

Whiteaker Community Council

Subject	General meeting
Day / Date	April 10 th , 2019
Planned Time	7pm-9pm
Room Info	Whiteaker School, Community Room
Attendees	See Sign in Sheet- by request only
Additional Information	Send updates and revisions to whiteakercommunitycouncil@gmail.com

What	Comments/Notes
1) General Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Leslie Knoxen <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Overlay change; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Chambers to Lincoln, 4th and 5th <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simons has acquired a lot of property on those blocks; guess is that they are trying to build up high-rises • Seems as though there are trying to limit ability to elicit public input.\ • May 1st, atrium @5; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Will work on language to address this that is compelling to planning commission ○ Will post on Facebook <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Chris invited to board meeting • James Westfall <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Expressed confidence in board for being able to share message- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Same voice; but more recognizable • Harris Hall- Budget Meeting May 13th 530pm • Split flip Sunday @ Blair Alley to benefit WCAT <p>Elections::</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Officers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Chair <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Chris Gadsby <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Affirmed ○ Vice Chair <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ James Miller <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Affirmed ○ Treasurer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Katie Guske and Dennis Ramsey <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Katie—13 votes • Dennis—8 Votes

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Secretary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Anika Pass <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Affirmed ● At large: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Nominations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Dana Garden ▪ Thea Lee ▪ Tara Garkow ▪ Dennis Ramsey ▪ Brad Foster ▪ Anand HK ▪ Travis Kerr ▪ Eddie Berlett ▪ Ian Winbrock ▪ Lee Fouste ▪ Dan Mindek ▪ James Westfall ○ James Westfall with the least amount of votes <p>Lt. Carylon Mayson</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Police are citing people (\$150) for camping <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 1. If people cited for camping don't show up in court and pay their fine, it goes to collection and presumably ruins their credit rating (which makes it even harder for them to get housing and jobs if they ever recover to that point). ○ 2. (Perhaps because of #1), EPD is now experiencing campers who simply refuse to budge when asked to leave the right of way. EPD has no authority to move them and can only issue camping citations. - Once people are gone- re-beatify the area - Would more volunteers help? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Probably not, volunteers are not properly trained; would not ask volunteers to go out there - Largest groups of homeless <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Car campers are often families, millennials - Richard Guske <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Primary problem is available housing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Some new shelters are going in - To get housing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Go to 99 service station ○ Between 11-5? ○ Sign up to be on waitlist ○ Once you get in, can miss 1 night - Different campers may be more tolerable-

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Is there a way that people can let the “good campers” be outside their homes while getting rid of the “bad campers”? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Police is complaint driven ▪ Talk to people- Community policing - Surveillance towers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mobile- were at free speech plaza ○ Question of whether or not these actually help people - Some general consensus that locking people up (or citing them, or making them move) does not address root cause <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The police’s job is to not offer mental health triage - Foot patrols as an option <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Do not cite, but connect with resources
2) Key Decisions	
3) Action Items	