
COLLISTER NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

Meeting Minutes

April 29, 2009

Meeting was held at United Collister Methodist Church, 4444 Taft, Boise at 7 p.m.

Present: See sign-in sheet.

Welcome and Announcements

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August, 7 2009 Collister Library

--Presentation on water-wise landscaping by Stephanie Raddatz, of United Water.

Customers of United Water can get a Free conservation kit, just pick one up at their office on Victory RD. Kit includes Rain Sensor, Sprinkler Timer, and Hose Adaptor/Sprayer. Free E-billing Now Available, enroll at: www.unitedwater/idaho or call the office at (208) 362-7304. Stphaine also spoke about water efficient landscaping and incorporating xeriscaping. Look for announcements about landscaping classes sponsored by the City of Boise & the Library which will be held in February. It's a 6 week series of classes taught by experts. For more information, see the United Water website.

--POSSIBLE CLOSURE OF COLLISTER POST OFFICE--CONTACT YOUR

CONGRESSMEN! Troy, vicepresident of the local American Postal Members Union, offers help in maintaining operation of the Collister branch post office. Members are encouraged to contact their congressmen. A letter has been sent by the CNA board to the Postmaster & Congressman.

--POSSIBLE BOUNDARY CHANGE FOR COLLISTER NEIGHBORHOOD Veterans Park Neighborhood Association asked that CNA would adopt the northwest triangle area of their neighborhood. We will wait for further information. Question what the process is with the city?

--UPDATES ON PROPOSED PLANO LANE DEVELOPMENT, OREGON TRAIL MONUMENTS, GRANT IDEAS FOR THIS YEAR

Plano Lane development: Application has been changed, more homes on the back instead of the front ridge. Planning and zoning hearing is Sept. 21.

Oregon Trail monuments: 36th & Hill is under construction, and draft signage was reviewed.

Grant ideas for next year:

- Grant for 2nd monument at Hill and Pierce Park
- Repair, replace CNA signs.

- Sidewalk repair, build sidewalks on Collister from Bloom St. to Catalpa, adding to the ACHD project.
- Open irrigation ditch on Ellens Fairy.
- Streelights on Yorgason.

CYCLING SAFETY TASK FORCE- OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, Aug. 27, 6 to 8 p.m., City Hall West Sawtooth Room (333 N. Sailfish Place, off Emerald between Maple Grove and Five Mile roads)

A multi-agency committee is seeking public comment on 24 draft recommendations intended to improve safety for bicycle riders on Boise's streets.

The 10-member Boise Cycling Safety Task Force was formed by Mayor David H. Bieter with support from the Boise City Council in the wake of three tragic cycling deaths earlier this summer. The panel, chaired by Boise Police Deputy Chief Jim Kerns and with representatives from several city departments, the Ada County Highway District and Idaho Transportation Department, developed its draft recommendations with the assistance of three dozen citizens representing cyclists, motorists and public safety advocates.

A copy of the recommendations is

<http://www.cityofboise.org/Departments/Mayor/PDF/BoiseCyclingSafetyTaskForceRecommendations%28draft%29.pdf> available online. Comments are also being accepted at SafeCycling@cityofboise.org After gathering public feedback, the task force will forward its final recommendations to Mayor Bieter and the city council in September.