



General Membership Monthly Meeting

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APRIL AGENDA 2024/25

Central Lions – Room 12 at 18:30 to 20:30

Vision:

- An inclusive, healthy, and thriving community where residents feel connected to one another and the land on which we live.

Mission:

- Facilitate and encourage diverse opportunities to connect
 - Maintain and nurture our urban environment
 - Increase community involvement
 - Foster a sense of safety within the community
- Advocate for the community to other organizations and governments
- Keep residents up to date with community-relevant information

Land Acknowledgment:

We acknowledge that we are meeting on Treaty 6 Territory, a traditional meeting ground for many Indigenous peoples. The land on which this Community League is located has provided a home and traveling route to Indigenous peoples including the Cree, Blackfoot, Saulteaux, Métis and others, and we are privileged to be able to gather here today.

The Board: Anna Vrbanc-McRae, Andrei Kisil, Kathy Banjavcic, Cindy Langlois, Gabriela Sosa, Laurie McRae, Sandra Lee, Bruce Best and Marilyn Dumkee.

Present: Marilyn, Laurie, Mel, Sandra, Gabriela, Cindy, Andrei, Anna, Kathy, Bruce

Regrets: n/a

1. Call to order: Meeting commenced at 18:36
2. Approval of the Agenda
 - Motion to approve the agenda by Marilyn and Gabriela
3. Approval of the Minutes
 - Motion to approve March minutes by Andrei and seconded by Cindy. All in favour.
4. NRC Update – [Heather O'Hearn](#)
 - Click link for update below for brief notes: [News from the City](#)
 - a. Waiting on parks and fac team
 - b. Airways Park field for big bin event – possibly change date or location
 - c. Funding opportunities
 - d. Clean up Community kits
5. Executive/Committee Updates:
 - a. President – Anna
 - i. Big Bin – Originally discussed with Lions for date of September 6
 1. Many events are happening this day and so it is recommended to change the date to the following:
 - a. August 30 (Long weekend) Labour Day: September 1
 - b. September 20
 2. Grant approved for \$1300

Discussion about date and all Agreed on September 20

 - ii. Service Canada outreach virtual session to be confirmed
 - iii. Bottle drive – April 26! Drop off at Sandra's place
 - iv. Neighbouring for Climate Program
 1. 2 offerings: Fire Smart and Emergency Preparedness
 2. Can be held for community



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- v. REMAX flyer – as an agent has access to inflatables etc.
 - 1. Possibly have an agent review community membership involvement for new homeowners.
- vi. Email received to renew community swimming; \$1030
 - 1. Will check stats and discuss at the next meeting in May
- vii. Spring Clean-up – Days April 20 – 30, 2025
 - 1. Pick up kits (picker/gloves/bags)
 - 2. Posters/advertising - Anna
 - 3. Alison to post on website – Andrei will reach out to Alison
 - 4. Delivery of gift cards - Cindy
 - 5. Location of kits for pick up - Andrei
 - 6. Tracking of participants and locations – Andrei
- viii. Tree replacement email from City of Edmonton Arbor department
 - 1. Also emailed regarding dog park trees and shrubs
- b. Vice President – Andrei
 - i. Problem properties – no action
 - ii. Email from Royal City Soccer club – Request if interested in handing out flyers
 - 1. Willing to post digitally on site and social
 - iii. City center – April 16 at 17:30 at Matrix for Federal election debate by old Oliver community league
 - 1. No financial sponsorship
- c. Treasurer – Cindy
 - i. March treasurer's report available online.
- d. Secretary – Kathy
 - i. n/a
- e. Membership – Gabriela
 - i. Increased to **307** members
 - ii. Need to clean up "distribution list". Send Kathy members.
- f. Social – Laurie
 - i. Family Fun Day
 - 1. Missed out on "snow" events but day was amazing with improvisation.
 - 2. Photographer session was a hit
 - 3. The food was delish
 - ii. Volunteer Appreciation Event
 - 1. Brewsters on the 23rd of April
 - 2. Most volunteers emailed but check in with those you know to see if they did/did not receive email
 - iii. May Day grant request was submitted for \$2500. TBD
 - 1. Making connections in the community.
 - 2. Tee Pee Treats possible treat supplier
 - 3. Anne – flowers
 - iv. Submit ideas for events to LAURIE!
- g. Civics – Marilyn
 - i. Blatchford – rezoning
 - ii. 11320 113A – no more notices for rezoning; to be 4 unit plus for secondary.
 - iii. Active Transportation Network Expansion Program: 111 Ave Service Road



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- iv. Properties on 111Ave are assessed at \$200,000.00 for abandoned properties. Three of the properties are occupied.
- h. Casino – Sandra
 - i. n/a
- i. Director at Large – Bruce
 - i. Queen Mary Park Local ads flyer.
 - ii. Street speed came and went
 - iii. Crosswalk issues: Kingsway and Tower Rd. – police report submitted April 9, 2025
- j. Other Committees with Updates:
 - i. Community Meet and Greet flyer to be sent out about who/what/how.
 - 1. How can we divide the neighbourhood? Most likely 7 zones.
 - 2. 2 hours max (18:30 to 20:30) with refreshments
 - 3. Find someone in the zone to assist.
 - 4. Grants are available and can be distributed.
 - ii. Land Development – meeting with Architect, Chandos. Pre-planning meeting to be set up with City.
 - 1. Grant application with City is pending for mid-April. Fingers crossed
 - 2. Expression of Interest is ready.
 - 3. Business case is ready.
- 6. Round Table Items/Items to be Tabled:
 - a. Sandra and Gabriela to draft up a “Welcome to PRCL” letter.
 - b. Kathy to find duplicates in distribution list. Gabriella to export list from membership software
 - c. Mel – 146 crimes reported since
 - i. Superstore – 104 crimes reported; property crimes (which is theft under \$5000)
 - ii. 21 between hotels and Canadian Tire
 - iii. Residential – 8 to 10 crimes (theft/ assault/ mischief graffiti)
- 7. Adjournment: At 20:25. All in favour.