

Suquamish Citizen Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes
Suquamish Elementary Library
October 4, 2018

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Tom Curley (Chairperson), Brian Albro, Martha Burke, Megan Hale, and Kevin McDonald.

QUORUM: YES

OTHERS PRESENT:

County Staff: Jennifer Cannon (KC Policy Analyst/SCAC Coordinator)

Community: Ed Mullaney, Ron Coglton, Bruce Goodrich, Marion Schoenbackler, Robert Larson.

Other Governmental Partners: Officer Jeremy Creed (Suquamish Tribal Police); and Chief Smith, Assistant Chief Lagrandeur, and Public Information Officer Michele Laboda (North Kitsap Fire District).

PROCEEDINGS

Meeting began at 1803.

Meeting Minutes for July were approved but the September Meeting Minutes were not available for approval.

Public Comment:

Tom C. announced Commissioner Gelder will be in Suquamish Nov. 1, from 1 to 2pm, for a walk along our safe routes to school; Geneva, Center, Urban, Brockton, Division, and Augusta, to look at the safety of walking these routes and what can be done to enhance their walkability. Everyone is invited to join the walk.

League of Women Voters' next topic of conversation is on the November initiatives at Poulsbo City Hall (includes Speakers pro and con for the proposed initiatives) next Monday the 8th.

Friends of Miller Bay is having a meeting at the House of Awakened Culture in early November. The presentation will be "The History of Miller Bay".

The community was interested in furthering the North Division Trail effort. Tom C. will engage interested members with the history of the project and possible ways forward.

Brian A. put out that the West Sound Chorus (formerly the Kitsap Chordsmen) is getting ready for the December Holiday Concert and is inviting everyone to "Come Sing With Us"! Tom Curley will promulgate the Email discussing this invitation.

Meeting Core

Officer Jeremy Creed, Suquamish Tribe Police, gave an overview of police activity to include discussion of the cougar in the area (nothing more notable than what is being reported in the news). Crime has not increased or decreased dramatically since last month's discussion and noted - per the discussion last month - that speed enforcement (specifically for Augusta) is a priority of the department.

Chief Smith and Michele L. discussed our local fire department and the many prevention

services they offer, in addition to a review of the response side. The big message from the presentation was, the 2014 Emergency Bond is ending and the Fire District has Proposition 1 on the upcoming ballot to pick up the fall off in funding (as well as refresh/revitalize some of the capital equipment). There will be an Open House, Monday October 15th 4-7PM at the Suquamish Fire Station for further discussion on Proposition 1 as well as to show off the equipment and be available for questions.

Work Plan Review and Map update was tabled to November for development of the 2019 plan.

James Street Road End Trail update. There will be a meeting Saturday at 10 to work more on the trail. The current challenge is that there is not a fiscal repository for provided funding (the previous 501.3c organization who was the sponsor fell away). Alternatives were proposed as possibilities (for a new 501.3c sponsor), and endorsed signage similar to Bainbridge Island for their Public access points.

Updates:

PTSA held their opening meeting on September 17th but there were no updates.

Kitsap Transit sent out mailers to everyone in the mail.

Final public comment:

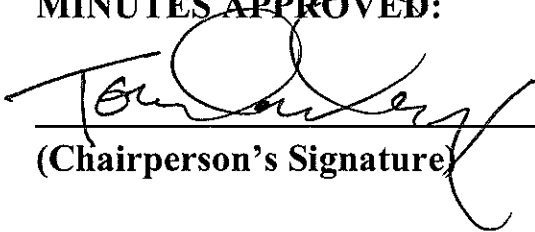
Tom C. provided update from last evening's KCAC Meeting specifically related to WA State Ferries and the Kitsap Transit fast ferry service.

Meeting was concluded at 1950.

Next meeting will be November 1, 2018 at 6:00 pm at the Suquamish Elementary School Library, 18950 Park Blvd NE, Suquamish.

Minutes submitted by: Recorder, Brian Albro

MINUTES APPROVED:



(Chairperson's Signature)

14 Nov 2018
(Date)