MEETINGS:

GENERAL MEETING

The next General Meeting will be held Tuesday evening, February 20 at 7:30PM in the Seward School Library. This will be a MOST IMPORTANT MEETING and we hope to see many new faces. Many issues seriously affecting the Eastlake neighborhood will be discussed and we would like to see YOU there! ALL EASTLAKE AREA APARTMENT DWELLERS, HOMEOWNERS AND BUSINESSPERSONS WELCOME!

THE PRESIDENTS PEN

As soon as I became President of the Eastlake Community Council (by virtue of Dave Kohles' resigning) I was flown to Washington D.C. by the National Neighborhood Commission for a conference. I was fascinated by the wide diversity of people attending the conference. I also found that, in at least one respect, Eastlake is quite progressive; we have a cooperative relationship with our business community; most community councils across the country seem to have an adversarial relationship.

On another topic, it is very important that as many people as possible from Eastlake attend the next General Meeting on February 20. Paul Mar, of the consultants who worked on the current Roanake Reef study, will be there to receive community input, as will Thom Bottomiller from the Department of Community Development.

We will also be discussing another extremely important issue....that of the Eastlake Goals and Policies. The Board of Eastlake Community Council recently met with Councilman Micheal Hildt to discuss our community's goals and policies...a project which the neighborhood has worked on for a long time. Plans for an Eastlake Community City Council hearing are in progress and we need Eastlakers to hear about the details and pass the word. These issues will have a direct affect on every Eastlake resident and the future of the area. PLEASE JOIN US AT THE UPCOMING TUESDAY EVENING MEETING.

Finally, I would like to thank all those people who have worked to make Eastlake's projects and protests a success. Keep up the good work! Ron Schwang, Pres.

EASTLAKE GOES IRISH

ON St. Patrick's Day, March 17, the Eastlake Community Council will sponsor a party in celebration of St. Patrick's Day at the Bumgardner Partnership. The party is still in the planning stage--anyone interested in helping out can contact Kathy Shea (she's Irish) at 322-3189 or 883-5578. Be sure to leave March 17 open! It will be a great time to meet your friendly Eastlake neighbors and support your friendly Community.
Roanoak Reef

The report on the future of Roanoake Reef is prepared. After a preliminary screening by the joint committee, nine alternative scenarios were studied in detail by the consultant. In a draft final report these alternative scenarios have been explained, criticized and prioritized.

At the general meeting of the Eastlake Community Council, Paul Mar will make an appearance to discuss the study and answer questions. Paul is the manager of the consultant work team.

Since the results of this study will most likely determine the future of the Roanoke Reef property, this meeting is important to our community. Since this final report is still in draft form and has not yet been released to the public, your first explanation of the contents will be at this meeting.

Please come to the general meeting on February 20th.

Dave Kolebs

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MEMBERSHIP TAKES ON A NEW LOOK

Over the years, the Eastlake Community Council has heard the concern "what do I get for my dues?" Starting last December members receive a "membership pack" which includes a membership card and a copy of the Eastlake Goals and Policies.

Members who paid dues in 1978 will be receiving renewal notices in the month that their dues are due.

The council hopes that the improved organization of the membership will encourage Eastlake residents to join the council.

HELP!

If you have ever felt "left out" because you didn't receive your Eastlake Community Newsletter- you aren't alone. That's because we need HELP with distribution! We are doing better, but at the present time some of our members are distributing 4 or 5 times the amount that is normally assigned to one person. PLEASE VOLUNTEER TO SPEND 15 - 30 MINUTES ONCE A MONTH to help distribute newsletters in your neighborhood. That can be your contribution to your community (even if you don't have time to go to meetings and/or do community work).

VOLUNTEERS CALL BETH: 522-8507

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Yes! I love Eastlake and want to support my community.

Name ___________ Phone ___________

Address ___________

Yearly dues: $5 household, $3 senior citizen, $10 business.

Mail to: Eastlake Community Council, P.O. Box 4101, Seattle, WN 98104

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