



HOSFORD-ABERNETHY
NEIGHBORHOOD DISTRICT

Tuesday September 19, 2023
7PM @ Carvlin Hall @ St Philip Neri @ 17th & Division
~~~ IN PERSON ~~~

NOTE: Not yet sure which room we'll be in. Check Carvlin Hall (the usual spot we meet), and if we're not there, try the administrative building. Sorry for any confusion!

7:00 PM	Introductions	3 mins
7:03 PM	Consent Agenda (Approve May Treasurer's Report, May Minutes)	2 mins
7:05 PM	Presentation on natural gas in the home (Michael Mitton, Metro Climate Action Team)	25 mins
7:30 PM	CTOC reps, any updates to CTOC structure or GNA? (We need to choose our reps for the Clinton Triangle Oversight Committee)	15 mins
7:45 PM	Report on Bonamici/UPRR crossing meeting (Linda, Michelle, Chris)	10 mins
7:50 PM	Avalon update (Mark)	5 mins
8:00 PM	Speaker from Government Transition Advisory Committee (Terry Harris will give us a report about what the GTAC has been doing)	30 mins
8:30 PM	Letter regarding role of NAs in new city government (decide)	15 mins
8:45 PM	501c3 (Do we want to become one?)	15 mins
9:00 PM	Adjourn	

COMING MEETINGS and EVENTS:

The public is invited and welcome to attend and participate in all HAND meetings and events
Tue Oct 17, 2023 | HAND Board meeting | 7:00 PM | Zoom or In Person
Tue Oct 3, 2023 | HAND Executive/Agenda Committee | 7:00 PM | Zoom

HAND Meeting Ground Rules

We're all neighbors, and we all want what's best for the neighborhood.

- We are having a public discussion, not a debate. The purpose is *not* to win an argument, but to hear many points of view and explore various options and solutions.
- Everyone is encouraged to participate. You may be asked to share what you think, or we may ask for comments from those who haven't spoken. It is always OK to "pass" when you are asked to share a comment.
- No one or two individuals should dominate a discussion. If you have already voiced your ideas, let others have an opportunity. When you speak, be brief and to the point.
- When you speak, state your name and, if you feel comfortable, where you live. In a public meeting, it is helpful to know who is speaking as well as where they live in the community.
- One person speaks at a time. Refrain from side conversations. Pay attention to the person speaking. If you think you will forget an idea that comes to mind, write it down.
- Listen to and respect other points of view.
- Do your best to understand the pros and cons of every option, not just those you prefer. Be as objective and fair-minded as you can be.
- Seek first to understand, not to be understood. Ask questions to seek clarification when you don't understand the meaning of someone's comments.

Adapted from <https://extension.umn.edu/public-engagement-strategies/setting-ground-rules-productive-discussions>