

Terry Deno opened the meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Jeanine McKinney reported a balance of \$6,554.97 in the account. No activity in Nov. and Dec.

Lieutenant Rich Meyer said there were no crimes reported in the past few weeks in our area. Patrols have kept busy issuing tickets for speed violations along Indian Trail.

Dan Knechtel reported from the Community Assembly.

-Spokane Parks department was going to discuss the upcoming levy but they had to cancel due to a family emergency. But Nick I think is slated to speak at our neighborhood meeting a bit about this anyway along with any Meadowglen Park updates.

-CA is considering allowing hybrid in-person/remote meeting options in the future. A motion to look into it was passed.

-CA is asking City Council to respond to their request to know how much is in the neighborhood traffic calming funds. City decided to unilaterally use some of it for a special snow plow to remove snow on bike trails. They also haven't responded to the letter CA sent requesting a moratorium on development until sunset bridge is stable.

-City Council will try to have a rep liaison attend all CA monthly meetings in the future. At this point ONS thinks it will be Councilwoman Betsy Wilkerson.

-Leslie Hope: CHHS (Community Housing Human Services) had a board meeting and put out a public notice for comments on their decision to make changes to the HOME American Rescue Plan (HOME-ARP) allocation plan. It can be viewed at <https://my.spokanecity.org/chhs/documents/>

-January 25th at the Interstate Convention Center Spokane Homeless Connect 10am - 3pm. https://www.spokaneconnect.org/?fbclid=IwAR00Kx7vb7Tuz00HAE7ADpMCNYFpLS2eK64aLiCy6YK2RSd_4idH-PzYO8. They are looking for volunteers to help out.

-CHHS is still undergoing a lot of reorganizing, needs lots of help.

-Live streaming/recording equipment is available to the public at libraries.

-Items that neighborhoods can use for events will be listed on the ONS resources page.

-Budget Committee is going to meet Jan 22nd 7-8:30 hybrid West Central Community Center.

-Public Safety Committee: Had some good discussions about graffiti from victims and from reformed "artists" on ways to help prevent, redirect occurrences. Had ONS representatives there as well. Next meeting is Jan 31st at the Hive 6-7pm room B. Code enforcement and police reps will be there.

-Land Use Committee: 4th Thursday each month 5:30 pm West Central CC center.

Nick Hamad gave an update on Meadowglen Park. Plans are still going forward for the project. By May 1st they plan to apply for a grant for State Funds to help pay for it. There will be a Park Levy placed on the Ballot on August 24.

Shawn Jordan, Chief Operations Officer for Spokane Public Schools spoke about the Bond and Levy renewals coming on the Ballot February 13th. Levies support essential programs, staff, and other necessary services. Bonds support buildings. They pay for facility and security improvements.

Andrew Chance presented some information on Measure No.1, the Library Operations Levy, that will be on the Ballot on Feb. 13th.

Kari Stevens talked about the benefits of the Aging and Long Term Care of Eastern Washington Agency. Their goal is to help keep people independent in their home as long as possible. They offer many resources and services that are available if needed.

Terry closed the meeting at 8:10 p.m.