

Southgate Triangle Neighborhood Council Leadership Team Meeting Minutes

Date: May 8, 2019

Time: 7:00 PM

Location: Southgate Mall Community Room

2901 Brooks St.

Missoula, MT 59801

Present: Mark Foss, Larry Cron, Hans Christiansen, Bob Martin, Jane Kelly and Andrew Boughan

1. Introductions & welcome new leadership team members—Mary and Cindy were not present. Andrew Boughan was introduced to the team.
2. The meeting minutes of [March 13, 2019](#) Leadership Team and [April 10, 2019](#) General meeting were approved as posted.
3. Andrew Boughan, Development Services gave a presentation on the Grant Street Rezone and the method to protest a rezoning.
4. Review Leadership Team roles – tabled
5. Hans Christiansen gave the Treasurer’s Report.
6. Midtown Association discussion about joining the association. After consulting with the City Attorney, Jane reported that it would not be allowed by resolution to spend Neighborhood Council funds on dues. Members were told they could join as individuals if they wanted to.
7. Bob Martin reported that Bellevue Park has 2 new picnic tables and the Bike Skills Park is not finished yet.
8. Mark Foss reported that he has called Donna Gaukler about the Boyd Park Portalet schedule and has not received a call back. Jane reported that they only have budget for 3 months and the most used months are June, July and August. Neighborhood Council funds cannot be used and neither can a grant be used to rent extra month(s).
9. Jane Kelly reported that there will be a Traffic Circle Volunteer Day with education about waterwise plants. There will be food and plants will be given away.
10. Bob Martin reported on the need for a North Ave. bicycle traffic light. Jane will contact Traffic Services and tell them of the need for traffic control at the intersection of North and the bike trail. There have been numerous near misses there. The intersection appears to be in URD 3.
11. Bob Martin asked everyone to be on the lookout for potholes and report them. He also reported that the yield signs at 34th and Schilling have been installed.
12. Large and Small Grants
 - a. Jane will inquire about the Southgate Triangle traffic signal box art status.

b. The team discussed writing grants for Bellevue Park.

13. This item was deleted: Report on April 10th general meeting to City Council – Jane Kelly

14. Public comment on non-agenda items—none

15. Jane Kelly gave the Community Forum report.

16. Jane Kelly gave the Office of Neighborhoods Report.

17. No announcements.

**What is Important to Southgate Triangle Neighbors?
(Tiered by importance)**

- Mutt Mitt Stations needed at 39th Street and the North end of Paxson near 36th Street
- Development of Bellevue Park
- Snow removal in Bellecrest area
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- Repave 34th Street
- Crosswalk needed at Ernest and Russell (tie)
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- Spray weeds in Bellevue Park (tie)
- Repave 36th and Bellecrest (tie)
- Sidewalk gaps need to be filled in (tie)
- Construction in Neighborhood Council causes noise pollution (tie)
- Trees overhanging streets need to be trimmed (tie)

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