# Trout Lake Community Council Meeting Notes, via Zoom March 1, 2022

Zoom Video - 7:00 - 8:30 PM

Topic Discussion Time Lead Allotted

# Meeting called to order @ 7:02pm

TLCC Members present: Daina Bambe, Joanna Turner, Lucas King, Laurie Sherburne, Travis Pearson, Gail Phares, Dave Wampler, Pat Arnold

Community members present: Dennis Hill, Sarah Arnold, Peter Cornelison

Agenda Review Daina

Add Member vacancy

Letter to council about garbage rates increase

Minutes review: Laurie motioned, 2nd Gail, Motion Approved

# Guest Topic – Speaker – Dennis Hill Trout Lake Fair and Fair Board

20 min

- Urgent positions to fill or there won't be a fair, need 3 of 9 board positions filled
  - current members have been on the bod for years and there needs to be more diversity
  - Notice in Judy Skelton's new letter
- Fair started in 1904
- Annual cost of putting on the fair is aprox \$7k
- All proceeds go back to community
- Annual commitment 20-40 hours of time
- Fair board needs a president/fair manager
  - 40-60 hours each
- Youth volunteers
- Board commitment 3 years
- Annual meeting in sept to try to recruit new members/volunteers
  - challenge to get folks there and to find volunteers

### Questions/Comments

- Can each TLCC member call a couple folks
- Combine an art festival aspect?
- Biggest Challenge?

- Communication?
- o Time?
  - MAI sponsor? Americorp?
- Hire an event coordinator
- o Fewer members?

Contact Dennis if interested. The Fair BOD will get back to us with their next meeting time. The powerpoint will be shared with council members so we can share it with others.

Pat will share on TLCC FB page. Fair BOD will put up posters around town.

Old Business: @7:47

Redistricting review by Superior Court – Update

Pat and Laurie 10

10 min

Laurie - The group of 4 Trout Lake residents met with the judge, On March 11th the admin records need to be submitted.

3/19 brief. 2 comment periods (one for BOCC and response from community) . April 8th @ 1:30 hearing in Goldendale.

Pat - "we" are loosely supporting community members who are the actual petitioners

The case is that the BOCC dealt with redistricting in an arbitrary and capricious manner.

We need to decide how to talk about it in a public way. The petitioners don't want to talk to the media.

Need \$500-\$1000 to help defray costs to the petitioners
Sarah Arnold will help with tracking Funds donated
Joanna Turner will help Sarah with fundraising email
Daina will get Sarah list of folks who signed the petition

New Business: @8:02

Climate Change Resolution –

Do we want to develop one for TLCC?

Pat

30 min

Do we want to adopt a resolution supporting the BOCC and their stance on climate change

Other local communities have resolutions: Lyle, White Salmon, Hood River etc What actions could KC take and how could we show our support

Each council member weighed in in support of a letter to the BOCC and to explore opportunities to have this conversation with the community and community based solutions.

health impacts of wood smoke.

https://www.theguardian.com/environment/2018/mar/01/pollutionwatch-wood-burning-is-not-climate-friendly

## **Round Robin Info Share**

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Joanna - possible CPWI grant for the TL /Glenwood area

Pat - Plans for SDS land, possible community meeting, folks have questions about what is going to happen with the land

Lucas - FACT grant application with DNR: chipper days, home assessment, community clean up, educational piece. Road assessment etc. Lots of support/momentum.

Daina - Next FACT meeting will talk about insurance reviews etc.

April – Nate Ulrich – Conservation easement

Marty from Weed Board – Invasive weed program and concerns for the Trout

Lake area

May – invite Commissioner Anderson and new County Compliance Officer to discuss compliance program – recreation and residential

Next meeting Tuesday April 5th @ 7pm

Motion to adjourn 0 8:42 by Pat , 2nd by Travis Motion passed