



October 6, 2015

Meeting start at 6:40pm

Present: Marilyn Cooks (Resident), Dee Marindale (Resident), Bong Sto.Domingo (KC CSA rep), Jared Burwell (Skyway Solutions Staff, resident), Moriah Burwell (Resident), Alaina Burwell (Resident), Janice Watkins (Resident), Marcus Watkins (Resident), Willea Cooks (Community Organizer, previous resident), Lisa Cooper (Resident), Ryan Quigtar (Resident, RAYS, Skyway Solutions Board Member), Charlene Miller (Resident), Annie Patu, (Urban Family, previous resident), Jon Ault (Resident, Water and Sewer Commissioner) Kahdijah Jackson, (Skyway Solutions Staff, resident), and Andra Kranzler (Skyway Solutions Staff)

This meeting was a celebration of all of our accomplishments over the past year. We reviewed the SWAP Phase II Advocacy and Adoption power point.

We discussed all of the great things we have done over the past year.

Group answered questions:

1. What did you like most about the SWAP SC work?

- People participating w/ surveys, it was surprising we go so many people to fill the surveys out.
 - We collected 1700 surveys!
- It was good to hear about grant and come together to make something happen with them.
 - We received the Partnership to Improve Community Health Grant and just last week the Youth Sports Facility Grant!
- King County involvement.
 - We hosted two Technical Advisory Meetings with KC officials. Many staff members from Parks, Road and Transportation, public health and DPER are working with the community!
- Diverse group of people came together and were able to work together.
 - Over 28 people, mostly residents have participated in the SWAP-SC.
 - New people come to each meeting; and
 - We hosted 15 SC meetings!
- Different people came together with tier ideas to grow the community.
 - We hosted 5 open houses, 3 mini open houses, and
 - We were out in the community at the Library and Grocery Outlet!
- Action a plans tied to money
 - We have received grants to fund projects and staff to facilitate the planning work!
- Excitement of the community when they see us coming.
 - We collected 212 surveys on June 20th, the date we released the first draft of the SWAP!
- Food
 - We have food at all of our meetings!
- Involvement of youth
 - Youth hosted the March, Thriving Educated Youth Open House, and



- Art Farm and Mural Projects!

2. How can we improve our SWAP SC meetings?

- We need to get more people involved and make sure they know how they can plug in and feel the reward of being involved with the SWAP!
- Schedule of meetings at different times and days has made it difficult to get people here every meeting.
- Only evening meetings
 - Possible earlier times 5-7pm, or
 - Saturday mornings

Team Building Exercise – people gave their 30 second elevator speech about how they talk about the SWAP to others. People drew a symbol on a piece of post it paper that represented the SWAP.

What's next?

SWAP SC participants were asked to think about which work group they want to join. The following working

- Advocacy – get the SWAP Adopted by collecting petitions, attending the Nov. 19th public meeting hosted by King County at King County Fire District 20 from 6:30-8:30pm to discuss the Comprehensive Plan and the SWAP. Attend the Nov. 12th SWAP SC meeting at 6:30-8:30p to plan how the SWAP SC can support our work at the Nov. 19th meeting!
- Finalize the SWAP – a draft of the implementation plan will be reviewed at the Nov. 12th SC meeting. Andra will contact residents to attend a subcommittee meeting on before Nov. 12th. Please contact Andra.kranzler@skywaysolutions.org if you are interested in this work group.
- Skyway Park Working Group - we are continuing to direct the work around the Skyway Park and safe routes to school proposed project. This working group will be convened at the Nov. 12 SC meeting. Please contact jared.burwell@skywaysolutions.org if you are interested in this work group.
- Neighborhood School Initiative – we are starting the neighborhood schools initiative, we have piloted a few projects such as ART FARM and STEAM during the summer, what is next? This work group will be convened at the Nov. 12th SC meeting. Please contact Sigrid.batara@skywaysolutions.org if you are interested in this work group.

Meeting adjourned at 8pm