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Board of Directors Meeting Thursday, February 20, 2025 6:00pm-8:00pm Minutes

I.	6:00 – 6:25pm	Dinner
II.	6:25 – 6:28pm	Call To Order - Welcome 6:33pm
III.	6:28 – 6:30pm	Approve/Change Agenda As it stands
IV.	6:30 – 6:35pm	Meeting Minutes – Zoom recording In email
V.	6:35 – 6:45pm	Safety Meeting update

- 3rd Wednesdays
- Bill Magnuson MPD Community Crime Prevention Specialist gave presentation on low crime stats for Q4 of 2024
- "4th precinct has had the fewest part 1 crimes in the city for 2025 so far"
- Audua may call Tom Lyden reporter of Fox 9 to inform of progress
- VI. 6:45 7:10pm Presentation Minneapolis Climate Action
 - Keiko Miller, Director of Community Solar
 - MCA is now housed at 1200 Plymouth Ave N. (from over South)
 - MN Department of Commerce does Community Solar (2023)
 - Investors in Community Solar: Renewable Energy partners
 - Individual participants: Solar garden at North High, Xcel Energy customers can subscribe to the solar garden and get a credit for how much energy they used, lower income people have the highest credit rate; Participants save on energy bills!
 - Co-ownership model with neighborhood organizations through NRP funds: Jordan can use their allocated NRP funds to invest in new solar garden and then see a recurring unrestricted return for over 25 years in proportion to what we put in, also tax credits; coalition with other neighborhoods
 - NRP funds are usually spent on capital improvements
 - 500 kw lot = \$1 million total: MCA grants, bank loans, neighborhood orgs ~\$650 thousand
 - Jordan has ~.5 million in NRP funds; 5% annual return every year for 25 years, 160% return total over 25 years, (Keiko will send more detailed monetary information)

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- Action Steps: How much NRP funds to allocate?, Keiko will talk with Martine from NRCC; Audua will talk with Robert 2/21/25, then Audua will talk to board, Keiko's coworker Elena may come to March meeting for questions
- MCA will be a vendor at table at events this summer

VII. 7:10 – 7:30pm Financial Report

• Self-read; Robert will present on this at March meeting

VIII. 7:30 – 7:45pm JACC 2025 Community Events

- Encouraged to invite people
- Jordan's goal: Bring back Block Club Leaders purpose of MPD Block Leader Training
- Partners: Healthy Helpful Insight Healthcare Institute (HHIHI), Nonviolent Peace Force, Brothers EMpowered, Proverbs Christian Fellowship, Twin Cities Recovery Project
- IX. 7:45 7:55pm Executive Positions discussion
 - Have: Chair; Need: Co-chair, Treasurer, Secretary
 - Executive Director will find and develop board positions descriptions
- X. 8:00pm Adjourn *7:46pm*

In attendance:

Executive Director Audua Pugh, Office Administrator Aniya Spears BOD – Tina Blount

Guests – Keiko Miller: Director of Community Solar at Minneapolis Climate Action (MCA) keiko@mplsclimate.org; Ebony: potential board member, 1st meeting

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