



## EASTSIDE NEIGHBORHOOD ADVISORY COUNCIL OF TACOMA

Virtual Meeting Minutes  
Monday, March 21, 2022

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Board Members present: Lynnette Scheidt, Tara Scheidt, Jesse Hart, Melo Hogan, Judith Miller, George Quinn, and Corwin Scott.

Total number of participants: 27

Current amount in checking account: \$3,866.22

The meeting was adjourned at 8:04 pm

Jesse Hart  
Secretary-Treasurer

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18:36:45 From dbrassar: Battalion Chief Darren Brassard  
18:37:12 From dbrassar: Tacoma Fire Department Dbrassar@cityoftacoma.org  
18:37:31 From Claire Goodwin, City Manager's Office: Claire Goodwin, City Manager's Office Liaison, claire.goodwin@cityoftacoma.org  
18:37:50 From Evan Mirolla - Impact Public Schools: Evan Mirolla - Senior Director of Outreach and Enrollment; Impact Public Schools; emirolla@impactps.org  
18:37:51 From Lt. Scripps: Lt. Eric Scripps Tacoma Police eric.scripps@cityoftacoma.org  
18:37:59 From John, TPU: jgaines1@cityoftacoma.org, John Gaines, Community Relations Manager  
18:38:33 From Catherine Ushka: Tacoma City Councilmember, District 4 & Deputy Mayor Catherine Ushka catherine.ushka@cityoftacoma.org Great to see all of you!  
18:40:11 From Rick Slater: I have a lot that I wish to discuss. Junk yard on McKinley Hill,  
18:41:18 From Rick Slater: Police issues to discuss  
18:42:08 From Melo Hogan (She/Her): Economic Development - Eastside Business Highlight Video <https://fb.watch/bUU5-eYg4R/>  
18:43:06 From Tara Scheidt - Vice President: Neighborhood and Community Services Allyson Griffiths AGriffith@cityoftacoma.org for more about the Lighthouse Senior Center

warming shelter services.

18:44:04 From Charla Kinlow: That is such an awesome re-use of that building.  
18:44:37 From Melo Hogan (She/Her): I agree, Charla.  
18:44:52 From Tara Scheidt - Vice President: I love the video!!!  
18:46:01 From Melo Hogan (She/Her): We're a work in progress on video! Lol  
18:46:02 From Corwin Scott - Board Member: Awesome!!!  
18:46:08 From Melo Hogan (She/Her): Great feedback Tara! Thanks!  
18:49:27 From John, TPU: Important update about past due balances and service disconnections

Mayor Woodards will continue the moratorium on disconnection until March 31, 2022. Read the full announcement [here](#).

If you have a past due balance on your utility account, plan now to pay down your balance and keep your service when we resume disconnecting service due to non-payment. Our goal is to help all our customers keep their service by providing installment plans and connecting them with assistance resources to pay down past due balances that accumulated during COVID-19. Submit an assessment form to see if you are eligible for payment assistance.

18:51:17 From Andrea (Andi) Haug SENCo Corresponding Secretary: We just wanted to say hello from the South End Neighborhood Council! We ❤️ you! Thank you 🙌

18:52:01 From Lynnette Scheidt -President: Hi Welcome.

18:54:24 From Tara Scheidt - Vice President: Thank you for all of this work to connect our community.

18:57:28 From Antonio McLemore:

<https://www.thenewstribune.com/news/local/article259267089.html>

<https://www.metroparkstacoma.org/event/co-create-peoples/>

March 30th at the ECC at 6:30p - 8P

Antonio McLemore

MPT Community Center Supervisor

[Antonio.mclemore@tacomaparks.com](mailto:Antonio.mclemore@tacomaparks.com)

19:00:01 From Andrea (Andi) Haug SENCo Corresponding Secretary: Off to the Exec meeting! Have a fantastic night and thank you to everyone who works hard to make our community amazing 🙌🙌🙌!

19:05:40 From Catherine Ushka: Please consider and share joining the Human Services or Planning Commission. Applications can be found [here](#)

<https://cityoftacoma.org/cms/One.aspx?portalId=169&pageId=4810> and are open until March 31. Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions if I can help.

19:14:11 From Claire Goodwin, City Manager's Office: • Claire Goodwin, City Manager's Office Liaison, [claire.goodwin@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:claire.goodwin@cityoftacoma.org)

• Window Replacement Program application: <https://www.makeittacoma.com>

• Window Replacement Program questions: email

<https://www.windowreplacement@cityoftacoma.org> or call (253) 591-5208

• Committees, Boards, and Commissions recruitment:

<https://www.cityoftacoma.org/cms/One.aspx?portalId=169&pageId=4810>

• Rental assistance: <https://www.piercecountywa.gov/7142/Rental-Assistance>

- Home in Tacoma Phase 2 public comment: email [homeintacoma@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:homeintacoma@cityoftacoma.org)
- For more information about the City's Home in Tacoma – Phase 2 Scoping and Assessment Report or for general project information, visit

<http://www.cityoftacoma.org/homeintacoma>

19:21:03 From Evan Mirolla - Impact Public Schools: Impact Public Schools - including our high-performing Tacoma location: Impact | Commencement Bay Elementary - is hiring for the upcoming school year for open positions as Lead Teachers, Teaching Fellows, and Learning Specialists! Information about each position and our process can be found in the attached .pdf. Come see us at tomorrow's Tacoma Dome Career Fair event to talk to us and to learn more!

Additionally, our Impact | Commencement Bay Elementary School has open seats for kindergarten for the upcoming school year. Opportunities for open seats are a first-come-first serve ahead of the next school year. Apply online today: <https://impactps.org/enroll/overview>

19:24:15 From Catherine Ushka: It's good to see you Zeek!

19:30:26 From Tim Gilman: Thanks Rick. Much needed lights for the school, children, and teachers.

19:34:04 From Aria: campfire coffee will open in newly renovated space 6310 McKinley and theory real estate will re-lease out 6311 McKinley I suggested food trucks for the lot next to it.

19:36:17 From Lynnette Scheidt -President: Aria can you hang in here for announcements?

19:37:23 From Tim Gilman: What is TPDs budget for new police officers this year, biennium?

19:38:10 From Jacob & Alisa: Are audible proximity alarms, okay?

19:43:07 From Catherine Ushka: Tim, officer positions are funded for 40 more than they currently have so - 7 to 8 mill for that, I am seeing if I can pull up the total TPD budget number compared to the city budget.

19:44:01 From Tim Gilman: Thanks Catherine.

19:45:41 From Tim Gilman: WSDOT has emails from the Governor

19:47:18 From Tim Gilman: Maybe an email from the City Manager's Office.

19:48:53 From Corwin Scott - Board Member: If people want to show their support for law enforcement, please contact the Pierce County Sheriff's Office!

19:49:19 From Tim Gilman: You go Deborah!

19:50:26 From Lt. Scripps:

<https://reflectandprotect.org/#:~:text=The%20Tacoma%20Police%20Department%20is,of%20all%20backgrounds%20to%20apply>.

19:51:13 From Lt. Scripps: Above 3 messages are the Tip of the Month, the Public Service Announcement, and the new hiring website. As always, any questions, get a hold of me [eric.scripps@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:eric.scripps@cityoftacoma.org)

19:52:55 From Stephen Hagberg, Chair, CPAC Tacoma: Stephen Hagberg CPAC Chair [cpac@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:cpac@cityoftacoma.org) 2536257107

19:54:19 From Wilber: what's going into old eqc? I heard outlet mall is that true?

19:54:45 From Stephen Hagberg, Chair, CPAC Tacoma: I am also an Eastside resident, living off 46th and McKinley are.

19:55:20 From Catherine Ushka: Thanks for your service on CPAC Stephen!

19:55:50 From Stephen Hagberg, Chair, CPAC Tacoma: Thank you for yours and for your support Catherine!

19:56:33 From Tim Gilman: So happy to have you here!!

20:03:08 From Melo Hogan (She/Her): Yay!  
20:03:31 From Catherine Ushka: I have to pop off - great to see hear you all!  
Catherine.ushka@cityoftacoma.org  
20:03:50 From Melo Hogan (She/Her): Gotchu  
20:03:54 From Melo Hogan (She/Her): Thanks everyone!