

University District Neighborhood LT Meeting
Meeting Minutes

Date and Time: October 13, 2015, 6:30 PM

Location: Lewis and Clark Villages Community Room
3000 S. Higgins
Missoula, MT 59801

Leadership Team Attendees: Dave Chrismon, Jerry Ballas, Jeff Birkby

Other Attendees: Katherine Auge, ASUM Off-Campus Rental Center Director, Jane Kelly, Neighborhood Coordinator, Stephanie Kolb, Neighborhood Work Study

- a. Welcome
- b. Approval of Minutes – Jerry moves to approve, Jeff – Second. Passed unanimously.
- c. Correspondence – Resignation letters from Luke Carlson and David Kelly
- d. Public Comment on Non- Agenda Items – none
- e. UM Neighborhood Ambassadors Update – Katherine Auge provides an update on upcoming events such as Boo Bags and a Halloween event providing glow sticks and safety tips to attendees. The program has been having success with the Sunday sweepers and the furniture sale that took place in the spring.
- f. Office of Neighborhoods Report – Jane Kelly, Neighborhood Coordinator, provided an update on the success of all the Candidates Forums. She provided the neighborhood information on all upcoming events: the neighborhood large grant deadline has been extended to October 27, 2015, Community Forum in November and December are a week early with the annual Holiday Party during Community Forum in December , and Stories and Stones is October 25th with volunteers still needed.
- g. Community Forum Report – Dave Chrismon provides a report from Community Forum on September 24th. Presentations from Laval Means on the Growth policy and Mark Thane on the school bonds going to election. Also, strategic planning is still ongoing with a final feedback questionnaire being sent out this week. All Community Forums can be watched on MCAT.
- h. Activities on UM Campus Affecting South Ave. Part of Neighborhood – Jerry Ballas gave a report on the parking issue on South Ave which is resulting in a dangerous situation for buses, bikers and pedestrians. Planning on bringing issue to City Council.
- i. Next General Meeting Planning – Date set for November 10, 2015. Agenda as follows:
 - a. 6 p.m. - Bridge Pizza and Welcome
 - b. 6:15 - Public Comment on Non- Agenda Items
 - c. 6:20 - Jane Kelly, Office of Neighborhoods Report and Elections Announcement
 - d. 6:30 - Katherine Auge, ASUM Neighborhood Ambassadors Introduction
 - e. 6:40 - Presentation – South Ave. Parking Problem – Jerry Ballas
 - f. 7:00 - Presentation – Missoula College impact on University District – Dave Chrismon

- g. 7:20 -Presentation – Urban Forester, the storm damage and neighborhoods tree committees – Jeff Birkby
- h. 7:40 – Elections, Jane Kelly
- i. 7:50 – Introduce new council members – 2 new members
- j. 8:00 – Q & A with council members
- j. Spring 2016 Agenda items – Presentation from Rebecca Connors on the 2016 Presidential election process and Ben Weiss on the Greenways project
- k. Next Leadership Team Meeting Planning – Tabled
- l. 8:30 Adjournment