

East Harriet Farmstead Neighborhood Association Annual Meeing

Saturday, September 23, 2017 11 am - Noon W 41st St at Lyndale Ave S

Agenda

Welcome and Introductions

11:00 - 11:05

- Introductions
 - Include the area of East Harriet neighborhood you live
 - ➤ Indicate if you are a current or past board and committee member.

EHFNA Updates 11:05 – 11:15

There's been a lot going on in the neighborhood and throughout the city. Here are a few updates:

- Focus Groups
- KiteFest 2017
- Open Streets
- PorchFest
- > Fall Fest
- > Promote and support local businesses by providing matching Great Streets Façade Improvement Grant funds.
- Park Bench
- Support neighborhood and regional parks Lyndale Park Arboretum signs completed by Nov. 15 2017, along with a map showing where each goes.

Board Elections 11:15 - 11:25

Call for EHFNA Board Members
Board Members up for re-election for 2 year term

Park Presentation – Dana Murdoch, MPRB

11:25 - 11:45

NRP Funding Vote

11:45- Noon

The EHFNA board has discussed and voted on the distribution of \$334,189 in unused funds. Most this is from Program Income generated by the Housing Loan Program in late 1990's and early 2000's. If the Neighborhood does not come up with a plan for the money by next year, the city has the option of taking some of it back.

The EHFNA Board held three focus groups to gather neighborhood input. As a result from the information gathered, the board has voted on the following neighborhood priorities.

- Develop Lyndale Farmstead Park Building improvements & Upgrades \$303,189
- Support of Schools \$25K
- ➤ Invest in regional parks adjacent to our neighborhood \$3000 Regional Parks Bird Sanctuary and potential funds, Fountain, Rose Garden
- Create a Security Lighting Rebate \$2000
- Refresh EHFNA logo and website \$1000

The following organizations are represented today at the Information tables providing activities and ready to answer your questions!

- City of Mpls Planning, Variance and Zoning
- City of Mpls 311
- City of Mpls Recycling
- Hennepin County Master Gardener
- Fair Vote with Voter Information and Registration
- Bakken Museum
- Park Naturalist
- Our Streets Mpls (formerly Bicycle Coalitio)
- Lyndale Community School
- Neighborhood business, Adagio Holistic Therapies
- Mpls TAP providing water
- Candidates from Ward 10, MPRB and State Rep 61B

Close Melissa Gould Noon

Thank you to all who have joined us today.

A special thanks to the following volunteers for their work planning the block party:

Karen Heintz, Jean Krantz-Swenson, Jenny Taplin, Ron Lagerquist, Melissa Gould, & Bruce Wadman

MaryJo Hackett of mjhackett designs for volunteering her professional services to create the postcard, doorhanger, & poster.

Bethlehem Church for the use of exterior property, opening up their building and offering their help in making our event successful.

Enjoy the rest of your afternoon at the Neighborhood Fall Festival.

Food and drinks including beer (for sale) provided by Harriet's Inn

Kid's activities including games, facepainting, art creations, a scavenger hunt with prizes and bouncy houses

(\$3 kids wristband unlimited all day)

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