

Cully Association of Neighbors General Meeting DRAFT Minutes
October 13, 2020 7-9pm Virtual Meeting

Board members in attendance: Josh Heumann, Mac McKinlay, Claire Alyea, Gregory Sotir, David Sweet, Isha Leinow, Annette Pronk, Stephanie Neely

Meeting comes to order at 7:03 pm with introductions from Josh Heumann, Chair. Land acknowledgement by Annette Pronk.

General Announcements: Cully NET team meets on 4th thursdays of the month, all invited to attend meetings. Bureau of Emergency Management Latino-specific training happening in October in Cully.

Wildfires, Earthquakes, Floods, High Winds w/ Jacleen Simons from American Red Cross

- Joined with first year nursing students who will also be presenting.
- Backup plan is necessary if roads can't be traversed or hospitals overwhelmed or affected by disaster. Be informed with NOAA radio cell phone could be unavailable, be prepared with an emergency kit.
- Cully possible to have fires, earthquake, flood, tsunami, tornado, wildfire, extreme heat, thunderstorm, landslide, winter storms, and volcano threats.
- Earthquakes: 10x difference between 1.0 vs 2.0 vs 3.0, etc
 - epicenter - place where the movement starts, aftershocks - happen after a larger earthquake (could be a foreshock of a bigger earthquake), foreshocks - earthquake/tremors before the main earthquake.
 - Cascadia Subduction Zone could be months-years to restore sewer, water, electricity, gas
 - if outdoors: watch for falling rocks, landslides, avalanches. if driving: avoid bridges, underpasses, powerlines. expect aftershocks, landslides.
 - take photos of damage and repair receipts for insurance purposes.
 - preparation: learn how to turn off the main gas line, secure water heaters, gas appliances, furniture that can fall. consider earthquake insurance.
- Make a plan ahead of time with your household because communication may not be possible after the earthquake. Plan a place to stay, shelters will likely not accept pets.
- Keep a Go Bag - mobile in case needed for quick evacuation. Supplies for each member of the household, customized based on health needs, pets, stress relief items (books, cards, etc).
 - Keep a mini kit in car : flashlight, first aid, food, water, walking shoes, extra clothes, etc.
- Red cross Safe and Well - Can register yourself after a disaster so people can account for you.
- Red Cross Emergency app and First Aid app
- Email preparedness@redcross.org

Board Reports

CAN Chair (Josh Heumann): Elections will be held later this year. Secretary, Treasurer positions open. Stephanie and Claire available to help train new board members on their roles.

Announcements: Take it or Leave it (42nd ave next to Bloom)

Michael Heumann: Owens-Brockway Glass Plant is more toxic/hazardous than previously understood. DEQ measured only one thing previously but now more is known about pollutants. Want to reapproach the glass plant to make changes to their pollution control.

Secretary Report: One spelling change was made to September's minutes. Claire will be stepping down from the board but is happy to train the next secretary.

Treasurer Report: Stephanie will help train any new treasurer to keep books through Zoho (digital app). She can answer any questions and streamline the transition. Through end of September: \$2,930.00 Income, \$643.07 Expenses FYTD, \$23,638.81 Balance (all FYTD)

→ **Vote: Josh Heumann motions to accept treasurer's report.** All in favor, none opposed, none abstained. Treasurer's report approved.

CNN (Claire Alyea): Claire has stepped down from the CNN board, there is an open seat for Cully on the CNN board available. Interested candidates can email cullyneighbors@gmail.com

CAAT (Gregory Sotir): Working with Greg Briget (Earth Justice, Environmental Working Group) on Owens-Brockway. More information the worse it seems. Company that owns the property that NW Metals as on also wants them to leave. DEQ will drill down to Troutdale Aquifer (beneath us) to find if pollutants ended up in water supply. NW Metals is moving to St. Johns, Greg is notifying new neighbors about how to help regulate them. NW Metals never had a real permit before, so DEQ will be requiring much more strict pollution regulations to obtain proper permits at the new site.

Delta/Plus

Plus: Relevant topic given recent disasters and upcoming Great Oregon Shakeout Earthquake drill, Informative, Friendly meeting, parking super easy, Greg's report was great

Delta: Turn off video if you have low bandwidth to make your voice come through more clearly, interested in how to make presentations more interactive with polling, etc.

Adjournment

Josh Heumann moves to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned at 8:36pm.

Minutes submitted by Claire Alyea, CAN Secretary.