



Audubon-Downriver Newsletter



December, 2020

A Monthly Newsletter from the Audubon-Downriver Neighborhood Council

Welcome to the December edition of the Audubon Downriver newsletter. The Audubon-Downriver Neighborhood Council (ADNC) began this newsletter as a way to stay in touch with neighborhood residents when COVID restrictions no longer allowed us to host our monthly meetings. Beginning in January, we will resume our monthly meetings in a virtual format. We hope you will join our on-line meetings to stay informed with what is happening in your neighborhood. Details regarding the meeting date, time and how to join are provided below.

On behalf of everyone on the ADNC board, we wish all of you a safe and happy holiday season.

current topics >>>

Bag Dispensers to be installed on River Bluff

The Parks department has agreed to install two dispensers for pet waste disposal plastic bags along the unimproved trail that runs adjacent to Riverview Drive. To reduce costs, residents are encouraged to fill the dispensers with sturdy, clean, plastic bags. Small trash receptacles will be included with the dispensers and the ADNC has agreed to collect and dispose of the waste on a regular basis.

Spokane Public Schools 2021 Replacement Levy

In early February, voters will be asked to pass a new levy. The 2021 levy is not a new tax. It replaces the expiring 2018 levy. For more information visit www.spokaneschools.org/levy.

Spokane Police Department Public Survey

The SPD is seeking public input on their service to the community regarding trust, community outreach, professionalism and more. The results will be used to assess and improve SPD training and practices. To access the survey go to: <https://my.spokanecity.org/news/stories/2020/12/04/spokane-police-department-survey/>



Membership Meetings to resume in January in Virtual Format

Monthly membership meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month (except July, August and December) at 7:00 pm. We try to adjourn the meeting no later than 8:30 pm. Residents who attend 2 or more meetings in a 12 month period become voting members. We look forward to a time when we can resume our regular in-person meetings. Until then, please join us on-line. We will strive to make our virtual meetings as informative and productive as our in-person meetings have been in the past. The next meeting will be on January 21 at 7:00 pm. Details about how to join the Zoom meeting will be sent to our e-mail list, Facebook page and website. If you have questions about participating or need assistance, please call or email ADNC prior to the meeting. **Email audubondownriver@gmail.com or call 509-218-6428.**

Audubon-Downriver Neighborhood Council Board Members: Jeff Stevens, Chair and Traffic Coordinator; Chris Wright, Vice-chair/Treasurer; Andrea Kilgore, Secretary and Social Media; Fran Papeleur, Community Assembly Liaison; Kirsten Angell, Parks Coordinator; Victor Frazier, COPS NW & WCCC Liaison

The Audubon-Downriver Neighborhood Council (ADNC) works to improve the quality of life for everyone that lives and works in the neighborhood by providing a forum for discussion, an opportunity for participation, and an organized approach to communicating with local government and other decision-making bodies. For more information, please visit our website at <https://audubondownriver.spokaneneighborhoods.org/>