

NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL #5
Monday, February 17, 2020– 7:00 pm
Great Falls Clinic Specialty Center, 3000 15th Ave So

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by Chairman Eric Ray at 7:00 with the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL: Members Present: Terry Albrecht, Pat Bolton, Tom Kotynski, Eric Ray, and Marcia Anderson. There were 27 neighbors present.

NEW BUSINESS:

Mary Moe presented her resolutions to the City Commission and County Commission concerning the impact of the proposed Madison Food Park on the city of Great Falls. Because of the expense of studies, she is asking the City to seek alternative methods of completing environmental studies concerning the proposal, citing the Montana Environmental Protection Act. She is asking the County to cooperate and discuss the proposal with the City. She will present her resolutions and the March 3rd City Commission meeting. She is asking for our support.

Carol Bronson from Neighborworks reminded us that MApril 40th anniversary is this year. Several events are coming up: April 25 – Prescription Drug Take Back; a possible Shred Day; Recycling planning at the Library on April 29 at 6:00. Park clean-up sponsored by United Way will take place in April and May. She asks that we take pictures and count the volunteers that participate.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

There have been several break-ins on the 3400 block of 13th Ave So. There is an email that we can use to report traffic issues, loitering problems, petty theft, etc. There were concerns about the radio ad telling about the surveillance cameras. The program is voluntary and the police need the home owner's permission to view the footage.

OLD BUSINESS

Approve Minutes: The January minutes were read and approved on a motion by Tom and second by Terry.

NEXT MEETING – March 16.

Possible agenda items include: Library, Police Department Programs on locations of crime, Security Cameras, Alliance for Youth program at the former Victory Christian Church.

ADJOURN: The meeting was adjourned on a motion by Pat and second by Tom.

Respectfully submitted,
Marcia Anderson, Secretary