



Held at the WJ Geery Theater located at 2130 L Street, 7 PM, (Diane Heinzer's Theater)

****Reminder that dues of \$10 is due and payable for the year this month.
Please bring them to the meeting on Monday.

FoCM Board:

Kevin Boll: President

Cliff Fisher: Vice President

Linda Barney: Treasurer

Jack Scurfield: Secretary

Sue Mortensen: Member at Large

1. Call to Order
 - a. Meeting was called to order at 7:06PM
 - b. Kevin introduced new and returning board members
2. Agenda review/amendments/approval
 - a. Agenda was moved by Roger and seconded by Sue. Agenda approved by all.
3. Minutes from January and February meeting/approval
 - a. Meeting minutes were approved by Ryan and seconded by Phil. Minutes approved by all.
4. Board of Directors Reports and introduction of New Board positions for ensuing term
 - a. Kevin disclosed the board members meetings and any brainstorming ideas to be discussed in the fundraising ideas
 - b. Sue discussed the membership list which was broken into two categories i.) current members paid and ii.) unpaid current friends of the group which we would encourage all to extend an invite to next meeting so we can continue to confirm the mailing lists etc.. Sue also discussed membership renewal timing and methods. We will be using a membership renewal form currently on our website.
5. Old Business
 - a. Sac PD Update, Lt Macaulay and Detective sergeant (10 Minutes)
 1. Lt. Macaulay introduced Sergeant Park as the upcoming Lieutenant of neighborhood crimes in our area.
 2. Sang Park introduced himself, detailed his experience with taking calls and reports and addressed burglaries and car thefts. Park reported on slightly higher than usual car thefts in the area and how to have efficient video cameras that can help investigations. Being able to distinguish faces with high resolution video is crucial to be of assistance in identifying someone. In regard to forensic evidence, Sergeant Park stated forensic evidence can take years to use in a case yet is still very helpful.
 3. Lt. Macaulay detailed car thefts are most often happening during storms given there are less people out to keep vigilant. Crime stats are overall down with very few reports.
 4. Diane reported seeing someone with their cell phone out and looking into several cars and Lieutenant confirmed that should be reported if seen. Matt asked what constitutes a 911 emergency call vs. a non-emergency. Lieutenant Macaulay emphasized it takes drastic efforts to constitute 911 abuse and to not be shy to call 911. If it is a non-



emergency they may transfer you to non-emergency lines but it is overall a judgement call to make.

5. Linda inquired on mailbox break ins and Sergeant Park stated that is under investigation and confirmed it to be a home crime.
- b. City Update, Mikayla Taylor (10 Minutes)
 1. Noise ordinance agenda will be here on the 21st of March
 2. Tree planting event upcoming with locations already confirmed and dates TBD. Volunteers needed.
 3. Mikayla offered up city assistance with any upcoming clean up efforts
 4. Ecos Earth day at southside park will be Sunday, April 23rd
 5. Sue inquired on the progress at Winn Park and the cultural center rehab is now pushed to 2024.
 6. Homelessness City & County plan is considered delay at this point and an ongoing effort.
- c. Matsui Alley Lighting Plan Update, Kevin (5 Minutes)
 1. Smud's most recent response came March 10, 2023 with some push back from SMUD on either alternatives proposed. Kevin would like to review their response further and discuss with board a plan of action. SMUD's response email will be circulated to FOCM members for review.
- d. Review of Midtown Neighborhood Meeting on ADU's, Kevin (5 Minutes)
 1. City of Sacramento ADU website is as follows: <https://adu.cityofsacramento.org>
- e. Discussion on Fundraising ideas??? (10 Minutes)
 1. Deferred to board & next meeting due time constraints
- f. Discussion of New Shirt creation and design (5 Minutes) Call for volunteer to organize?
 1. Motion to move to next meeting. All approved.
6. New Business
 - a. Discussion on implementing Walking Tour of the Neighborhood: Sue detailed the idea and will bring three options of next steps in the next meeting.
 - b. Discussion on Community Events, Stoop Events, etc. (April, June, August and October): Linda and Sue both agreed there should be an increase in communication of upcoming meetings between each one. Next invites to detail upcoming events, topics of discussion, etc.. Ryan proposed the next meeting to be a "bring a friend" meeting where all members invite a neighbor or friend to attend.
 - c. Linda shared the google membership form to be sent following the meeting
 - d. Linda presented one of our neighbor's accidents with a dog and recent medical + relocation struggles from the incident. The GoFundMe account to assist with medical costs was shared via email and is as follows: <https://gofund.me/af09658b>. Linda reported an account balance and current balance of the GoFundMe and proposed the Friends of Capitol Mansions group make a contribution to the GoFundMe in the amount of \$250. Seconded by Phil and Ryan. All approved and the donation will be confirmed next meeting.
 - e. Linda reported the D4 update included an offer for free mulch at the south village green at Land Park from 7AM to 3PM the next two weekends in March. Many downed trees repurposed!
 - f. Sue expressed Sacramento City School District Boards push for further efforts in support of the LGBTQ community within school systems. Further information on a letter to the board in support of this will be shared at a following time.



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g. Good of the Order called at 8:38 PM

Upcoming Events:

Preservation Commission Meeting: March 15th, 5:30-10:30 PM City Hall Council Chambers
Alley Clean-Up of Liestal Alley: March 25th 9:30 AM (gathering at Liestal and 22 Street)
April, Friends of Capitol Mansions Meeting: April 10th starting at 7PM