

Lewis and Clark Neighborhood Council-Bancroft Ponds Steering Committee Agenda

Date: February 20, 2019

Time: 4:00 pm

Location: Lewis and Clark Village Community Room

3000 S Higgins Ave Missoula, MT 59802

1. Welcome and Introductions

2. Approve [January 16, 2019](#) meeting minutes

4. Re-scoping small grant - Colleen Biehl

5. Review March 6 General Meeting - Dave Westfall,

- Meeting held at L&C Villages from 6-8pm
- Bridge Pizza and water provided
- Ben Weiss to speak on neighborhood Traffic Issues
 - * Jeff Miller will show a short power point on the traffic statistics of the neighborhood
- Morgan - on Pond update projects
 - **Volunteer sign-up for Pond work days
- Both John DiBari and Jessi Ramos will attend
- Kathleen finishing up newsletter
- Dave to set up sandwich boards – Colleen to help with clear covers

6. Discuss current Action Items:

Review Spring Pond work and birding area - Morgan Valliant

- Plan Schedule for Work Days Volunteers (list on back) – Dave Westfall and John Conner

Education reach-out to neighborhood schools

- Outdoor classroom – Lily Haines and Sherry Winters
- Kiosk update - Kathleen Hanson

Raise Awareness – Dave Westfall and Sherry Winter

7. Review the “Action Proposal” – Dave Westfall

8. Public comment on non-agenda items

Volunteers

I wanted to reach out and introduce the group to [Tyler Decker](mailto:Tyler.Decker@ci.missoula.mt.us) DeckerT@ci.missoula.mt.us
Tyler coordinates volunteer activities in our city parks. As we start to gear up for the 2019 work projects in Bancroft ponds it will be important to include Tyler early in the process to make sure we have quality, productive work days. Tyler manages the volunteer tool library, the liability waivers required to do work on City lands, and can help coordinate events. I've already met with him about volunteer needs at Bancroft Ponds and he also has groups interested in helping. Please feel free to send additional groups his way.

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I contacted Susan Hay Patrick with The United Way who we teamed up with last year to clean up Bancroft Ponds. It was on June 22nd. She's offered to provide some volunteer help again this year on their annual Community Work Day which is Friday June 21st and ALSO when we schedule our Work Day with Parks and Recreation (Late April early May tentatively). She can provide 4-5 people at each event. I'll keep in contact with her regarding our schedule.