

Terry Deno opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Jeanine McKinney reported the balance in the account remains at \$7,004.94.

There was no Crime Report.

Mark Davies gave the report from the Community Assembly.

NITNC Meeting February 08, 2022 CA Report:

The 2022 Community Engagement Grant Training will be held on Monday, Feb. 28, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. The virtual training will review the guidelines, discuss major program components, and offer an opportunity to connect with your Budget Committee Liaison. The meeting link is at the end of this email. Neighborhood councils are encouraged to send the grant coordinator or a representative to stay current with the program. The materials will soon be posted on the program webpage: <https://my.spokanecity.org/neighborhoods/programs/community-engagement-grant/>, along with other related documents regarding performance measures, pricing sheet, and the checklist for application approval. For those unable to attend the live training, a video of the training will be posted to the webpage. The amount this year will be a one time grant of \$850.00. Neighborhoods that wish to continue Zoom accounts need to deduct the cost from this total.

Additional note: the Clean Up Coordinator training on Wednesday, March 2nd, 6:30 pm will be held virtually via Zoom. The details are below:

Office of Neighborhood Services is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Clean Up Coordinator Training 2022

Time: Mar 2, 2022 06:30 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Neighbors Drive 25: Kick-Off event will be announced soon, will share with NC's when set. Goal is kick-off the campaign pre-Spring Break. Additional signs will be available to all neighborhoods.

Spokane City Credit Union is sponsoring The Parks Challenge. It is for people to enjoy their local parks. For 70th year anniversary of the Spokane Parks Foundation: First 70 people who visit 24 parks over 12 month period (October 2021-October 2022), SCCU would make a \$150 donation to Spokane Parks Foundation for each person who reaches goal. SCCU will donate \$75 to SFP for folks who visit 12 parks

in this timeframe. Document visit at park, post to Challenge's page, which tracks which parks you've visited. Encourages folks to explore the parks and enjoy outdoors with community. To sign up: www.sccu.net/parks-challenge

March 31 is the combined CA/CC Meeting, if you have a topic request, please submit to CA Admin Committee for approval before March CA Admin Committee Meeting. Meeting will be held via Zoom.

Karen Stratton gave the City Council update.

They have been working to find a somewhat permanent facility to use to address the homeless situation. They are considering what types of services are needed and where help can be found.

They are also working on forming Good Neighbor Agreements with surrounding businesses and residential areas where shelters or resources are needed.

Emergency Rental Assistance is still available for people affected because of Covid.

American Relief Funds are also still available but going fast.

Mike Ulrich gave a presentation about the Spokane Regional Transportation Plan, Horizon 2045. This is a long range plan that looks ahead toward continued growth through 2045 in order to handle the increase in transportation demands. More details of the plan can be found at SRT.org.

Rendall Farley from Avista spoke about the Electric Vehicle Initiative.

Electric Transportation will have a big impact on Avista locally and globally. It will have significant environmental and economic benefits. Half of all the emissions in our region come from methods of transportation. Electric is a much cleaner and more efficient method. Electric Transportation will provide a better energy future. More details can be found at myavista.com/transportation.

Terry closed the meeting at 9:00 p.m.

