from April KCAC meeting

- i. Summary from the 2019 Kingston Community Conversation was well received.
- ii. It was announced that the KCAC request to the County Commissioners to consider Affordable Housing Inclusionary Language for land development projects has been shifted to the Regional Coordinating Council. Officially the KCAC has gotten no official response from the Commissioner's office. Our Committee requests a written update be requested by Beth.

b. Sally's Resource Guide printing and distribution plans

- i. We have still not received an updated version.

c. Affordable Housing – Next steps

- i. See above comments on Inclusionary Language.
- ii. We are anticipating from Kirsten and Corey the release of the Kingston Survey Data in a "user friendly" form. It was suggested that Stan Mack as facilitator of the KAHWG may need to make an inquiry as to when the report might be available. Ruth described Charlene's work on the Survey spreadsheets as inspiring. She stated that they could be accessed through a specific link.

d. Community Meals update

- i. It was reported that Carol Geissler, now on the Village Green staff, is doing a superb job of modifying and coordinating the Community Meal Program. Local lawyers are the announced May meal.

e. Emergency Prep – Map your neighborhood

- i. Need in the Kingston area for a Two Pronged Emergency Preparation Plan.



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- ii. General Area-wide Awareness Training: Contact Scott James to do a presentation in fall if possible...
- iii. Neighborhood Organizing: Map your Neighborhood Model
 1. Contact local individuals and organizations to locally organize. (Stan Mack, Fredrick Branchflower, Dave Rasmussen, Michele Laboda, NK Fire, Civic Groups, homeowners associations)
 2. Gather materials and video sources

f. Directions from Community Conversation including partnerships with other organizations

- i. After a discussion of the need to keep momentum going on Conversation issues there was a suggestion that all the sponsors need to play a role in addressing the issues. Stan Mack's Power-point presentation on the conversation could be a tool in approaching other sponsors to gain their support for specific issue efforts.
- ii. Other groups that could be a key to addressing Conversation issues include Fishline and Kitsap Transit.
- iii. In addition, it appears that a more comprehensive "Community Calendar" source could be an asset in addressing a number of the groups concerns.
- iv. Finally, there may be substantial merit in creation of a KCAC committee to deal with Youth Services. These types of issues continue to be voiced and may well be best served by a group that is specifically tasked to focus on these concerns.

g. Next Committee Meeting date to be determined at the May 8 KCAC meeting.

Open House Coordination

Members: Mary Gleysteen, Gale Kirsopp, Beth Berglund

- Did not meet during this period.

Kingston Parks, Trails & Open Space (KPTOS)

Meeting Date: Monday May 6th

In Attendance:

Transportation

No information