

Minutes of Mid-Lakewood Civic Association Board Meeting
March 10, 2021

Meeting began at 7:05 pm

Attending

Robert Baker, President
Carol Cook, Secretary
Chris Gibbons
John Hunter, Treasurer
Jeslin Shahrezaei, Vice-President
Matt Teeuwen

Absent

Catherine Deschamps-Potter

Treasurer's Report

John met with Jeff Yeager, our former treasurer; they went to the bank to change account signers and the statement mailing address. Jeff gave John the checkbook and the key to the electrical box in Meadowlark Park. John has not yet had a chance to check the dropbox. John and Jeslin will work together to access our PayPal account. John reported that as of 2/26/2021, our bank balance was \$2,873.39.

Contact Reporting to City

Carol confirmed she completed and submitted the Community Organization Re-Registration Form for 2021 to the City of Lakewood. This form includes the names and emails for the officers and for the contact person (Carol).

Communication Plan for the Zoning Issue 2nd Reading

The 2nd Reading to restore the Student Living Definition in the zoning ordinance is scheduled for the March 22 City Council meeting. Before tonight's board meeting, Robert emailed board members a draft of a communication that could be sent to our email list, to city councilors, and posted on Nextdoor.

Matt will edit Robert's draft incorporating Jeslin's emailed comments plus comments made tonight.

It was decided we would NOT produce a paper flyer to distribute to the neighborhood. We will rely on electronic and word-of-mouth communication to alert neighbors of the need to comment about this issue to city council.

Our regular newsletter will go out next month.

Upcoming Events

March 22, 7 PM — City Council meeting (virtual)

March 27, noon-2 PM — Seed Swap hosted by South of 6th Sustainable Neighborhood; at Meadowlark Park Pavilion; masks required. Seed donations are encouraged but not required; drop off seeds at the box at 135 Everett St.

April 3, 9:30-11 AM — Ward 1 Meeting (virtual)

April 7, 7 PM — MLCA BOD Meeting; Jeslin will send Zoom invite.

Meeting adjourned at 8:02 PM

Submitted by Carol Cook.