



CAN February 19, 2024 Newsletter

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## CAN News

# Reimagining CULLY 5 CORNERS

STAY TUNED

## Next Gathering in mid March

Let's gather and plan for a  
Summertime Community  
event & side walk painting  
in the 5 Corners intersection



**QUESTIONS?** Email: [Cully5Corners@gmail.com](mailto:Cully5Corners@gmail.com)

**STAY TUNED!** The next Reimagining Cully 5 Corners Meeting is happening in mid March, date TBD! We will be discussing an upcoming summertime community event and sidewalk painting in the 5 Corners Intersection. We'd love you to join us. **Questions?** Email [Cully5Corners@gmail.com](mailto:Cully5Corners@gmail.com)

**January CAN Neighborhood Gathering minutes (Draft)**

**HERE**

**February 27- CAN Board Meeting**

## Community Updates

### Tree Summit 2024

Saturday, March 2nd from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Rigler Elementary School Auditorium ([5401 NE Prescott St, Portland, OR 97218](https://www.google.com/maps/place/5401+NE+Prescott+St,+Portland,+OR+97218))

Join Urban Forestry at Tree Summit 2024 "Growing our Urban Forest Together" - All are welcome to this free public event featuring tree walks and

presentations by Urban Forestry and community partners about the work they are doing to grow our urban forest and how you can be a part of this change. Lunch will be provided.



[Register here](#)

## Portland Columbia Lions

The Portland Columbia Lions has been a member of the Cully community for 75 years. They host a weekly Bingo game at the Spare Room at 4830 NE 42<sup>nd</sup> Avenue at 7 PM where they raised over \$10,000 in 2023. All of the proceeds were donated to charities including Guide Dogs for the Blind, Blanchett House and Outside In among others. They have also pledged to help members of our community with site and hearing needs. If you or someone you know is in need have them go to <https://olshf.org/get-help>. In order to keep helping our community they need volunteers to help out with Bingo. Shifts are Mondays from 6:30-9:00 and dinner is included. It's a fun way to give back to our community! Please text or call Shannon at 503.705.3581

## Latest design for 82nd Avenue incorporates public feedback

Learn more and suggest refinements in an online survey and at upcoming outreach events. Plans include trees, pedestrian crossings, and new street pavement, improving livability and safety while preserving access to businesses.



The Portland Bureau of Transportation today released plans for sidewalks, pedestrian safety improvements and new, smooth pavement on a 2.5-mile stretch of 82nd Avenue, one of the most dangerous streets in the city.

[Read More](#)

## Participate, Engage, Volunteer!

### Celebrate the Lunar New Year

Lan Su Chinese Garden hosts a three week festival features a variety of cultural performances and activities from February 7 to March 2. [Visit their website for more information!](#)



### Rumble On The River Community

Forum #13–Webinar

Thursday, February 22nd. 7:00-8:30 PM

[Register HERE for this ZOOM webinar.](#)

Risky Reality of Our Toxic Mix– PSU/Multnomah County Report Review  
“Over 1000 hazardous storage containers at local industries in Multnomah County are in danger of leaking in an earthquake because they were not built to seismic design standards. Those holding hazardous gasses may release toxic plumes into the air that can be life-threatening. These plumes will be carried by the wind to other locations. Other hazmats may spill onto soil and water with dire environmental impacts.” —**Tank The Tanks**

Panelists will present on toxic plume releases following an earthquake and public actions to take:

- Review of the Report: Risks to All Multnomah County Residents: **Luke Hanst**, Institute of Sustainable Solutions/PSU, a key writer of the report
- Emergency Management of a Toxic Scenario: **Chris Voss**, Director Multnomah County Emergency Management
- Community Resilience and Preparedness Strategies: **Alice Busch**, Multnomah County Emergency Operations, report writer, EMT, former firefighter and former NET
- Public Safety Education Resource: Information about Community Right to Know

**Joint Moderators:** Nancy Hiser and Shawn Looney, Linnton Neighborhood Association, Tank the Tanks, NET team

Please register todayDetails and the **REGISTRATION FORM** link are attached.

## Grants available

Own a business on or within a few blocks of 82nd Avenue?  
You may be within a priority area eligible for up to \$25,000 reimbursement for security improvements, physical repairs related to vandalism, and inventory loss. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. The next deadline is February 11, 2024.

**Learn more about the Restore Grant program**

## Grants for 82nd Avenue non-profits available

Community-based organizations engaged in work to improve climate resiliency may be eligible for grants of up to \$100,000.

**Learn more about the Portland Clean Energy Fund’s Community Responsive Grant Program**

## Breakfast on the Bridges

February 23 - Walk or bike to the following bridge locations from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. for free coffee and goodies! For over 20 years, **Breakfast on the Bridges** has been offering up free coffee and goodies to people biking, walking, scooting and boarding across Portland's bridges.

Bridge locations: Blumenauer: North side, Flanders: East side, Steel: East side of the lower deck; Tilikum: West side under the 99 red balloons statue.



 **Habitat for Humanity**<sup>®</sup>  
Portland Region

Interested in owning your own home?



**We will have opportunities for homeownership available in  
SW Portland, King City, Lake Oswego & Hillsboro  
for the years 2024 & 2025.**

**18 units - Century Commons - 825 SE Century Blvd Hillsboro - Applications 3.4 - 3.15.2024**

**17 units - 25th Terrace (Taylors Ferry) - 2401 SW Taylors Ferry Road Portland**

**23 units - West Lake Grove (Boones Ferry) - 16858 Boones Ferry Road Lake Oswego**

**16 units - King City - 17165 SW Pacific Hwy King City**

**\*\*To submit a completed application households will need to pay a \$30 app fee\*\***

Habitat will be building 3 - 5-bedroom homes and ADA ready homes. If you are interested in applying for one of these properties, please fill out our interest form, located on our website, to be notified by mail and/or email of the dates of our next application round.

[www.habitatportlandregion.org/homeownership](http://www.habitatportlandregion.org/homeownership)

**Please join us, the first Wednesday of the month, for a zoom information session to learn more about Habitat's application process and program. Scan QR code to register.**



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## Ongoing CAN Events

### CAN Neighborhood Gatherings

Tuesday, March 12, 2024 at Grace Presbyterian, 6025 NE Prescott

**Join Zoom** @ Meeting ID: 892 9705 9428 Passcode: 795423

*Neighborhood Gatherings are every 2nd Tuesday, monthly from September through June. CAN Members are all persons who live, work, or play in Cully.*

### CAN Transportation & Land Use (TLC) Meeting

TBD

**Join Zoom** @ Meeting ID: 892 9705 9428 Passcode: 795423

*CAN Transportation & Land Use (TLC) Meetings are on the 3rd Tuesday, monthly and/or as-needed from 6:30-8 pm. More **Land Use and Zoning** info*

### CAN Board Meeting

Tuesday, February 27, 6:30 - 8:30 pm

**Join Zoom** @ Meeting ID: 892 9705 9428 Passcode: 795423

*CAN Board Member Meetings every 4th Tuesday, monthly year-round from 6:30-8:30 pm*

## Community Resources

Check out all these other events happening around the neighborhood.

- [Alder Commons](#)
- [Hacienda CDC](#)
- [Living Cully](#)
- [Naya](#)

Living Cully maintains a list of [community resources](#). Let us know what we're missing!



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