

OLD TOWN NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

Minutes of the Old Town Neighborhood Association Board Meeting Thursday, May 11, 2023

The meeting, held via Zoom, upon motion duly seconded, was called to order at 7:05 PM by the Chair and Acting Secretary, Betsy Wosko.

Attending the meeting were board members Corina, Jeannie, Carrie, Derrith, Bruce, and the undersigned. Other attending neighbors were Peggy, Phil, Tom, and Callene.

A motion to approve acceptance of the minutes of April 6, 2023, was duly seconded and unanimously approved.

The Treasurer's Report will be deferred until next month.

Discussion was held regarding the NEP grant. Various ideas were proposed, including improving the information sign on Leonard; having informational signs elsewhere; having the sign be a map; having the sign contain narrative, especially about our Native American history; using funds for a tennis club; and a party. Consensus was that it would be better not to rush a new sign and to request funds instead for a party. Motion was then held to improve the sign, which was denied by a 5-1 vote, with the undersigned the sole person opposed; and the decision was made to apply for the grant money for a social gathering, which we presume would be two or three hundred dollars, and perhaps for National Night Out on Aug 1, 2023.

Comments and announcements included the City Council's May 9, 2023 special council meeting with the decision to not place pickleball courts at Westlake, with ensuing discussion about the status of conversion of the Geo Rogers pickleball courts to tennis; Memorial Day event at the LO Veterans' Memorial in Foothills Park; a reminder to vote in the May 16 special election; and the city's invitation for applications for their 10 commissions and boards, due May 21. There is a lost cat in our neighborhood named Chang Chang. Fliers are up. Please keep an eye out and pray our feline neighbor will find her way home.

The June meeting will be in person at the iron workers' cottage, 40 Wilbur St., with a Zoom option.

Upon motion, duly seconded, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectively submitted by Betsy Wosko, Acting Secretary

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