## Nickelsville Georgetown Community Advisory Committee

## October 2017 Monthly Meeting Notes

CAC Name	Nickelsville Georgetown
Date	Tuesday, October 17, 2017
Meeting Location	St. Vincent de Paul Conference Room, 4 <sup>th</sup> Ave S.
Call to Order (time)	4:12pm
CAC Members in Attendance	Erik Maus, Bill Oliver, John Phillips
Permitted Encampment Members in Attendance	Scott Morrow, Charmaine Min, Courtney O'Toole, Ion
	Gardescu,
Operator Representatives in Attendance	Josh Castle - LIHI
City of Seattle Staff in Attendance	Tom Van Bronkhorst - DON
Recorder/Note Taker	John Phillips
Previous Meeting Notes Approved (No or Yes/Date)	Yes
Previous Meeting Notes Posted (No or Yes/Date)	Not as of 10/17/2017

CAC Member Reports:

- There are three vacancies on the Community Advisory Committee. LIHI reports at least 1 new member is likely to join soon. Outreach work is being done. Previous candidates are being contacted. Seven members will make a full committee.
- NGCAC member Barbara Grace Hill submitted notes for discussion at meeting as she was unable to attend the rescheduled meeting time.
  - Neighborhood Food Drive
  - o Reported increase in home break-ins
  - A dog from the neighborhood was found at the NG Camp
- Any time there are concerns or complaints related to, or perceived to be related to the NG Camp, call or email Scott Morrow, provide information, description(206)450-9136 <a href="mailto:scott@nickelsville.works">scott@nickelsville.works</a>
- There is a Georgetown neighborhood blog based on Facebook "Georgetown Community Discussion Board". th

Progress / Case Management Report:

- A brand new case manager began working at NG Camp today. He is a full time employee of LIHI and is dedicated exclusively to NG Residents. There has been a vacancy in that role for nearly two months.
- 53 adults, 2 kids, 2 families, 32 men, 21 women, 8 couples, 10 pets
- 20 move ins, 29 move out
  - o Family of 6 moved into permanent housing
  - Single woman moved into permanent housing
- 16 permanent bars since the last meeting, 5 weeks ago 4 theft, 6 multiple offenses, 1 lewd, 2 intoxication, 3 for sneaking in barred camper
- 1 Police incident that included police activity over three days: unsanctioned camper
- A barred camper was permanently barred and set up a tent outside the camp for three days. She repeatedly refused help from various other agencies.
- Josh Castle inquired about the barring process and the right to appeal. The residents confirmed there is an appeal process.

## **Operations Report:**

Physical Camp Development and operations/meals/amenities

Ramps have been built over conduit to increase safety and mobility in camp. Painting of ceilings and floors has been completed.

Fall Fest – 12:00pm to 5:00pm, community celebration October 28<sup>th</sup> work and Halloween Party

Donations of chairs has been much appreciated and used for weekly meetings and gatherings

Wood Box has helped

City of San Diego visited NG Camp, article

City of San Francisco and Vancouver and Surrey, BC

Heaters have been added to each hous

Laundry and showers working well

Donna and Megan have been supporting tours and visitors in Courtney's absence during meetings

Molly's, a business in South Park has informed NG Camp residents of employment opportunities

## SPD Report:

No Report

Public Comment/Questions:

Residents are utilizing SVDP Food Bank

Mail can be set up through post office to SVDP, address to SVDP

Next Meeting: Tuesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at 4:00pm at St. Vincent de Paul

(Date/Time/Location)

Adjournment: 4:52pm