

Housing: Feb 2, 2018

Friday, February 2, 2018 9:15 AM

Housing Opportunity Day

HB 4007 - Doc recording Fee

HB 4006 -

Council on Feb 5 - Annexation hearing

LWV supports Voter approved annexation and will be testifying, based on the need to support voter participation - determined at the State level of LWV

HCDAB opposes voter approved annexation

Jim M will be there - signing up early

Discussion of Workgroup recommendations and process to cycle through HOAC

Leadership/Governing Board

- Need to establish a clear path for this group to make recommendations, and gain support of HOAC Leadership/GBd
- Need to be able to move quickly at times -- legislative advocacy needs to be nimble
- ? - Is there a way to drive "rapid response" across the community?
 - Email distribution to list of those interested
 - Website/tools
- Suggestion that Leadership meet 2x/monthly
- Julie: Suggest we make a high level set of recommendations for approval
 - Provides framework for advocacy and room for more agile response
- Suggestion: Brigetta: Create a group identity for the public -- Corvallis Home Matters, or something
 - ★▪ Concern about confusing brand identity -- separate group from HOAC?
- Suggestion: Do Training at HOAC G Brd meeting
- Jim: Many non profits are reluctant to engage in advocacy
 - Don't want to alienate boards and donors
 - Nicole: May also be a confidence and training issue for non-profit leaders, who often rise up from direct service
 - Andrea: Also confusion about how much 501c3 can advocate
 - Julie: Workgroup needs to make case to the Board that we're advocating for those who can't or won't be in a position to advocate
- Need to get a policy framework approved
- Need to have regular communications on policy advocacy opportunities to community members
- Need to get mini-training on messaging to HOAC
- ★ - Need comms to GBd NOW reminding about the hearing - urge to consider testimony or online comment/letter representing your or your org's position -- include some of the packet (see Brigetta's handout - add a page or two)

Letter to Leadership regarding homelessness in parks & law enforcement

- Need letter to Council
 - Update on Outreach
 - Position on criminalization
 - Andrea has a draft letter -- Andrea will work with Jim & Julie on draft for Leadership review

- Julie: Set collaborative tone
 - Send to Sassaman and Emery as a courtesy before presented to HOAC & City Council
 - Note the collaboration there

Policy priorities: Sarah Ingle, Sara H, Brigetta and Shawn will draft