

Humboldt Park Friends General

Meeting Notes. Meeting Date March 2, 2023

In Attendance Dani Graf, Patrick McSweeney, Laureen Strimel, Steve Lucia, Myron Thomsen, Ally Spaight, Maryanne Loppnow, Gary Hollander, Jane LaCapitaine, Richard Kling, Henry Szymanski.

Meeting Called to Order 7:00 pm

Previous Meeting Notes-Amendments

No changes noted. Approved

Treasurer's Report

See attached

Membership Report

A springtime membership campaign is being staged.

Park Concerns/Safety

Discussed measures installed by MCP along the park roadway and adjacent road. Concerns on speeding and inattentive drivers remain. Discussions continue with HPF Safety Committee to further review with MCP speed humps installations.

Noted that several residential roadway street lighting have been inoperable going on 2 weeks. Concerns on visibility of pedestrians expressed. Calls into City of Milwaukee made by Gary with no action to date.

Communications Committee

A survey requesting input from membership on future HPF engagements continues in process. Planning for the Lagoon Campaign Phase 1 Fund raising continues.

Funding sources, methods and approach to funding all HPF events and projects is a focus of the committee.

HPF sponsored Events

Easter Egg Hunt

Event date, March 25, 2023. Flyers are printed and being placed in several locations. Luke has agreed to sponsor the photograph activities for the event. Volunteers the day of the event are needed. A volunteer MCP release form will be posted on HPF webpage.

Spring Clean-up Day.

Event date, April 22, 2023. Material needs have been secured for the event. Permission slips available the day of. Kyle agreed to do bird walk. Cutting of cattails at the lagoon is planned by Patrick. Lions Club will be serving pancakes. Boy Scouts pack will attend. Jane will pursue if Girl Scout troop are interested.

Tree Day

Tree Day 2023 fall date not set. No added report

Jazz at the Vine

First date expected in May. A \$1,000 dollar donation from Gary Hollander was recognized.

Corn Roast

Date for 2023 pending BVN Chill events.

Tree Day 2023

Specific date not set.

HPF Project Updates

Lagoon Restoration Committee

Focus on HPF website update and Fund Raising strategies continues.

Jane met with MMSD, Patrick Elliot, getting helpful information on funding. Outreach to Bre Plier on possible funding for the lagoon restoration efforts in process.

A meeting of the committee to formalize an overall approach with MMSD was thought necessary. Patrick to schedule a meeting.

Discussed SSE outreach to the committee regarding possible make-up water source for the Lagoon. Patrick will respond to SSE rejecting the proposal.

100 for Humboldt

Jeff Gollner noted MCP nursery has 6-3" caliper Red Bud trees for the Lagrow memorial. Laureen contacted Lori regarding the proposed locations along the south Park which was accepted. Henry will continue interface with Jeff on schedule including informing Lori of installation dates.

Henry continues dialogue with Jeff to select spring plantings and MCP process for payment of the trees.

War Memorial

Sealant work discussed as best approach. This is a MCP project which HPF supports. Continued outreach to Vet groups in process.

Calendar-Humboldt Park

Nothing to add from last meeting

Trail Cam

Nothing new to report.

Pavilion Landscape

Henry noted forwarding the MCP PIP form to Luke to review and begin process to develop a plan.

Park People

No report

Trowbridge Outreach

Janes outreach to MMSD on Great Lakes program was forwarded to principle with hope for engagement

Inter/Org.

Annual Banquet and Fund raiser held February 19th. Myron noted the extent of groups and organizations that are included under this banner.

Old Business

Nothing to report

New Business

1. Board Officers Election meeting being set by Mike.

Meeting Adjourned 8:05 pm

March 02, 2023 NET INCOME PROFIT AND LOSS DETAIL APRIL – DECEMBER 2022

EXPENSED NOT RECORDED				
Egg Hunt Supplies -Laureen 2-23 \$201.03				
INCOME NOT RECORDED			less 8%	
Check from Luke & Bri Park 22 Reality – Easter	-	\$250.00	\$230.00	
Pay Pal Transfer 2-23		\$105.18	\$ 96.76	
		\$355.18	\$326.76	
Net Income:				
\$44,952.60 - 201.03	less expenses not recorded			
44,751.57 + 326.76	plus income not recorded			
45,078.33 -30,924.01	Tree Fund			
14,154.32 - 841.52	Lagoon Fund			
13,312.80 - 79.82 \$13,232.98	Memorial Fu General Fund			