NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL #5

Monday, November 20, 2023 – 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 with the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL: Members present: Pat Bolton,, Eric Ray, Marcia Anderson and Zachary Bumgarner. Terry Albrecht was absent. There were 37 neighbors present, including Eric Boyd, Street and Traffic Manager.

NEW BUSINESS:

Eric Boyd, Street and Traffic Manager, presented the data he collected about the intersection of 32nd St and 11 Ave So. It involved a Traffic Volume Study, a Clear Vision Study and Sight Distance measurements. He said that something will be done to alleviate the congestion at the intersection after further study.

Howard Plouffe requested that something needs to be done about where the 45 mph speed limit traveling east on 10th Ave So and 39th St. He told of two fatalities he knows of at the intersection of 10th Ave So and 41st St. He said that City Motors advises their employees not to use the intersection to enter 10th Ave. So. It was also noted that traffic starts speeding up more than a block west of the speed limit sign.

The east-west pedestrian traffic signal at 38th St and 10th Ave So is not synchronized on both sides of the street. It counts from 10-0 on the south side, pauses for several seconds and then counts from 10-0 on the north side of the street.

OLD BUSINESS

Approve Minutes: The September and October minutes were read and approved on a motion by Pat and second by Zach.

OTHER BUSINESS:

Eric reported that he contacted the Clinic Administration about the use of the Conference Room for NC#5 meetings next year.

Lanni will contact the write-in candidates about serving on the council for the next term. Members of the council were asked to comment on their feelings about serving on the council and our accomplishments while serving.

NEXT MEETING – January 15, 2024

ADJOURN - The meeting was adjourned at on a motion by Pat and second by Marcia

Respectfully submitted, Marcia Anderson, Secretary