

GPNA General meeting minutes: April 2nd, 2013

Agenda approved

Minutes approved (?)

Claudia _____ from the NWNW coalition about the parking meters in Washington Park, Met with Josh Alpert who pushed through the meters and lied to them more than once about the process. There were no minutes taken at the meetings where these decisions were made. Rick Williams, consultant for Lloyd parking and Washington Park plus others is the one who recommended the meters. He always recommends meters. She believes that the meters will not be cost effective and will put Washington Park out of the reach to lower income people. They are reaching out to other neighborhoods.

Brian Cefola added: his recollection of the representation issue is that the parking management district at Washington Park had seats reserved only for government agencies and the two local neighborhoods. As a city icon it should have some representation from citizens living beyond the immediate area.

Some of the issues:

- citywide representation on these decisions
- an open and transparent process
- opposing the meters themselves

(voting unrecorded by minute taker Katie Davenport, who thinks the vote was agreed to the first 2 items but wanted more information on the 3rd item)

GNA with Jacksons is still in effect.

Lou Fredrick introduced bill to allow OLCC to enforce GNA. A provisions in draft bill assumed compliance- (Ken recommended (/) Compliance amendment) Renewal is defacto at this time (Ken recommended (?))

Elections:

- Communications-Brian Cefola (webmaster), Katie will continue to do the newsletter
- Secretary- Mary Cal Hanson
- Treasurer- none
- VP-Ron won't do it without a second VP or President
- President- none

Outstanding issue: getting neighbors involved. SGNA Broadway charrette need neighbors to participate 4/27/2013

Katy Asher announcement-?-NECN looking for a director.

Meeting adjourned.

Minutes provided by Kate Davenport (transcribed by Mary Cal Hanson)