

Minutes
Public Forum
October 22, 2013

Present: Mayor Kenneth F. Neilson, Councilmen Bill Hudson, Thad Seegmiller, Kress Staheli, Ronald Truman, Jeff Turek, Deputy Recorder Tara Pentz, Audience: Dennis Gibson, William Riesbeck, Daylene Ure

Meeting commenced at 6:03 P.M.

1. Comments from the Public.

Dennis Gibson reviewed the noticing for Creekside Townhomes. He was informed by some of the property owners in the area that they did not receive notifications. He has tried to figure out how the City determines who is notified for public hearings, but he does not understand from the information he has received. He was given a list of the labels from Community Development by many of them have crosses through them.

Councilman Seegmiller stated he is not sure how noticing is done. However, there were no other complaints aside from Leo Tobler not getting noticed. He is not sure what the crosses on the labels mean, but he would talk to Community Development.

Councilman Hudson stated he would get with Drew Ellerman tomorrow, and then come talk with Mr. Gibson.

Mr. Gibson stated a couple of months ago he received a letter about weeds. He came to the City, where the Leisure Services and Public Works Departments were notified. The Parks Department has since come and cleaned up the weeds in the trailhead area. However, there are still a lot of weeds along the roads, which is in the right-of-way, and he should not be receiving letters from Code Compliance for City issues.

Councilman Hudson stated they would speak with the Public Works Department.

Mr. Gibson stated there is a huge issue with cats in the park and on the trailhead area. There 20 to 30 cats, and more people keep dropping them off.

Mayor Neilson stated he has seen people come feed them.

Councilman Hudson stated Animal Control definitely needs to be contacted.

Mr. Gibson stated he would like to have some type of wall installed on the boundary of the trail head.

Mayor Neilson asked how tall of a wall would need to be placed.

Mr. Gibson stated if the City would do a 4 foot wall, he would build on top of it.

Mayor Neilson stated he would talk with Dennis Bailey in Animal Control about the cats.

Mr. Gibson explained an existing issue with the money being owed to him by the Public Works Department in the amount of \$750.

Mayor Neilson stated he would talk with Mike Shaw about the credit and weeds, as well as Animal Control about the cat problem.

Councilman Hudson made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Seegmiller seconded the motion; which passed with the following roll call vote:

<i>Councilman Hudson</i>	<i>Aye</i>
<i>Councilman Seegmiller</i>	<i>Aye</i>
<i>Councilman Staheli</i>	<i>Aye</i>
<i>Councilman Truman</i>	<i>Aye</i>
<i>Councilman Turek</i>	<i>Aye</i>

Meeting adjourned at 6:14 P.M.

Passed and approved this 13th day of November 2013.

Attest by:


Danice B. Bulloch, CMC
City Recorder



Washington City


Kenneth F. Neilson, Mayor

