

Point Roberts Community Advisory Committee

9-15-22 Minutes

Call to Order Regular Monthly Meeting 7:01 pm

Present -

Chairperson Allison Calder

Vice chair Bill Zidel

Member Annelle Norman

Member Prakash Sundaresan

Member Brian Hunter

Agenda Approved

Minutes from 9/22 approved

Correspondence moved to Old Business - Rubbish

Public Comment

Elvin Selvey noted that it was his understanding that the majority of residents were content with broadband service from Whidbey Telecom, and noted for the more picky folks there was always Ethernet. Doesn't support construction tearing up Point Roberts as he believes people are here for a simpler life.

Old Business

1. Stormwater runoff, non motorized right of way traffic, and traffic calming. Chair noted an update of the Point Roberts SubArea plan to recognize the necessity for commercial land uses, as well as memorialize reality of existing land use is appropriate tool to address these and other topics. See #8 below.
2. High speed broadband. Member Sundaresan has forwarded information to County and will update at next meeting.
3. Green waste, curbside collection, and rubbish. Workshops are planned for October 16 and 22. County Health response to invitation was they did not see the utility in their attendance. No response from Cando at this point.
4. Dark Sky initiative. Moved to October agenda.
5. Dog Park. No confirmation of a request for new County Parks director to attend on site meeting.

New Business

6. Affordable available Housing for community and an available workforce - assigned to Members Hunter and Norman to produce strategy for funding and if agreed upon potential development follow through.
7. AirB&B - No approved amendment yet.
8. Requested meeting with County re: Drainage Master Plan - Chair meeting with Council member for Point Roberts.
9. Request for regular meeting with County Executive, Council members, and Department heads (as appropriate) - Chair has forwarded e mail to County.

Further Public Comment - none, however Chair brought up next agenda should include press coverage as item.

Adjournment - 8:30 pm