

McClymont, Keelan

From: marion mcnamara <marion.mcnamara86@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 8:12 AM
To: Council Clerk – Testimony
Subject: Copy of comments for Communications section #137

Sleepless in Portland

My name is Marion McNamara, and I'm here because Ken Burfeind asked to address the council about the disruptive noise on the corner of Broadway and Market. Ken was unable to come, due to a change in his schedule. I live the down the hall from Ken and Gilda, and I know from them what a difficult time they've had with the noise from the people who spend the night on the corner. There's a gathering every night except when it's very cold, with shouting, drumming, fighting, and the howling of one person's dog answering the sirens of the emergency vehicles. Ken frequently calls the Noise Officer, but when this works it's only till the officer leaves, and just engenders anger and resentment from the group. This negative cycle is good for no one. The issue of noise is the most difficult and the one we are least able to mitigate on our own. Clean & Safe help us with the litter and needle issues, but no one seems to be able to help with the noise, which is most harmful to quality of life. Please consider some ways by which we can ensure that the unhoused people who live in the neighborhood are not harassed and neither are residents who are trying to sleep through the night. Is there a community policing option available? Could the people on the corner underneath windows where people are trying to sleep move to one of the three other corners, where there are no people trying to sleep? Is this a situation that would lend itself to mediation? How can the city help us with problem-solving this problem? Thanks for your work on working for long-term solutions. I hope there are some short-term fixes that we can work on together.

Marion McNamara
for Ken Burfeind

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Moore-Love, Karla

From: Ken Burfeind <kenburfeind@outlook.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 8, 2019 6:57 PM
To: Moore-Love, Karla
Cc: gilda pellicce
Subject: RE: City Council Communications

Hi Karla,

My name: Ken Burfeind
My address: 1500 SW Park Ave #321 Portland, OR. 97201
My number: 505-331-8214
Date to speak: 02/20/2019

Topic: Continual (15 months and going) disruption of peace and quiet at the corner of Broadway and Market Plaid Pantry by the homeless/vagrants, especially at night and specifically by the a guy with an unleashed dog that barks and howls at all times of the day and night. Plus the drinking and constant noise of the crowd that gathers around the guy with the dog.

Thanks,
Ken
505-331-8214

From: gilda pellicce <gpellicce@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 8, 2019 8:40 AM
To: kenburfeind@outlook.com
Subject: Fwd: City Council Communications

Ken
She told me it needs to be done by you and from your email. When you reply make sure to say the appt is on Feb 20 in the morning.

Thanks,
Gilda Burfeind

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Moore-Love, Karla" <Karla.Moore-Love@portlandoregon.gov>
Date: January 8, 2019 at 8:28:00 AM PST
To: "gpellicce@yahoo.com" <gpellicce@yahoo.com>
Subject: City Council Communications

Hello Gilda,

Please have your husband send his name, address, phone number, date he wishes to speak, and topic to me at Karla.Moore-Love@portlandoregon.gov.

Communications are the first item on the official agenda and we start at 9:30 a.m. He will have three minutes to address the Council but he may also submit written testimony, please provide seven copies.

Communications allow the Council to hear issues that interest our community members but does not always allow an opportunity for dialogue.

Council takes place at City Hall, 1221 SW 4th Ave., 2nd floor, Council Chambers.

Sincerely,
Karla



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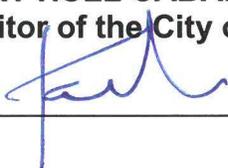


Request of Ken Burfeind to address Council regarding disruption of peace and quiet at Broadway and Market Plaid Pantry (Communication)

FEB 20 2019

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 Auditor of the City of Portland

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