

YORK GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

May 11, 2016

at Garden St. Methodist Church

The meeting was preceded by a Spring Supper Salad, at 6:30pm
The meeting was called to order by President Don Hilty-Jones at 7pm

1. ANNOUNCEMENTS

2. PROGRAM: "The 3 W's of URBAN LIVING: WATER, WRATS (RATS), and WASTE"

1) Guest speaker Ted Carlson, Director, City of Bellingham Public Works Dept. was introduced. Ted presented information about Bellingham's water supply, quality, and testing programs. He also answered questions about potential street improvements on Samish Way related to the redevelopment of the old Aloha Motel site into multi-story housing and office space by Whatcom & Bellingham Housing Authority. He also spoke briefly about the new LED lighting for the city-owned light poles.

2) Guest speaker Bill Angel, Whatcom County Health Dept., presented information about how to prevent rodent infestation.

3) York Board member and WWU student Edward Tabor provided information about the Tenant Waste Task Force and a new program from WWU for "Don't Trash Bellingham" which provides educational information to students about correct ways to dispose of unwanted furniture.

3. Business – There was no business to discuss

The meeting adjourned at 8:45pm

Minutes submitted by Anne Mackie, Secretary

Minutes approved, Oct. 14, 2016.