Jones Hill Association

A Village on the Hill Celebrating 140 Years of Diversity • *1875 - 2015*

7pm, Wednesday, October 14th, 2020

Due to COVID-19, meeting being held via Zoom. Login details are posted below.

AGENDA

Welcome (5 min)	Bridget Curd
Treasurer's Report (5 min) New members consider becoming a voting member -- contributions are tax deductible! ● September was voting membership renewal month. Voting memberships for the 2020/2021 year are valid from 10/01/2020 thru 9/30/2021 (per membership vote). Please renew your membership today if you haven't already by visiting: **https://www.joneshill.com/become-a-member/** ● Membership / Outreach - Please help us to welcome new neighbors by inviting them to become a Jones Hill Association member !	Ed Grimes
Police Report (10 min)	Officer Bret Giannetti (C-11)
Committees (15 min) ● *Traffic:* ○ List of items to review with BTD. Adding request for caution signage for Downer Ave. playground. – No Update ● *Green Space:* ○ Downer Ave Playground/Dog Recreation Area: ■ Friends of the Park Group Update ■ 100 Steps : Public Works working on lighting the steps. DPW also adding a middle railing and addressing the drainage issues on the steps. ○ Everett Ave: ■ Boston Food Forest Coalition ■ Working on landscaping, paths, benches, and plantings. Target completion: Spring 2021 ■ Applied for Robert H. Henderson grant ● Planning & Development ○ **120-122 Hancock** – Urbanica has been assigned to develop the site. Summer 2021 construction expected to begin and take approx. 14 months. Completion: Fall 2022. ○ **Bayside Expo:** Project Notification Form (PNF) filed on 9/23/20 with Boston Planning and Development Agency. The PNF indicates the former Bayside Expo Center site will be turned into 1740 units of residential housing, retail shops, restaurants and public space. Link to Dorchester Reporter article on this project : Bayside Expo Article ○ **Dot Block**: Catherine O'Neill will join us for the October meeting and provide an update. ○ **Water Ferry (Fallon Pier)** - feasibility study now complete. A copy of the study can be found at this link: Fallon Pier Study Please note you will have to enter your name and email for access. ○ **Upham's Corner development -** An updated RFP has been issued and there have been some responses. – No other updates. ○ **25 Glendale Avenue** – Outdoor Used Car proposal will not be moving forward. ○ ***Next Meeting: Tues 10/27 @ 6.30pm via Zoom if needed. (Final Tues each month, as needed)*** ● *Social:* ○ **Halloween Decorating Contest:** Display the neighborhoods Wicked creativity by decorating the front of your home for Halloween. Winners will receive a $25. Gift certificate to a local business! For more details please go to: (JH Halloween) ● *Diversity and Inclusion:* ○ Update from 10/07/20 Initial Meeting – Next Meeting: 10/21 @ 6pm via Zoom .	Steve Power Bob Freeman Kit Binns Bridget Catherine O'Neill Kit Binns Steve Farrell Steve Farrell/ Stacey C.

Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services Liaison Update (5 min) o Update on Neighborhood Services items.	Chantal Barbosa

Announcements

- **St. Mary's has a new President.** Alexis Steel who had been the acting President for St. Mary's has been appointed as President. We'd like to congratulate Alexis on her new role.
- **We're Looking for Volunteers!** Another way to be active with the neighborhood is to volunteer with one of our committees. There are many projects with various time commitments that would make our neighborhood a better place. Have a free hour or two and would like to help out the JHA and your community? Let us know…
- **Next Meeting: Wed 11/11, 7pm -** via Zoom meeting due to Covid-19 social distancing restrictions.

10/14/2020 Zoom Meeting Details and Link:

Wed Oct 14th, 7pm:

Topic: Jones Hill Assoc. October Neighborhood Mtg
Time: Oct 14, 2020 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting
https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81281851388?pwd=YTRuRWR3UG9MT3c2MUFYVWd3ZEJtdz09

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