

Lendrum Civics Report (2014 2015)

The civics representative liaises with the City and university on matters that impact Lendrum.

Parking

The community league developed a plan to ameliorate parking issues in north-west Lendrum. Residents and the city were consulted. Options were assessed. Two reports are available. The objective is to have parking controls by fall 2015. In April, four volunteers started canvassing 140 properties impacted to get signatures from 66% of the owners in support of the residential parking program. To date, 19 owners support the program, 5 owners have said no to the program and 2 have said maybe. The area most heavily impacted by the parking issues has not yet been canvassed. One resident wants it extended to the auxiliary road on 60th avenue to support visitors to the church. People saying no are concerned about the challenge of getting parking permissions for visitors.

Dog Park

A resident wants to create a dog park in the dry pond on 122nd street and the university farm. Consultations were begun with the university and the city. An assessment of options and feasibility will be done in the 2015 2016 year.

Land Trust / University Farm

The University established a trust to manage development of land on the university. Comments were gathered from Lendrum residents and the university answered resident's questions.

Communities around the farm had questions about coyotes. Lendrum residents were referred to City and university websites about urban coyotes. Residents were informed of a seminar by Dr. Colleen Cassidy who runs the university urban coyote program.

A short written profile of Lendrum was provided as background to briefings for the incoming university president.

City Infill Policy

Residents were informed of - and some attended - a meeting on the city's new infill policy with Michael Walters. A short letter was written to Michael Walters reflecting some residents' concerns. The League does not have a policy on infill.

Community Meeting

A civics public meeting was held at Lendrum community hall in November to discuss issues of concern to residents. Issues discussed included infill, parking, traffic, and a dog park. 15 people attended. A report is available.