

NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL #5
Monday, April 21, 2014 – 7:00 pm
Great Falls Clinic Specialty Center, 3000 15th Ave So

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by Eric Ray with the pledge of allegiance at 7:00 pm

ROLL CALL: Members present: Eric Ray, Mac McFadden, Terry Albrecht, Gloria Bedker and Marcia Anderson along with 15 members.

NEW BUSINESS: Andrew Aafedt, our GFPD Volunteer Liaison introduced himself and described his duties in the warrants office. He notifies people of outstanding warrants and works with Officer Stevens. You may call him at 771-1180 to register a complaint or email him at andyaafedt@gmail.com. Bob Moretti of the GFPS school board gave a presentation on the mill levy request and urged everyone to vote for the levy. Jan Cahill and Mary Moe were also present to answer questions concerning the levy. Mary Sheehy Moe introduced herself as a Democratic candidate for Senate district 12. She supports: good jobs that support families; great public schools; affordable college pathways; a vibrant Great Falls economy. Call her at 406-868-9472.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Resident concerns, questions, comments

Great Falls apartments: (Talus Apartments) – no permit is given as yet. There will be a dust control policy. The Clinic expansion is in the presentation stage and will probably move quickly.

Weeds and garbage at Grandview and landscaping are still a concern.

OLD BUSINESS

Approve Minutes: the minutes were read by Marcia and approved as read on a motion by Gloria and second by Terry

Reports

Neighborhood watch: Signs have been installed on 32nd Street. Two watches still need to be completed. Mountain View is one still needed to be completed.

Police Advisory board: 190,000 911 calls have been made so far this year. 4216 requiring police service, 7800 arrests, 10 officer assaults, 25 resisting arrest, 514 sex offenders. 2494 volunteer hours have been served.

Russell Park: the contract for work on the path was awarded to GF Sand & Gravel. Work is scheduled to begin May 6th at 8:00. The city will pay any differences in cost from what money was raised. Gloria has contacted Paul Hogan about bike racks. There will be two of them, one by the gazebo and one by the tennis courts. The Little Library will be installed as soon as we pick a design. The connecting path to Grandview will not happen at this time.

OTHER BUSINESS:

A reminder of the meeting on April 28 with Council #4 concerning the retail development on the east end will be at Mountain View School at 7:00. A presentation by the developer will be given.

NEXT MEETING –The next meeting will be May 19th at 7:00 pm

ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 8:07 on a motion by Gloria and Second by Mac.

Respectfully submitted,
Marcia Anderson, Secretary