

NWONA Meeting Minutes
September 7, 2010

Attending: Mary Nelson, Alice Lind, Kendra Sawyer, Robin Ivey-Black, Jerry Parker, Kahlil Provo, Steve Conway

New business:

Site design: Linda

Reviewed design and approved with minor adjustment of path on Thomas.

Three patios: concrete would cost \$3000 (materials and labor); would be nice to have color and texture.

Gazebo is part of design with built-in benches on largest patio

Medium size patio is big enough for picnic table

Smallest patio is big enough for bench

Paths in between would be permeable (oyster shell/gravel)

Edging: river rocks or limbs (lots of labor but maybe free)

Plantings are part of design (native plants)

Planters are 8 feet across (room for several along Thomas) – will be done later.

Benches – 15 inches wide and 4 feet long

Question: how to get water to site? Will need to resolve before Spring. Hydrant connection? Rain barrel?

Robin will research picnic tables.

Mary will track expenditures against the budget.

Work party on Saturday (Sept. 11) for park

Discussed priorities for work parties; when to plant

Fencing materials will be delivered by Saturday morning (by city)

Kahlil will work with Marcus on supervising volunteers

Cardboard and mulch over everything that is not path; cardboard and gravel on paths.

(Kahlil will outline paths with spray paint on cardboard – need to wait until it is laid down.)

Plan is to contact Marcus and see if he can get gravel; if not will purchase to have delivered 10 yards.

Kahlil will work on laying paths Saturday morning.

Also need concrete for benches etc. (Kahlil will obtain)

Kahlil will bring tent, 10 x 10.

Kendra requested to block one block of Thomas.

Marcus will bring rocks (large, 1- 2 person rocks).

Everyone bring cardboard.

Bring wheelbarrows.

Work party – other activities for Sept. 11

Clear plants overhanging sidewalks

Graffiti – Robin will work with volunteers

Reminder to be there between 8 – 8:30 a.m.

Future work parties

October 2 – finish gravel and fencing

October 23 – apply top soil and plant

Membership meeting

Will be October 2 at Mariah Arts from 10 – 11:30 a.m.

Bring coffee/tea/scones?

Do we have time to schedule a meeting to plan this meeting? Yes

Name the park activity?

Board elections must take place

Postponed: Kendra – making up a newsletter – how to distribute?

Next meeting September 22 at 6:30 to plan membership meeting.