

Southland Park Residents Association Inc.

Minutes for November 6th, 2025

In attendance: Jason Friesen, Maren Gnall, Laurie Forrest, Dave Gowriluk, Jane Drexler, Paris Fragkoulis, Kimberlee Gray

Agenda approved by group.

Previous meeting's minutes and AGM minutes approved by Dave and seconded by Laurie.

New Member Introductions

- New SPRA members Paris and Kimberlee were welcomed.

Councillor Wyatt Update

- Councillor Wyatt was unable to attend the meeting today but will try to attend our next SPRA meeting.

AGM and BBQ Update

- SPRA received many positive comments about the BBQ.
- There was good community participation. The variety of activities allowed everyone to enjoy something at the BBQ.
- Feedback/suggestions from the BBQ will be taken into consideration for the next one.
 - Feedback included having washroom facilities/handwashing available
 - Additional activities to consider

Precinct J Update

- There are no news at this time.

Community Updates

Traffic issue

- The city is looking into solutions for slowing traffic in the neighbourhood, but will likely not proceed with anything until the new development is in place.
- The city is also looking into adjusting the current 'Stop' sign at the entrance to the development.
- If residents notice any construction vehicle cutting through the neighbourhood, please advise the SPRA (website, Facebook, email, etc.) so that it can be flagged to the developers.

Community Notice Board

- The board is now and has been paid for, lots of people are noticing the board, would like to include local community events, etc.
- Looking to install a light for the board, so that it can be seen in the evenings.
- There will be a commemoration plaque installed in the board – from Russ Wyatt

Other

- The reflective poles in the park have been removed and stored away, as kids were pulling them out of the ground.

Website Update

- Kimberlee's husband Chris has been looking into options for the SPRA's website redesign
- Motion to pursue options for the website and costs was approved by Jason, passed by Laurie

Finance Update

- Jason provided the financial update.
- The remaining Grant money must be spent by Dec. 31, 2026.
- We have received 19% of all Resident Association Fees this year so far.

New Business / Ideas

- Look at ways to increase SPRA membership buy-in

- o Maybe a survey to the community that can be filled-in anonymously with ideas for the events/engagement in the community
- Includes names and photos of Executive committee on the website
- Newsletter up on the website
- Lights for around the Basketball/Pickleball court
- Christmas/Holiday light competition/exhibition in the community with prizes

Next Meeting in January 2026, location TBD.