



Kingston Citizens Advisory Council (KCAC)

Meeting Minutes

June 9, 2021

Notes taken by: Jessica Jetter & Beth Berglund

Because of the coronavirus pandemic, this meeting was held using Zoom Video Conferencing.

PROGRAM:

- Kitsap PUD presentation by Allison Cotner and Angela Bennink regarding Community Broadband. See the slides used for their presentation [here](#).
 - TestIT App for testing your current speed
 - WA State Broadband Office speed test:
<https://www.commerce.wa.gov/building-infrastructure/washington-statewide-broadband-act/speedtestsurvey/>
- Kitsap County Public Works , Road Division's presentation regarding 2021 Transportation Impact Fee Study by Jeff Shea, Traffic Engineer.
 - These are the fees for each new vehicle trip they put on our roads that are charged to developers. They can only be used for road improvement projects.

Present: Beth Berglund (co-chair), Jessica Jetter (co-chair), Alena Wolotira, Radim Dedek, Noah Williams, Chris Gilbreath, Glenn Malin, Breane Martinez, Steve Heacock, Debi Tanner (Village Green)

Excused Absence: Annie Perry, Emily Ramirez, Jenn Leach, Sonja Roberts

Absent: Jeromy Sullivan, Nicholas Laurion

Also present: Jennifer Haro, Rebecca Pirtle, Commissioner Gelder, Allison Cotner, Maureen Kwolek, Jim Sterns, Ace Haynes, Angela Bennink, John Grant, Debra Lester, Andrew Nelson, Andrew Horton, Dennis Flanders, Jeff Shea, John Hays, Mark Libby, Brent Short, Evan Stoll, Jennie Hoffman, Nancy Martin

Quorum: Yes

Co-Chairperson Jetter called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.

Initial Public Comments:

- Village Green Artist Reception for Rick Eveleth on Sunday June 13 @ 4pm with wine reception to follow at D'Vine Wines. Proceeds shared between VG and Kiwanis.

Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes:

Minutes from the May meeting have been circulated to Council members via KCAC email. Chairperson Berglund asked if anyone had any amendments. Chris Gilbreath motioned to approve, Jessica Jetter seconded. All ayes. June minutes are approved.

Reports



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Council Announcements:

- Note: Recognition of Emily Ramirez at August meeting and request for new KHS member.

Organization Reports:

- Rotary (Chris Gilbreath) - Golf Tournament Friday June 18
- Kiwanis (Glenn Malin) - Blueberry sales ongoing, Sunday artist reception at VG with wine at d'Vine wines afterwards with Rick Eveleth.
- NKSD (Breane Martinez) - KHS graduation is on Saturday. Last day of school in June 16th. The Fall plan is to be in person full time for Fall 2021 school year.

Committee Reports:

- KPTOS (Mark Libby) - Motorized vehicle complaints on connector trails (working on solutions)
- Community Services - Welcoming Resolution draft has been prepared. Will be circulated to KCAC members shortly with the plan to discuss/vote in August. An updated and laminated Sally's List is being posted in various locations. Link to Sally's List: <https://www.kitsapgov.com/hs/HOUSINGBLOCK/KITSAP%20RESOURCEgdSUMMER%202021.pdf>

Neighborhood Reports:

- None

Special Orders & Unfinished Business:

- None

New Business:

- Kitsap PUD Free High-speed Internet Drive-Up Wi-Fi Sites. Link: <https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/668284c6ef954de795a8b2bcad973afb/>
- Emergency Broadband Benefits Program. Link: <https://www.fcc.gov/broadbandbenefit>
- 4th of July Celebration (Tony Clark) - includes parade, music festival, and fireworks show. Pending Governor following thru on anticipated COVID phase and related details. They are looking for a Parade Coordinator. The details are on the webpage. <http://www.kingston4thofjuly.com>
- Andrew Nelson updated the Council on the Washington Blvd project. There will be a public meeting June 29th at 6PM.
- Kingston Conversation (Jessica Jetter) - Chris moved that KCAC serve as a co-sponsor of this event. Alena seconded. All ayes. Motion passed.



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- Community Services requests reserving the September Guest Presenter Schedule for KPHD presentation regarding racism as a public health issue.

Closing Items:

- Remaining Public Comments (same restrictions).
 - Tisdell: asked about the process for commenting about the impact fees. Commissioner Gelder responded.
 - Ace Haynes: made a request for Commissioner Gelder regarding a stormwater issue of interest to the NK Heritage Park Stewardship Group. Also commented that the flat impact fee approach is a policy concern. It encourages the building of large and expensive homes and is therefore a regressive fee that reduces affordable housing.
- Upcoming meetings
 - No July meeting
 - Wednesday, August 11th; Kitsap DCD on zoning use table updates

Adjourn: Meeting was adjourned by co-chair Berglund at 7:52 PM.