

Keyport Improvement Club Meeting Minutes – 2-14-2023

16 Participants via Zoom.

Meeting called to order 7:01 PM

Guest Speakers: Jason Doty & Brenda Bright – Kitsap County Dept. of Aging and Long-Term Care.

Their presentation document can be viewed on the Keyport website. www.keyport98345.com

General Business:

Minutes from Jan. 10, 2023 – Approved as posted.

Treasurer's Report – Flo Schule – This information is available at the KIC meeting or by contacting Flo Schule.

Motion made and approved for the treasury report.

Broadband Fiber Optics Update – Karol S. – Claire Ward is working on a handout that will answer lots of questions. There will be 4 or 5 people that will go door to door with the goal of meeting in person with homeowners in town. A letter will also go out to owners of the rentals. Contact will be made with the businesses, the fire department, the church and Port. We want to get on the KPUD list for approval of an LUD to bring an upgraded service to the community.

Port of Keyport – Karol S. for Lena H. – The Port will be celebrating 100 yrs. on May 16th. Lena inquired about KIC helping with a fundraiser for a historical marker. Lena will be speaking more about this at the meeting next month.

New Business:

Flo S. mentioned in the treasurer's report that KIC received thanks to Peg's work on the retrieval of \$200.00 from the WA state Dept. of Revenue that was an uncashed check from a Fest sponsor.

Judy read the thank you card that KIC received from Abraham's House for the \$300.00 donation that was collected during the holidays. It stated that it "helps them to keep 90% of their donations like furniture and beds free to those in need". The other donation amount went to Stand Up For Kids.

WSDOT – Karol reported that Flo had taken a picture of the Hwy 308 bridge during the king tide about the thin band that wasn't filled with water. Karol emailed Rob Gelder with the picture to WSDOT. The head engineer replied stating that the bridge had been inspected in July of 2022 and that the cracks were noticed back in 2014 but those are typical for this type of bridge. At this point, it is considered to be in good condition. Karol asked for the residents that live on Dogfish Bay to take pictures of the bridge during the king tides for future reference in case of an overtop event and we can report back to Rob Gelder.

Kelley Kwoka mentioned that they replied to the county link that was sent out on the extent of flooding that they received and got an immediate response.

Peg G. – Garage sale this year hasn't been decide and if anyone is interested in heading up this event, you would be welcome.

Peg G. asked about the future construction on Hwy 308. Karol replied that we'll work on getting an answer from the county this month and provide the information to the community.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Navy Band Northwest Concert – Undersea Museum – 2-3 PM – Feb. 19th.

FYI - Casa Mexico is open on Sundays again.

Next KIC meeting – Mar. 14, 2023 – In person at the fire station.

The guest speaker on Mar. 14th will be Dave Rasmussen from the Dept. of Emergency Preparedness.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:06 PM