

## **Keep Lakewood Beautiful**

Meeting Minutes

March 15, 2023

In Attendance: Melissa Meehan, Matt Bixenstine, Tony Bruzas, Joe Stolitza, Ruth Gillette, Melinda McGuffee (interested resident); Hannah Gall and Hannah Morris (virtually)  
Chaired by Melissa.

February minutes were distributed for review and approved unanimously by those present.

### **Comments**

Lkwd Park Waterfront Access Feasibility Public Mtg: 3/22/23 @ 6:00

Garfield Middle School requested assistance with 8th gr. Clean-Up 5/5/2023

### **Upcoming Business/Events**

1. School Education Program w/Kiwanis Kids (Anna Bacho) - 4 dates in April and May are scheduled, Hannah G to schedule a small committee meeting (Melissa, Matt, Agnes, Meghan, Hannah G) to plan presentation and coordinate coverage for 4 Lkwd Elementary schools.

2. Pop-Up, Pick-Up, Pour-Up scheduled for March 29 6-8. First event of year to be at City Center Park, Tony to make arrangements with Sauced Tap Room following Pick-Up. Melissa and Tony to bring supplies.

3. Earth Day/Clean-Up Event confirmed at Madison Park, 4/29 9-11. Tony has put in order for tree saplings (est. cost-\$150) and will arrange with LHS to pot. Melissa is contacting city for tree purchase and making arrangements for tree planting and place. Board will look into possible vendors to attend event. Matt to create flyer and distribute to social media and newspapers etc.

A motion to increase Earth Day expenses to \$500 was made by Ruth and seconded by Joe for purchase of litter tongs. Melissa to make purchase.

4. Humus/Flower Sale: May 13 at Skate House Parking lot, Joe to look into materials/orders and needs for event. Ruth to plan small meeting for flower purchase. Melissa will contact H20 to see if use of Square may be possible for credit card purchases. Melissa to contact Tess Neff, judge to inquire about community service workers.

5. Small group will meet to discuss use of grant money given for Native Plant Garden. Group to meet end of March with Mark McNamara (resident instrumental with grant).

Meeting adjourned at 6:40

Next Meeting: **April 19th @ 5:30 @ Cove Community Center** Melissa requested that Ruth chair meeting as she will be out of town.