



## BOARD NOTES

Keeping everyone informed is a top priority of your CRCC board. We welcome community members attendance at monthly meetings, (held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month), but also understand that many of our residents have busy lives. To provide residents with important and current information we will be reinitiating the monthly CRCC newsletter. This will be mailed with your monthly invoice from Commonwealth. The monthly newsletter is possible with help from Clackamas River Basin Council (CRBC), and a grant from Metro – which you will hear more about under Huckleberry Projects. With the help of professional staff at CRBC we hope to create a newsletter that is written in an informal, easy to read format while keeping you connected to your community.

**Next Board Meeting**  
**August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 @ 6:00 pm**

## HUCKLEBERRY PROJECTS

This year we are extremely lucky to have been awarded three separate grants, totaling more than \$160,000 for work to preserve and restore our greenspace, i.e Huckleberry Park. Work is scheduled to begin in August and will remove all invasive plants, replant native vegetation, create more access trails and install a floating bridge for year-round island access. Work will begin in August and there will be a greenspace celebration. For more information please contact Community Liaison, Kahlei Howard, [Howardkah@gmail.com](mailto:Howardkah@gmail.com)

## COMMUNITY SURVEY

The health of CRCC depends on engaging everyone that calls CRCC home. There are many communities around the world working to connect all members of their communities. Community engagement means working together on the following actions:

- identify your community
- work to remove barriers
- gather information about needs and resources
- agree on methods of engagement
- use clear guidelines to enable participants to work together efficiently and effectively
- actively develop skills, knowledge and confidence of all participants
- measure results and outcomes

We have developed a community survey that you will receive in the mail. The information you provide will be used to make CRCC your best neighborhood ever!

**Please complete and return the survey no later than August 15<sup>th</sup>.**

Following this date, volunteers will be going door to door to collect unreturned surveys and answering any questions. Results will be used for future planning.

## NEW RESIDENTS HOMES FOR SALE

To be completed at meeting.

## SAFETY & SECURITY

This column is dedicated to sharing resident concerns about thefts and security breaches and provides you with information to ensure the safety of your home and well-being of you and your family. We will also post legal actions and rule violations that impact the community.

There have been no reported thefts in the park this summer and we hope this trend will continue. If you have experienced a theft, home intrusion, or property vandalism, please notify one of your board members. We want to make sure everyone is aware of what is happening in our neighborhood.

### **PLEASE PICK UP YOUR DOG WASTE!**

Dog waste continues to be a problem. It poses a health risk, attracts rodents and other vermin and is unattractive. The board has placed poo bags at convenient spots, please use them.

If dog waste continues to be a problem, we may need to implement a service called "POO Prints". This has been discussed by the board and would require all pet owners to have their pet's DNA tested. When feces are found, it would be tested, matched to the dog, and the offending owner responsible for the test cost and an additional fine.

## GREENSPACE CELEBRATION, CREEKWALK AND CRCC ANNUAL PICNIC

August 10<sup>th</sup>  
Creekwalk at 3:00, Food served at 5:00