Whiteaker Community Council

Subject	Board meeting
Day / Date	Dec 20, 2017
Planned Time	7pm-9pm
Room Info	Whiteaker School, Community Room
Attendees	Rebecca, James, Katie, Shelby, Cathy, (Anon), Brad, Sam, Thea, Stacey, Chris, Anika, JVan, Emily
Additional Information	Send updates and revisions to whiteakercommunitycouncil@gmail.com

What	Comments/Notes
1)	1. WCAT report
General	a. 13 metal poles; 5 portraits, 6 landscapes
Discussio	b. Weatherized, as consulted with other artists, using house paints
n	c. Graffiti coated
	d. Back side with names
	e. Mile Post ZERO - first bike path that went in, went into Whiteaker;
	First bike bridge is IN Whiteaker
	2. Health Committee (170 responses)
	a. Top 4 Concerns
	i. Drug Use/Needles
	ii. Lack of Mental Health
	iii. Public Safety
	iv. Environment
	b. Top 4 topics willing to give an hour
	i. Lack of Mental Health
	ii. Public Safety
	iii. Environment
	iv. Drug use/Needles
	c. Lane County Epidemiologist - very interested in results
	d. 50% have at least someone with chronic health issues
	e. Aging, being shelled in
	3. Sub-committee reports
	4. Scobert
	5. City Council Meetings
	a. Stacy and Thea met with Emily Semple and Claire Syrett
	b. CET Construction Excise Tax
	i. All on board for it - all but Mike are on board)
	ii. Suggest we write a letter to all City Council encouraging
	development of affordable housing - would be effective
	advocacy; BUT CAREFULLY WORDED; We don't want it to be
	permission to raze historic buildings and put up low income
	dives
	iii. Dispersal policy may be a problem - how do we word that?
	Jefferson Westside has been persistent about preserving
	historical nature of neighborhood; Semple and Syret have

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Wildt	verbiage
	iv. "Accessible" or "work force" housing
	v. Get defined: "follow Federal Affordable Housing guidelines"
	vi. Lane County website for income of neighborhood
	c. Opioid Crisis (aka "Arrest Drug Dealers!")
	i. Write letters using that language
	1. "This is different (new and worse) than the way it's
	been in the last few years"
	2. Has a direct impact on neighbors
	3. "We see the improvements based on the efforts of the
	task force"
	4. What has been helpful in the
	ii. Worked with Mental Health, EPD, Shelter Care/Community
	Court System
	iii. Whit ask to bring that kind of thing to our neighborhood
	iv. Rapid Drug Deployment Unit (RDU) used to work, could be re-
	instated
	v. Jon Ruiz (City Manager) letter with big support for Community
	Court program; helps not gum up the system, but the people
	Whit wants out of our neighborhood are not well suited for
	Community Court
	vi. Designated officer for Whiteaker's Parks system in January
	2018
	vii. Lot of new faces in Homeless Services; new Chief of Police;
	Good time
	viii. They have to hear from us directly and consistently
	d. James - Alan Zylenka
	e. Gadsby - Mike
	f. Brad - Greg
	6. Website
	a. Needs \$100 to transfer website to WordPress
	i. JVan Moved
	ii. Sam Seconded
	iii. Unanimous
	b. JVan has transferred all documents
	7. WolfPack - community is interested in Coop style property management
	team
	8. Yellow Mailer brainstorm
	a. Health Survey topics:
	i. Drug use/Needles (HIV Alliance)
	ii. Lack of Mental Health (Cahoots/White Bird)
	iii. Public Safety (Red Hats?)
	iv. Environment (Public Health/CERT)
	b. Topics
	c. Feb
	i. Drug use/Needles (HIV Alliance, Thea will contact Renee)
	ii. Prosecuting Drug Dealers (District attorney, Brad will contact)
	d. March
	i. Mental Health (Cahoots/White Bird, Anon will talk to Benja)

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	ii. Mental Health First Aid training (Anon will contact)
	iii. Crisis De-escalation Training in January (Anika will contact NAMI)
	e. April
	i. Public Safety (Rebecca's event; Whiteaker Security Team)ii. What would you like to see in the hood/Market?iii. Election
	f. Future - what do you want from the Market? Environment 9. Loan Policy - save this for next time
	a. This conversation should be shelved for future
	 b. Lawyer, David Atkins could be good resource for fielding small questions
	10. Scobert Park - (Talk more about this next time)
	a. Go to the meetings!
	b. WCC should have a "Board Position"
	c. Privatized portions?
2) Key	•
Decisions	
3) Action	Names, Action Item and Date Due
Items	

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