

Downtown Neighborhoods Association



May Board Meeting

When Wed, May 04 2022 at 11:45 AM

Location: The Franz, 1716 Central Ave SW, Albuquerque, NM 87104, USA

Chairperson J.J. Mancini

Minute taker Trudi Wieduwilt

Present J.J. Mancini , Beverly Salas (Vice Chair, Home Tour) , Danny Senn (Chair), Trudi Wieduwilt (Secretary)

Minutes

1. Review & Approval of Agenda

We have a quorum with JJ Mancini, Rowan Wymark, Danny Senn, Beverly Salas, Jeremy Widner, and Trudi Wieduwilt. Peter with DAN is here as well as John Sais as well.

Beverly motions to approve agenda, Rowan seconded.

2. IDO Updates for 2022

We get notified because of these IDO's.

We discussed the safe spaces and how they may impact the DNA. Peter said no decisions at the city as to specific safe spaces. Jeremy and John talked about restorative supports for unhoused. At this time, DNA may be impacted ,but this may not be the place to solve these problems.

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Tasks

- ✓ Get Bev homeless encampment number to report homeless encampments in Bosque
Assignee: Rowan Wymark
Due date: Wed, Jun 01 2022

3. Central ABQ - Community Planning Area

Good idea to have a one page to add to the long range plan. Rowan and Danny said they would attend the May 19th meeting and report back. Survey links are on the city website. Link to neighborhood

Trudi motioned Danny and Rowan report back to us at the June meeting. Seconded by JJ

The link to the beautiful maps and data from the Community Planning Area can be found here:

<https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/381a8790d973464a831c7a2feea9b431>

 [Central_ABQ_Meeting.pdf](#)

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4. Projects for 2022

Block parties - JJ mentioned a city council person had a block party and did not go through process. Bev offered to chair and start gathering neighboring blocks to build community. Small enough where no portapotties no food permit.

JJ moved to formally create the Creating Community Committee, Seconded by Rowan

Block party committee: Bev Chair, Jeremy, Trudi, John volunteered to be on committee

Rowan brought up possibilities of stickers for trash cans for neighbors to allow dog bags of poop to put in trash cans. Something like "Community Trash Welcome".

JJ said he would create the sticker

John brought up speed on Lomas. Speed cameras are out. It is possible to have DNA formally ask to do a traffic study. Keep the idea on the table and see how the speed cameras will work. Circle back to this one July or August.

Danny brought up Soldiers and Sailors park. Can it be refreshed?

- Ike has set aside money (\$1 million every year) - lighting, refresh fountain, tree trimming would be an easier ask rather than construction of some kind

Father's Day garden tour for 2023 RESEARCH and Fact finding

- How do we select homes for home tour and duplicate that for the garden tour

- charge admission maybe \$15

- keep tour area as contained as we can for logistics for walking so no trolleys or buses

- docents would still be necessary

Art installations - if there is a piece by local artist we think would add beauty we could put some money in, have Ike add some of his set aside, have the city match - Joe Sachett local on Fruit, Danny to present at next meeting, JJ wondered if we could use the sculptures from the Art museum rotation when they rotate their sculptures and have them take their crane and bring one to one of our parks!

Bev had the idea to tour Joe's RV sculpture garden.

Outreach@abqdna.com if anyone in our neighbors need help. Jeremy said that is what he is here for.

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5. Discuss Future Meeting Locations

John said Copper and 6th Immaculate Conception basement might be a possibility.

This location at Franz is in our neighbor, neighborhood association. Easy to get to even if it isn't in our DNA.

JJ motions we met here for June, July, Sept. Rowan seconded.

Decision

Approved

End of minutes.

Summary of matters arising are tabled on the following page.

Minutes of May Board Meeting on Wed, May 04 2022

Summary of Matters Arising

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