

October 2013 Meeting Minutes

7:00 PM: Call to Order Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call Lorraine Blacklock absent, Warren has her proxy, Robert Morris absent, Chuck and Anne Meis absent

Review and Approve Agenda-with corrections, so done

7:10 PM: Public Comments (limit 10 min.) Bill Beck spoke on solid waste advisory committee in process of reviewing the solid waste plan to make sure it is headed in the correct direction. Three workshops have been held. Public should be aware that they have looked at 8 different plans and one common thread is that the Renton Transfer plant will be closed. The division is looking at other plans so that there will be other places for folks to take their waste. They do plan to provide some sort of alternate facility. Bill thinks that this would be a matter for area concern. If they close the Renton facility they need to present a valid alternative. It looks as though the decision might be made in November of this year.

Dave Fields reported that the Hicks/Rayburn Sheriff's Precinct will reopen in January.

7:20 PM: Landsburg Mine site, Jerome Cruz announced that the public comment period on the Landsburg Mine Site will be available between Oct. 11, 2013 and November 11, 2013. E reported that his group is looking for public comments on the issue. There will be a public meeting at TJH at 6:30 on October 24.

8:40 PM: Action items Bev Tonda reports that her attempts to contact the Sheriff's dept. were futile, and since there was no response to her attempts to contact Alan Painter also she recommends that sheriff's dept. and Alan Painter choose one representative from each CSA to serve on the Sheriff's council. Also she reported that there is an easement in perpetuity for folks to take advantage of parks in the Danville project.

Committee reports:

Executive Committee, Steve--by laws emergency action on boundary dispute between TSC/ESD Steve requested a motion to accept action of committee. Peter reported that ESD was trying to take land from TSD. (Todd testified on behalf of our council and Peter testified as an individual) The issue was decided in TSD's favor.

Growth Management, Peter--There are four issues into which the committee is currently involved. 1. Covington DEIS comments which we will receive soon and respond to with our comments); 2. Update of MV Comp Plan (work on key updates; 3. Donut Hole continues to be an issue. What can our obligations be? How does it affect our issues; 4. ReservSilica--it is a demo project which we have objected to. Need to find out current status.

Outreach, Survey, Election Rob--need to meet in October

Transportation, Susan--cmte is in two parts-GMVUAC business and other part to work w/4Creeks on overlapping issues. As yet no formal mtg on GMVUAC meetings except the Hiway 18 issue--Warren will speak about it's confusion created at interchange between 18 and Issaquah/Hobart Road. Warren has made suggestions to resolve issue. It is dangerous and accidents have happened. The issue will be brought up at the Trans mtg. Cmte has joint trans issue and as Dwight Dively suggested the issues be dealt legislatively. By joining w/4Creeks we will have more impact. Cmte has ongoing actions.

Flood Control/SWM, Warren--no mtg as yet members are getting familiar with issues. Cmte will meet this month.

16th Annual Train Show--Steve reported that there will be a full house of exhibitors on October 19 and 20. Ads will be in Voice/Reporter. It looks as though we will be paying for Gracie Hanson this year.

Steve attended a CRC mtg went on trip learning about new area on Cedar River working to facilitate salmon going up the Cedar.

Natural Resources/Parks--Les--Ravensdale, work party successful, money from Maple Valley. Gordon Moorman has been project manager. Ravensdale Park will be hydro seeded by end of October. Lake Retreat has had some issues with grass. The residents met with King County who had several reps. Lake has always been clear. This year the grass grew far more than normal and has released and had to be raked to get out of lake. Not sure what is causing the problem. Residents are working together to keep lake maintained as good as possible. Action items-meet about Landsburg mine and about Solid Waste.

Warren on code enforcement--warren attended a hearing where an individual had to sell his property to county. He was to move his stuff. The county said he couldn't move his equipment because it would be code enforcement violation. He was fined for code enforcement. Hearing examiner was heard to say he was most interested in fines to pay for expenses. Question was whether the effort was compliance of fines.

School Bond Issue--council had a spirited discussion of the bond. A motion to table discussion until next meeting was made. Seconded. Motion failed. No further discussion.

9:30: Adjourn