



Wards 4 & 7 Neighborhood Planning Assembly (NPA): Draft Agenda

Wednesday, November 20, 2024

Wards 4/7 NPA Meeting Ground Rules:

LISTEN TO OTHERS SPEAKING
RESPECT THE AGENDA AND PROCESS
SHARE YOUR OPINION POLITELY
TREAT PEOPLE RESPECTFULLY

Community Dinner: 6:00 – 6:30 pm

NPA Meeting: 6:30 – 8:00 pm

Join in person: Robert E. Miller Community Center, 130 Gosse Court

Join virtually: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85494151752>

Facilitator: Sarah

Note Taker: Annie

Time Keeper: Vicki

Greeter: Joanne

6:00 pm **Sign in & Food | 30 min**

- Dinner [Dinner: Deep Dish Pepperoni and cheese Pizza; Toss Salad; Apple cake] by Jane & Stephen]. At the end of the meeting, leftovers may be taken by guests. Please bring your own container(s).

6:30 pm **Welcome – 15 Minutes**

- Welcome and respectfully ask that participants follow the ground rules: Listen to others speaking; Respect the agenda and process; Share your opinion politely; Treat people respectfully
- Introductions – Name and ward

6:45 pm **Open Forum | 15 min**

- Invite Folks to speak about what's happening in their neighborhood or share what is on their mind related to city life (including but not limited to Announcements). Time - 2 min each.

7:00 pm **Owen Milne | Community Sailing Center | 15 min**

- To inform about “early-stage, preliminary plans for a Community Kayak and Paddle Park north of their current site. “

- Generative Discussion and/or questions

7:15 pm Robert Goulding | Burlington Department of Public Works | 30 minutes

- To inform about “March 2025 bond vote for essential upgrades to its wastewater, drinking water and stormwater systems. The cost will be significant, but the work is critical to prevent failures within our systems” (Quote from Robert Goulding’s email).
- Discussion and/or questions

7:45 pm Invite Folks to Join Steering Committee | 5 min

- Nominations
- Vote

7:50 pm If Time Permits – Community Input On Future Meetings| 10 min

- Ideas and process for submitting NPA Request Form

8:00 pm Adjourn

Wards 4 & 7 Steering Committee

To email the full steering committee: wards4-7sc@googlegroups.com

Stephen Brown, Ward 7

Sarah Diaz, Ward 7

Vicki Garrison, Ward 7

Joanne Hunt, Ward 4

Annie Lawson, Ward 4

Mark Leopold, Ward 4

Sami Mcrae, Ward 7

Alex Melville, Ward 7

Jane McDonald, Ward 7