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THE MOUNT WASHINGTON LOCAL ISSUES COMMITTEE**

MINUTES [November 14, 2013 6:30 PM]

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Attendees: Valerie Harragin, Nina Zippay, Padraic Cassidy, Christine Pierron
Call to Order – 6:35pm

1. Minutes from October 10, 2013 MWLI meeting approved.
2. Public Comments Received:
 - a. Stakeholder comments received regarding possible development on West Point Drive
 - b. Stakeholder concerns raised regarding safety of off-ramp from Ave 43
 - c. Stakeholder comments received regarding need for paving of Museum Drive
 - d. Stakeholder concerns received regarding the number of coyotes in area
3. Report from Councilmember Cedillo's office
 - a. Complaints have come in from community on trash and illegal dumping on Marmion Way
 - b. Notice that there is a malfunction of train signals at Avenue 43 resulting in delays.
 - c. Office is continuing to work on linkage (shuttle) from area down to train station
 - d. Site visit to Avenue 45 condominium project is to be scheduled and land use committee members will be invited to participate
4. Report from Planning and Land Use Committee meeting: a list of asphalt street repairs has been submitted to City, list of potholes in area was submitted to City for repairs, request from Monterey Hills regarding linkage (shuttle) to train station was received, and Ganymede grading issue (discussed at MWLI meeting in Sept. 2013) was addressed and developer was invited to attend meeting
5. Suggestions made for future meetings and possible actions of the committee:
 - a. Creation of ad hoc committee for creating of community garden
 - b. Brush clearance
 - c. MW guided hike by local botanist
 - d. Promoting and development of native grasses on hillsides
 - e. Stairway on Mavis to Sterling – need to investigate status
6. Meeting adjourned 7:55pm



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