

Monthly Meeting Minutes
Wasatch Hollow Community Council
Anderson-Foothill Library, 7:00 PM
Wednesday, October 28, 2015

Attendance: 23 (Board members: Michael, Mel, Laurie, Brad, Marilyn)

Welcome - Michael Dodd - WHCC Chair

- Approved minutes of last meeting

City Council report - Charlie Luke – City Councilmember, District 6

- Starting to see movement on Wasatch Hollow Preserve project
- Transients encroaching on neighborhood. Bike patrols in parks. Response time is improving.
- Q&A
 - Three new off-leash dog areas include Rotary Glen (by zoo) in District 6. Time restriction pilots contemplated - Wasatch Hollow Park under consideration. Make sure that you and others follow the rules.
 - Vote by mail by Monday for city officers. Official canvas will be done two weeks after election day.
 - Ballots not received by some post office box owners. Charlie to ask election staff to look into it.

Fire Department report – Derek Tolman, Station 10, Fire Department

- Check fire smoke alarms and carbon monoxide detectors; replace if over ten years old. Have smoke detectors near bedrooms.
- Raised \$10K in chili cookoff for children's burn center.
- Promoting diversity in hiring. Refer friends.
- Medical Division received award as best city in US if have cardiac arrest (Chief Dan Walker)

Detective Josh Smith – Community Intelligence Unit, District 6

- Halloween safety tips
 - Turn on house lights
 - Park off street
 - Slow down
 - Be aware of suspicious people
- Halloween Fest, Friday, October 30th, 475 S 300 E.
- Burglaries in Wasatch Hollow
 - 1 forced entry out of 4 burglaries
 - Get hold of neighbors if you see open garage door
 - Beware of strangers in neighborhood
- Transient watch
 - Police are going into ravines looking for camps
 - Call police if you see transient camps.

State Legislature report – Brian King, Representative, District 28

- Medicaid expansion: disappointed with little progress.
- Count My Vote: Will see more action. Federal Judge to rule against open primary section of SB 254. Whole question will be reopened.
- GOP wants to move filing deadline for 2016 elections to early January to enable early identification of opponents. Brian is opposed.
- Contacts: briansking@le.utah.gov; 801-560-0769 (cell)

Oral History Project - Mel Thatcher, WHCC Secretary

- 5 interviewers
- New topics: formation of Wasatch Hollow Park; Wasatch Hollow Community Council; Edgehill gym rats.
- Need informants east of the Gully; please refer to Mel.

Community Events & Issues – Michael Dodd, Chair

- WHCC Annual Winter Social Potluck
 - Wednesday, December 9, at 7:00 PM
 - The 15th Street Gallery (1519 S 1500 E)
 - Volunteers appreciated to help pass out fliers
 - Coordinate with Michael Dodd
- Wasatch Hollow Preserve Update – Construction Starting!
 - Fencing off heavy equipment areas for safety
 - Have funds for bridge
 - Spring recovery
 - Plan to work until snow prevents it.
- Signature Event Fund Application – Submitted
 - First annual HollowFest at Wasatch Hollow Park
 - Food, activities and entertainment for adults and children
 - Target date: September 17th.
- Other community concerns not on the agenda
 - Getting more signs out to advertise council meetings
 - Printing flyer for December social
 - Changing monthly mailer to newsletter format

Next Meeting – Wednesday, January 27, 2016

Closing Remarks – Michael Dodd

Adjourn