

FRIDAY MEMO

November 5, 2004

1. Next Thursday, November 11 is Veterans Day and a City holiday. City offices will be closed. Due to the holiday next week there will be no Friday Memo. It will resume on November 19.
2. The 3rd Annual Winter Solstice Event is set for Saturday, December 18th at the Milwaukie Riverfront. As in years past the event will include holiday carols, a bonfire, some refreshments to keep you warm, and of course the Christmas ships cruising the Willamette. If you or anyone you know of is interested in volunteering or need further information please contact JoAnn Herrigel at 503.786.7508.
3. The next training session for NDA Leaders and others will be on the topic of "Taking Effective Notes." This training is highly recommended for all Secretaries or anyone else who takes notes at NDA meetings. Pat DuVal, Milwaukie's City Recorder, will give the training. The training will take place at the Public Safety Building (3200 Harrison Street) from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, November 17th.
4. The next Landlord Training Forum will be January 22, 2005, 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Public Safety Building (3200 SE Harrison St.). The topic has not been chosen.
5. Election Update: The unofficial election results of the November 2 Council election are in:

Position #1

<u>Candidate</u>	<u>Number of Votes</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Carlotta Collette	3,752	51.55%
Sarai S. Julien	432	5.94%
Mike Stacey	3,041	41.78%
Write-Ins	53	.73%

Total Votes: 7,278

Position #2

<u>Candidate</u>	<u>Number of Votes</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Joe Loomis	5,424	98.21%
Write-Ins	99	1.79%

Total Votes: 5,523

Municipal Court Judge Ron Gray will administer the oaths of office to Carlotta and Joe at the January 4, 2005 Council meeting. Their terms of office will last through December 2008.

7. There will be a Pioneer Cemetery Clean up on Saturday, November 6th from 9 a.m. to noon. On the following Saturday, November 13th, the Trustees will have a Board meeting at 11 a.m. at the Museum.
8. From the NCPRD On-line Newsletter:
ELK ROCK ISLAND WORK PARTY SATURDAY, NOV. 13 - Friends of Elk Rock Island has partnered with the Clackamas County Environmental Youth Corps, which is planning a study/work project on the island this fall. The Corps will work six consecutive Saturdays beginning Oct. 30. A group of volunteers will also meet at 9 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 13, at Spring Park, the corner of 19th and Sparrow in Milwaukie, and will work until noon. Volunteers are asked to bring gloves, loppers and any other tools needed and to dress for the weather. Those 14 years of age and under should be accompanied by an adult. After pulling miles of ivy, cutting gobs of blackberry and yanking nasty invasives, planting will begin. The plants are part of the watershed grant received last year. Portland Parks staff members designed the plantings and will be on hand. For more information, contact Charles Bird at charlesbird@juno.com.
10. The Stormwater Division has just replaced 100 Fish Lids in the Historic Milwaukie and Lake Road Neighborhoods. This is a total of 200 to date. The plan is to buy 100 per year till all of Milwaukie has Fish Lids on all Stormwater facilities. (photo below)

