



Public Affairs Committee Minutes – December 15th, 2021

In Attendance (Zoom)

Don Piper, Bill Gray, Mike McCarthy

Items Discussed

Snow Busters (Snow removal)

Quarterly Meetings

Recap

Snow Busters

Both Brent Millis and I have reached out to Jim Wilwerding (Troop 77 Scoutmaster- Holy Trinity Church) to see if an Eagle scout/s would be interested in helping drive the snow removal project. To date no return correspondence has occurred. Brent is also working with BNA board on legal language on the SnowBusters application forms. Once that is done the plan is to run the application forms past the BNA's insurance carrier. We likely will not have this finalized to put in the next Sidewalk to be distributed the first week in Feb.

Quarterly Meetings 2022

We are planning on making the minor change on BNA Quarterly meeting times from 7-8 to 6:30-8 with the first 30 minutes being a social gathering with snacks. We can only do a pot luck once a year and we plan to use the November meeting to do that. Marcus Coenen indicated he would stop by the Northwest Center and sign the document for the Quarterly Meeting dates. No one on the PA committee has that authority. For the Feb meeting we plan to have a DSM Parks representative available to discuss the Beaverdale Park Master Plan

Next meeting scheduled for Wednesday Jan 19th. I am out of state all of Feb and will miss the Feb quarterly meeting on 2/8/22.

The BNA recognizes the importance of allowing members to express themselves on matters of community interest. All discussions are to be relevant to the issue and respectfully presented with civility, kindness, dignity and good taste, in turn, and free of interruptions.