

# Historic Southeast Neighborhood Association Meeting Notes

Thursday, September 15, 2022

## Gresham Public Library – Community Meeting Room

385 NW Miller Ave, Gresham, OR 97030 7:00 PM – 7:45 PM

Meeting Attendees: 19

Board Members:

- Phil Svabik - President
- Harry Lew - Vice President
- Kate Batten - Secretary and Treasurer
- Allan Krim - Land Use

Agenda Items:

- 7:00 Welcome, establish quorum
  - Quorum met and minutes approved
- 7:05 Introductions
- 7:10 Marissa Eckman: Johnson Creek Watershed Council – About the council and ways to get involved
  - Visit website to see event cal and volunteer: <https://www.jcwc.org/tag/gresham/>
  - Community engagement initiatives:
    - Creek Care - partner with private land owners along creek; offer free plants, restoration, etc.)
    - Service Learning - partner with Title I schools.
    - Watershed Wide - Johnson Creek trash cleanup
    - Community Science programs - **volunteers needed**
      - amphibian surveys - influences how gresham manages stormwater
      - bird surveys on powell butte - biggest prairie habitat in city - influences construction timing when birds not nesting
      - dragonfly surveys
      - beaver surveys
      - salmon surveys
- 7:30 PGE Tower Replacement on the Springwater Corridor
- 7:35 Neighborhood news, questions, and comments
  - Traffic/speeding concerns
    - No sidewalks
    - No enforcement
    - We appealed to city previously, but no action taken
  - [My Gresham website](#) and app to report issues around city
  - Tree planting - potential to partner with Johnson creek watershed
- 7:50 Adjourn

**Next neighborhood meeting slated for Feb 2nd**