

**NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL #6 MEETING – Sunnyside School Library
April 4, 2018**

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Darrell Beauchamp, Julie Parker, Allison Tangen, Joseph Moll, Cherry Loney

Also attending were Patty Cadwell, Neil Fortier, Ruth Uecker, Bob Rosipal, Dan O’Fallon, Steve Galloway, Carlie Boland, three neighbors, and three students.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

OLD BUSINESS: By verbal ballot, minutes of the March 7, 2018 meeting were unanimously approved as amended.

Committee Reports:

Police Advisory: No report.

Commission Work Session: Darrell provided an overview of our update to the City Commission at their April 3 work session.

MApril Cleanup: The council decided to clean both Sunnyside and Verde Parks. Cherry will follow up with everyone to coordinate day/time and will also pick up supplies from NeighborWorks. Travis and Scharlie Loney, along with their children Grace and Casey have offered to clean from Marilyn Drive to 13th St. on Upper River Road.

Ice Cream Social: The council discussed whether or not to hold an ice cream social this year and if so, when is the best time to hold it. After considerable discussion about poor turnout over the past couple of years, increasing challenges with logistics/costs, and primary objective of the event, a motion was made and unanimously approved via verbal ballot to table till the May meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Rockcress Commons: Neil Fortier, NeighborWorks Great Falls provided a progress report on Rockcress Commons. Talcott Construction was awarded the bid for general contractor, financing will close in early May, and construction will commence shortly after that. They anticipate the first building done by the end of September. He also mentioned MedTech Park, a second development spearheaded by NeighborWorks, that will consist of 80 single family dwellings, 50 of which will be self-help (income limits apply) and the remaining 30 will be single level cottages (no income limits apply).

Great Falls Public Schools Levy: Ruth Uecker, Assistant Superintendent for K-6, provided an overview of the proposed school levy.

OTHER:

Sheriff Candidate, Lieutenant Bob Rosipal: Lieutenant gave an overview of his background/ experience and discussed his interest in becoming Cascade County Sheriff. He introduced Dan O’Fallon as his choice for Undersheriff if elected.

Steven Galloway, Republican Candidate for Senate District 12: Mr. Galloway provided an overview of himself and why he is running for state senate.

Carlie Boland, Democrat Candidate for Senate District 12: Ms. Boland provided an overview of herself and why she is running for state senate.

The meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cherry Loney, Secretary