

# JUNE MONTHLY MEETING

#### **Minutes**

Virtual via Zoom Thursday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 - 8:00 PM

- 17 attendees
- Gather (6:30-6:40)
  - Popcorn style:
    - Your name
    - Your personal pronouns (if you are comfortable sharing)
    - Rose/thorn (share something positive that you have been thinking about, and something challenging)

## • Reports & Minutes (6:40-6:50 PM)

- o Call to Order
  - Agenda Overview
- Chair's Report
  - Candidate-Palooza a success!
  - Looking ahead to planning "We Won't Go Back" Organizing Meeting in July
- Treasurer's Report
  - April financial report (<u>HERE</u>)
  - May financial report (HERE)
    - Ended month with about \$625 in account
- o Minutes approval
  - Approve minutes of February Meeting (<u>HERE</u>)
    - Approved unanimously
  - Approve minutes of March Meeting (<u>HERE</u>)
    - Approved unanimously
  - Approve minutes of April Meeting (HERE)
    - Approved unanimously

### • Officer Election (6:50-7:10PM)

- o Chair Nominations
  - Meg Harned
- o Chair Candidate Presentations
  - Meg Harned: Excited to run for the position and it has been a long time coming.
    She has learned a lot over the past 1.5 years working on the Executive Committee and more recently as Vice Chair of PDCC.
- o Chair Candidate Discussion O & A
  - Charles Skold expressed his support for Meg and provided an overview of everything she has done over the past 1.5 years.



- Sam Zager expressed his appreciation for the work she has been doing and also his appreciation for the work of previous chairs
- Motion to end discussion, 2nded
- o Cloture
- o Chair Vote
  - Zoom Poll not working so a hand vote was done
  - 14 yes/3 abstained
- o Vice Chair
  - Meg will no longer be able to serve as Vice Chair given she is now Chair
  - Charles Skold was nominated as acting Vice Chair; the vote for permanent Vice Chair will take place at the next meeting and Charles plans to run

## • Group Discussion and Brainstorming (7:10-7:7:50PM)

- o Planning for "We Won't Go Back" Organizing Meeting this July
- o Meg Harned said we are having a hard time finding a date
- o Hoping to work with other municipal committees to expand the reach of the event
- o Possible dates: Monday, 7/11; Saturday, 7/23; or Sunday, 7/24
- o Discussion about date and location:
  - Meg Harned suggested the Eastern Promenade because of space and food trucks.
  - Simon Thompson said Monday may actually be better for people because people are often busy on the weekends during the summer
  - Meg requested volunteers: Noah Lipnick, Kim Walter, Charles Skold, and possibly Simon Thompson (may be able to help day of)
  - What could we do to get people interested?
    - Ken Capron suggested getting representatives from Portland Climate Action Team; Bill Weber said they could do a table
    - Charles Skold suggested inviting other groups to table and Ken said to also include unions
    - Ken Capron asked if it is going to be indoors or outdoors Meg said it likely will be outside at the Eastern Promenade or another outdoor space

## • Announcements and Adjourn (7:50-8:00PM)

- Voter Outreach Meeting
  - Monday, June 20, 6:30-7:30pm (<u>register here</u>)

<sup>-</sup> PDCC exec team stayed on the call after adjournment for any further informal discussion or questions from members