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MEETING MINUTES
Monthly Board Meeting

Date: May 7, 2020

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: ZOOM meeting - virtual

Board Member Attendees: James Groves, Blair Taylor, Bernadette Kelly, Shane Sutherland, Nam Henderson, Lisa Zoeller, Ryan Hunter, Stephanie Ceccato, Heather Shockey, Tracey MacDermott, Sandy Robnett, Rick Medrick, Justin Petaccio, Melissa Davis, Jeanette Fedele, James Groves, and Lamone Noles

| Item No. | Discussion | Action Items/Responsibility |
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| 1 | Introductions – Board members only – no community attendees | |
| 2 | D2 Police Report – Officer Heidi Lewis Not in attendance with Zoom Meeting | Report any suspicious activity to District 2 at the non-emergency dispatch number: 720-913-2000. Reserve 9-1-1 for crimes in progress so that you are not tying up the line for real emergencies. Twitter: follow @DenverPolice No longer monitoring Next Door – use pocketgov.org to connect with D2 Police Officer Heidi Lewis |
| 3 | Ralph Nagel, Parkview Senior Residences on Fairfax On west side between 28 th and 29 th - location of Xcel sub-station and the repair garage/former Park Hill Cross Fit | |
| 4 | Community and Organization Update - Lana Cordes, GPHC Executive Director Cards sent to donors Food Pantry – comparing this year to last year – 2.5 times as last year, 2x unique household clients, Well supported at this time – doing fine; Garden – nothing has happened, Montview Presbyterian adopted garden and launching Victory Garden Events – still doing Garden in a Box Giveaway – 35 to 50 participants | |

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| | <p>Garden Walk – working on Commemorative Card idea 4th of July Parade – haven't called it yet Home Tour and Street Fair – coming up with ideas of how to still be a fund raising event Intersection Murals – two more murals, looking at doing in Fall, need 90 days for permitting, biggest hurdle is budge and social distancing, have offer of donation</p> | |
| 5 | <p>Nam – Shared Streets Initiative in response to COVID-19 UPDATE: From Nam's email sent June 15th</p> <p>In case you hadn't seen DOTI and Denver Streets Partnership announced a further expansion of this program in last week or so.</p> <p>https://denverstreetspartnership.dm.networkforgood.com/emails/647222</p> <p>https://denverite.com/2020/06/05/denver-will-close-some-streets-opening-them-to-more-walking-wheeling-biking-and-running/</p> <p>Given the above and the results from the survey we briefly discussed last time, I am hoping we can support a motion on reaching out to Denver Streets Partnership and DOTI about expanding in our neighborhood.</p> <p>If you are interested in reviewing the survey results yourself, the link below should work.</p> <p>https://www.surveymonkey.com/results/SM-W5HSK39F7/</p> <p>While I don't think it was necessarily representative one survey comment I did want to highlight referenced "white privilege" and in that vein I do think it is important to emphasize equity. Meaning at a minimum expansion must include multiple locations, in both North and South Park Hill. On the macro level, I've been thinking a lot about a recent CityLab editorial (link below).</p> <p>https://www.citylab.com/perspective/2020/06/open-streets-transportation-planning-urban-design-racism/612763/</p> <p>Finally and on a related note, you all might find the below presentation on these sorts of postCOVID19 open/shared streets programs of interest. It includes someone from DOTI and they specifically call out and show some mapping about their "equity" lens/weighting.</p> <p>https://nacto.org/event/slow-shared-safe-open-streets-coronavirus/</p> | |
| 6 | <p>Melissa Davis, Newspaper Updated Numbers are not great with COVID, Fairfax Liquors wants to do \$1,000 Grant</p> | |

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| | Liquor ads versus marijuana – not Federal law concern June issue – reached out to local high schools to honor graduates – graduating seniors can have ad in the paper for \$35, scholarships are available; did not get Facebook local journalism grant; | |
| | Blair – support City Council members in legislation for public vote of Mayoral appointed positions | |
| 7 | April minutes 13 yes, 4 abstain, 0 no | |

End of Minutes
Next Board Zoom Meeting – April 16th