

NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL #5
Monday, March 18, 2024 – 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: Howard Plouffe, Tom Kotynski, Eric Ray, and Marcia Anderson. Dylan Lennox was absent. There were 28 neighbors present and three School Board Candidates present, Marlee Sunchild, Rodney Meyer, Tony Rosales.

NEW BUSINESS:

Emma Nelson, Community Engagement & Marketing Coordinator for Neighborworks gave a short presentation regarding spring cleanup and grants available for use in the community.

Each candidate gave background information and why they were running for office. Then, they answered questions concerning the charter school, low teacher salaries, teacher certification, teacher tenure, the cost of college degrees and possibly incentives to reduce payment of loans to attract teachers, and school safety, SRO's and arming teachers.

OLD BUSINESS:

Approve Minutes: The February minutes will be read at the April meeting.

NEXT MEETING – April 15 - Speakers from the Nursing School
May 20 - Information about the City Five Year Plan of Expansion.

ADJOURN - The meeting was adjourned at 8:30.

Respectfully submitted,
Marcia Anderson, Secretary