

**Fauntleroy Community Association
Business Meeting Minutes
March 10, 2026**

Board Members present: Frank Immel, Catherine Bailey, Alan Grainger, Bruce Butterfield, Bill Wellington, Meredith Sciarrio, Dave Follis, Amber Heinemann, David Haggerty (via phone)

Board members absent: Reed Haggerty, Susan Lantz-Dey, Kris Ilgenfritz

Guests present: Matt Brown & Jamie Heslin (SPD); Jason Grotleuschen (WSBlog); Dwight (neighbor via phone); Jamison Johnson, John McNulty & Victoria Nelson

Call to Order: Frank Immel, FCA President, called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m.

Frank noted that hard copies of the February minutes and the agenda for today's meeting are unavailable. Matt and Jamie from SPD will provide their report first so that they may leave for another meeting.

SPD Update: Total reported crime incidences for the city are down for 2026 and down by 14% for the SW precinct. Most crime reports are for property crime. Violet crime is down 30% for the SW precinct. This is similar to reports for the entirety of Seattle. In Fauntleroy, there are no shots fired reports YTD and for the precinct, there were 11 total. Staffing is going well. All officers hired last year are in training, working alongside more veteran officers.

Annual Meeting/Food Fest Update:

- **Check-in table.** Meredith reported that she has one Zettle reader, Alan has one, and we believe that Susan may have the third reader. Meredith will staff the sign-in table along with Alan and Bill.
- **Name tags.** Catherine and Dave will work together to make sure that all board members have name tags with the new yellow & black logo. We also need sticky-backed name tags for all other attendees (Catherine). Bruce will reach out to elected officials to invite them.
- **Tables.** David H. reviewed who has confirmed their participation. They include the usual food vendors from the past year. David will get confirmation from each of them as the date gets closer and will loop in Amber. Catherine will staff the FCA table. Besides information about FCA, the table will include a sign showing our business partners (Amber) and their business cards or flyers will be available.
- **Clicker.** David will bring the clicker so that Meredith can get a count of the number of attendees.
- **Table Centerpieces.** Susan will be responsible with Dave assisting.
- **SDOT.** Will Ching or someone else from SDOT be attending? We want them to be there. Catherine will follow-up with Ching.

- **Ferries.** Frank confirmed that Hadley R. from WS Ferries will be attending.

Community Projects:

Frank noted that he met with CM Rob Saka on Friday and discussed the major construction projects planned for the area and our concern that the various agencies are not coordinating with one another and without regard for the disruption to the surrounding neighborhood. CM Saka sent a letter on 3/10 to the leaders of SPU, SDOT and City Light about their respective projects and requested their coordination with Fauntleroy neighbors.

- **Rose Street crosswalk.** Victoria noted that SDOT has not done any outreach to neighbors and given that WashDOT wasn't aware of the project, would like to see the Rose St. project delayed. Many of her neighbors do not like the idea of the proposed "island." She supports just a pedestrian-controlled flashing light, a bus shelter and a continuation of the bike lane. Do we know if SDOT has coordinated with Metro Transit? Bruce suggested that we write to Metro and others about the project.
- **Ferries project.** Frank noted that the CAG group has been sunsetted and that they are finalizing the environmental review work. We do not yet have a date for the traffic signal but expect it in 2026 (SDOT responsible).
- **Culvert work.** The timeline for this is unknown and we hope that SPU will attend the Annual Meeting/Fall Festival so that neighbors can become more familiar with the work. Frank noted that an RFP has yet to be released for the construction work.
- **Brace Point.** Underground cables are being replaced by Seattle City Light. This work is already underway. Road closures and noise are evident in this area.

FCA Committees:

- **Marketing & Communications.** Bill needs to schedule another meeting with this committee.
- **Social Media/Facebook.** It was noted that someone is posting information about FCA on Facebook; however, we don't know who it is. Jamison Johnson has volunteered to be our Facebook administrator.
 - A motion was made to authorize Jamison as our FB admin. The motion was seconded and all were in favor.
- **Executive Committee.** The officers that will be presented at the Annual Meeting: Frank (President), Catherine (Vice-President), Alan (Treasurer). Since Kris is resigning as secretary, we need someone to step up for this position.
- **Annual Meeting/Food Fest.** David H. & Amber.

Meeting Minutes from February business meeting. A motion was made to accept the minutes as made available earlier in March via email. Seconded and carried.

Frank Immel adjourned the meeting at 8 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Catherine Bailey, Vice-President