

Goosefoot held meeting on Aug 7 to discuss design of affordable housing. Around 60 people there. Lots of community input. Whidbey homeless coalition had opening fundraiser for emergency shelter in Coupeville.

- c. Sept 14 next meeting of economic development strategy.
- d. Legislative committee – working on getting updates from County on various projects

6. Member/Organization Updates

a. Clinton Water District Don Simmons
Hilltop line replacement completed – slightly under budget (was leaking). Got first order of electronic meters and starting to install at Columbia beach. Will add accuracy and efficiency. Generator on Heggenes should be installed by Oct. Want to transition to paperless billing.

b. Friends of Clinton Library Carol Flax
Preparing for elections for new board members. Still waiting for copy of report to Sno-Isle about new/improved library.

c. South Whidbey Parks and Recreation Jennifer Cox

d. Clinton Community Hall Mike Gerhardt

e. Chamber of Commerce Emily Switzer
Partnering with Council and Hall on Harvest Fest Sept 30. Looking for folks to have booths. Will be vendors, food, etc. FOCL paying for music. Will be in Hall parking lot. Membership meeting Oct 10 Hong Kong Gardens

f. South Whidbey School District Joe Greenheron
Approved budget for school year and goals for district. Sept 5 school starts. New building configuration with only 2 buildings. Failed bond will be on Nov ballot with slightly lower amount – from \$80 million to \$79 million and change. Students will be able to use pool if it's built.

g. Port of South Whidbey Curt Gordon

h. Ferries Dave Hoogerwerf

7. New Business

- a. Harvest fest – sheet with all info sent out. If Council needs to contribute funds we will need to discuss – we have about \$800 in the picnic account.
- b. Community meeting – Feb or March

- c. Open position – talked to previous folks we interviewed. Will continue looking for at large member
- d. Non-voting members – bylaws 3.3
- e. Secretary still open

8. New Business

9. Next meeting: Sept 25, 2023

All

10. Adjourn 6:40 pm

Jon Forbes