

RANA



RAYNOLDS ADDITION NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

February 06, 2025 Minutes

Meeting began at 7:01pm

1. Attendance
 - a. **Board members:** Janet Maury (President), Luis Santiago (Secretary), Christopher Frechette (Vice President), Stephanie Elliot (Treasurer), Bob Tilley (Board Member), Chris Schepker (Board Member), Margaret Lopez (Board Member)
 - b. **Neighbors:** Kari Ahlschwede, Anita LaCour, Ric Gonzalez, Sara desJardins, Peter Rice, Kathy Fitzgibbon, A.J. Carian, Alicia Romero, Dann Reichman, Lucas Batista, Lauren R., Sooz Hoffman, Nancy Kilpatrick, Jessica Stone, Dylan Olivas, A. Franks, Gary S.
2. Minutes for November and December 2024 approved
3. Treasurer's Report: \$1,183.07
4. Introductions of new and "old" neighbors!
5. Alicia Romero (aliciaromero@cabq.gov) History curator at [ABQ Museum](#)
 - a. Route 66 2026 Centennial Exhibition: June 6, 2026
 - i. Theme: The story of Route 66 and Central
6. Luminarias Review! How did it go?
 - a. Enough people to take down within 30 minutes!
7. 8th Street/Hotel Blue Updates
 - a. "Woonerf" as proposed street design.
 - b. Hotel soft opening Feb 13 and fully opened for booking March 1.
8. "How the city of ABQ City functions" presentations for RANA.
 - a. How does funding flow? How does the budget and funds get allocated? Who are personnel to go for certain topics? When people are in need, where to go?
9. Spring Clean Up: Stephanie leading!
10. Styrofoam recycling idea!
11. RANA Rounds: 28 attendees last month! Next Round March 23! Contact Nancy Kilpatrick.
12. Ideas for what to bring or add!
 - a. Loved the Pollinators In Neighborhood Project. More music and DJ?
 - b. Community landscape and gardening discussions/ ABQ Backyard Refuge
 - i. Heat Island Effect and Greenspace talks.

Meeting ended at 8:06pm

(How to balance "business" and "social" time to avoid going past one hour! Ideas welcome!)

NEXT MEETING: March 6, 7pm at OffCenter Arts