

Eugene Neighbors, In
Annual Meeting Minutes
October 25, 2018
Abby's Legendary Pizza, River Road

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 p.m. by the chair, Randy Prince. There were 25 in attendance. ENI members present included Anne Millhollen of Northeast Neighbors, Patrick Folsom of Harlow Neighbors, David Monk of Southeast Neighbors, Janet Bevirt of Southwest Hills Neighborhood, Jerry Finigan of Santa Clara Community Organization, Randy Prince of Amazon Neighbors, Pete Knox of Downtown Neighborhood Association, Richard Hamilton of Goodpasture Island Neighbors, Camilla Bayliss of Fairmount Neighbors, Carolyn Jacobs of South University Neighborhood Association and Margie James of Friendly Area Neighbors. After introductory Remarks, Randy introduced Lane County Commissioner, Pat Farr, who then introduced Alex Dreyher of the Lane County Human Services offices. Commissioner Farr and Ms. Dreyher described the homeless problem in Lane County, including who they were and the projects that have been established as attempted solutions to this problem, as well as anticipated projects in the future.

The business meeting was called to order by Randy Prince at 7:05 p.m. He gave a short report indicating the activities of the year to date and what ENI's mission is. Richard Hamilton moved the minutes from the October 26, 2017 annual meeting minutes be approved as submitted, Christine Donahue seconded. Motion passed. Randy asked if there were any questions concerning the treasurer's report as submitted to the membership. David Monk asked for a clarification of what Urban Trails were. Randy and Jerry Finigan described this project that is under way in the Friendly neighborhood to establish sidewalks in areas that are bereft of them. Janet Brevirt asked about how neighborhoods can solicit in-kind donations using ENI. Jerry explained there is currently not a way ENI can accommodate this. Christine nominated Carlos Barrera to continue in his ENI seat for the next two years. Motion passed. David Monk moved that Pete be nominated to continue in his ENI seat for the next two years, motion passed. Christine moved Randy Prince be nominated to continue in his ENI seat for the next two years, motion passed. The business meeting was adjourned at 7:18 p.m.

Emerald Village residents, Tricia Halsey and Alice Gentry gave an overview of their experience after becoming homeless, and their path to re-establishing their normalized housing; and how Emerald Village is so essential to this. General meeting was adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

submitted,
Jerry Finigan, secretary