

Wards 1/8 NPA Meeting
4/8/15
McClure Lobby Conference Room UVM Medical Center, 7:00pm

7.00 p.m.: Welcome and Introductions

7.05: City Council Update (I can't figure out from the City Council page on the BTV website if next Monday is "Organization Day" - if it is, this might take a little longer. I'll write to Adam, Selene & Sharon.)

7.25: Speak Out:

This will include a UVM MC and UVM Housing construction updates. Possibly Sam's VT Gas punter, etc. Possibly Emily, Caryn Long, Sandy Wynne might have a parking update, though I think it's a couple of days before the next meeting.

7.50: Vermont Lake Monsters pre-season appetizer.

8.15: Chapin Spencer, Director DPW. (I'll tell him he's welcome to bring Nicole Losch along to discuss parking, bike/pedestrian safety, etc.)

Anne: Would you alert interested Ward 8 troops that Chapin will be there to discuss all things (above ground anyway, Megan Moir will give is storm/wastewater update in June) DPW? If there are specific Ward 8 hot/warm buttons that are of concern, it would be good to give Chapin a heads-up. I'll be doing similar for Ward 1.

9.00: Close

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April 8, 2015
7:00 - 9:00 pm
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Members Present: Richard Hillyard, Sandy Wynne, Martha Lang, Selene Colburn, Sharon Bushor, Mark Porter, Adam Roof, Samuel Ghazey, Anne Brena, Caryn Long, Jared Wood, Erhard Mahnke, Serrill Flash, Kesha Ram.

Others Present: Alex Prolman, Ward 2/Rising Tide; Lisa Kingsbury, UVM; Jason Williams, UVM Medical Center; Chapin Spencer, DPW; Kyle Bostwick, Lake Monsters; Joe Dowd, Lake Monsters; Kesha Ram, CEDO.

Meeting commenced at 7:00 pm.

City Councilors Sharon Bushor, Selene Colburn, and Adam Roof provided an update.

Speak Out included a presentation by Alex Prolman on the Rising Tide stance related to the Vermont Gas pipeline; a statement from Caryn Long on neighborhood relations; an announcement by Kesha Ram about commission openings, the retirement of Chief Schirling, and the City Hall Summer Internship Program; an update from Mark Porter on school district matters; a question from Sandy Wynne regarding the City-University MOU; and a statement from Jared Wood on traffic and sidewalk safety.

Kyle Bostwick and Joe Dowd presented the summer schedule for the Vermont Lake Monsters games. Firework displays are currently scheduled for the evenings of June 20, July 25, and August 29.

Chapin Spencer gave an update on projects and developments related to Wards 1 and 8 slated for the upcoming paving season and fiscal year. These include upper Loomis Street and German Street, as well as the Colchester Avenue redesign. Chapin also discussed the 10-year City Capital Plan and fielded questions on greenbelts, sidewalk repair, and crack sealing.

Meeting adjourned at 9:10 pm.