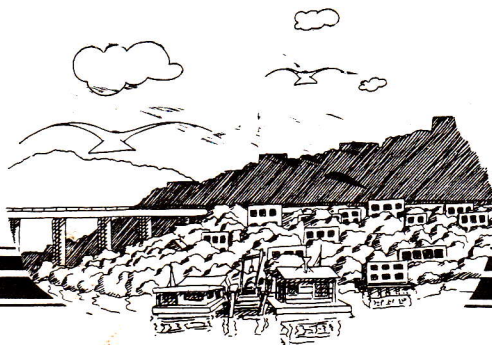
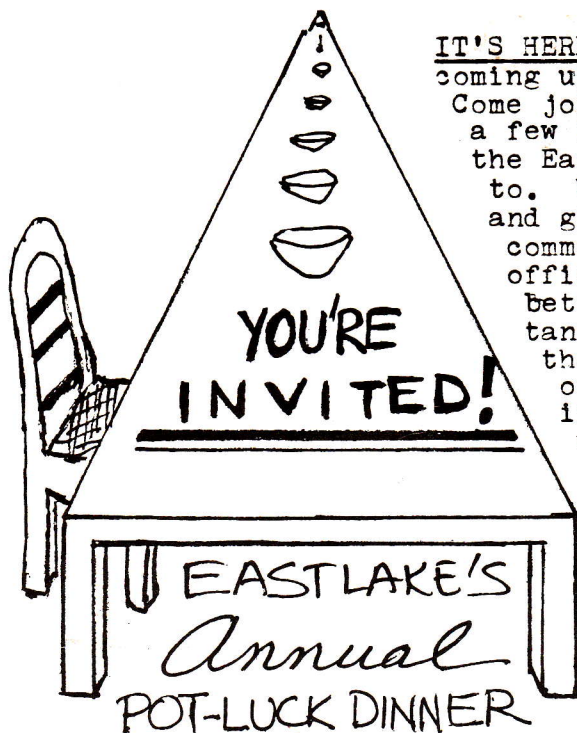


EASTLAKE



MAY, 1983

NEWS



IT'S HERE! Eastlake's annual pot luck dinner is coming up, and the entire neighborhood is invited! Come join us for food, drink and fun as we share a few laughs about the trials and tribulations the Eastlake area always seems to be subjected to. We'll be having a slide show on Lake Union, and giving a quick review of the new neighborhood commercial zoning proposal. Then we'll elect officers for the upcoming 1983-4 session. What better way to meet new people, make new acquaintances, and find out the latest information on the Eastlake area?(Who knows, you may even find out who your next door neighbor is!) Also, if you've ever been even a bit curious as to what the Eastlake Community Council is all about, this gathering is definitely for you. Come and meet the various officers and members of the Council, and ask whatever questions you like. The occasion is definitely informal, and all we ask is that you bring your favorite food dish (beverage, too, if you'd like).

HOPE TO SEE Y-O-U THERE!!!

GENERAL & ELECTIONS

MAY 17 7:30PM · SEWARD PUBLIC SCHOOL

IF YOU'VE BEEN WONDERING WHAT THE CONSTRUCTION IS ALL ABOUT AT THE U OF W BRIDGE, the Seattle Engineering Department is installing a bicycle lane on the bridge and in each of the curb lanes approaching the bridge. The improvement will give bicyclists specially surfaced lanes through this heavily used street. Additional bike lanes are planned late this year on Valley St. and No. 34th St. We'll probably see the entire U of W bridge painted sometime this year, too.

NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL ZONING UPDATE: As we've discussed before, Seattle's outdated Comprehensive Plan is being replaced by new land use policies which form the basis for a new Zoning Code and Map. The Mayor and City Council adopted policies for single family residential areas in June 1979 and for multi-family residential areas in July 1981. The Council implemented the new residential policies last year, on May 10, 1982. This year, the Land Use and Transportation Project (LUTP) has been drafting policies for the neighborhood commercial zoning areas, and just this month, the Mayor has made his recommendations on the zoning. The Land Use Committee of the City Council will begin consideration of these policies and will take public comments at special hearings listed in the preliminary schedule - on following page.

- * Committee Briefings, Council Chambers March 8 to May 3
- * Public Hearing, Council Chambers May 5, 7:00p.m.
- * Land Use Committee Work Sessions on Policies May 17 to June 14
- * Land Use Committee Preliminary Policies, Zoning Code and Map revisions July 20
- * Public Hearing on Land Use Committee recommendations August 8
- * Land Use Committee Final Recommendations to Council August 16
- * Full Council vote on the Neighborhood Commercial Areas Land Use Policies and Public School Designations Code and Map August 22

Please note that this schedule is preliminary and may change. To receive notification of Council hearings, please call Claire McKechnie or Allynn Ruth in Councilman Paul Kraabel's office, at 625-2447. To find out just how the Mayor's recommendations affect Eastlake, attend the upcoming Potluck dinner meeting. We will have the new and legible full-size, full-color map on display!

METRO IS PLANNING TO EXPAND ELECTRIC OVERHEAD-WIRE TROLLEY SERVICE

in their 1990 Transit Plan, and one of the routes selected is #73, which runs from Downtown Seattle, down Eastlake Avenue, and into the University District, up to 65th. If you would like to comment, a public hearing is scheduled for Tuesday, May 24, at 7:30 p.m. in the Seattle City Council Chambers.

LOOKING BACK...Both Eastlake and Cascade(her sister community to the south) have had problems in maintaining their character-even since the 1900's. In 1910, the Northern Pacific Railway tried for a franchise for a line to encircle the lake. They met with bitter opposition from those who would have kept the shores for the public as parks and landscaped areas, beaches, etc. The successful Denny Mill, the Montlake cut and the locks which were scheduled for completion had all sealed the fate of the shoreline of Lake Union.

Eastlake has fared better than Cascade in her effort to maintain a residential character. Light industry has moved in as well as commercial ventures. However, unlike Cascade, which had to close its school after the 1949 earth quake, Eastlake has been fortunate enough to maintain its school, Seward Park Elementary. Another interesting feature of the Eastlake Community is its high concentration of houseboats along the Eastern shore of Lake Union. When the first houseboat was floated on the lake is not known, however, their popularity continues to increase. Also on the increase in this area are apartment buildings. The desirability of the neighborhood located on a lake with ship traffic and recreational potential, close to the city and university, has created a demand for more multiple family units.

The construction of the freeway in the early 1960's did irreparable damage to the two communities as well. Small commercial ventures, corner groceries, taverns, and drug stores closed their doors after the loss of over 300 homes and more than 600 people. Also lost were those lower Capitol Hill residents who previously had walked down to those conveniences.

So the history of Eastlake is one of struggle. What her future is, will be determined, at least in part, by the diligence of the community organizations.

TWO EXCELLENT PUBLICATIONS YOU SHOULD ADD TO YOUR LIBRARY are now available, Free! Published by the city of Seattle's Department of Construction and Land Use (DCLU), they provide information to renters, rental property owners and citizens in general who have questions about Seattle's Housing, Litter and Zoning Codes. If you want to really know what your rights and responsibilities are, these books are for you. To obtain your copies, call Katy Chaney, Director of Housing and Zoning Enforcement at 625-2271, or write DCLU at 503 Municipal Building, Seattle, WA 98104. Ask for Informational Bulletins # 603 and 604.

IS YOUR MEMBERSHIP CURRENT WITH THE EASTLAKE COMMUNITY COUNCIL? We're pleased to announce that Bibelot's and Books has volunteered their time to help process memberships for the council -- both business and residential. If you'd like to find out if you're still current, or would like to sign up, or just ask questions, stop by their store and ask for Shirley or Reba. They are located at 112 East Lynn St. (just down the street from the Eastlake Zoo and Julia's). You may call them by phoning 329-6676.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!! Anthony C. Kasney, Karen J. Ramey, Elizabeth A. Marx, Judy I. Massong, and Doris and Michael Taylor. Also welcome new business members: Secretarial Service, Gerhardt Research Service, and Wright Travel. THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!!

Business Friends

The following Eastlake neighborhood businesses have contributed towards the Eastlake Community Council to help support our newsletter and annual activities. Please patronize them -- they're in business to help you, conveniently....right here in Eastlake.

Adlar Properties
2366 Eastlake Ave. E.

\$12 DUES; \$25 LISTING

Ralli-Round
1512 Fairview E.

The Balloonist
2044 Eastlake Avenue East

Bauer Books
2241 Eastlake Avenue East

Bibelots and Books
112 East Lynn

The Bumgardner Architects
2021 Minor Avenue East

Cadranell Yacht Landing
2370 Fairview Avenue East

Bruce C. Davis Company
2624 Eastlake Avenue East

Eastlake Zoo
2301 Eastlake Avenue East

Floating Homes Association
2329 Fairview Avenue East

G & H Printing
2370 Eastlake Avenue East

Wright Travel
1807-A Eastlake Ave. E.

Scott Sherman Auto Repair
215 E. Garfield

Hal's Shell Service
2244 Eastlake Avenue East

J.C., Fox & Sons Tavern
2307 Eastlake Avenue East

Morse Stafford Partnership/Architects
2033 Minor Avenue East

Quick Stop Grocery
2325 Eastlake Avenue East

Roanoke Exit Restaurant
2366 Eastlake Avenue East

Arthur L. Scheine/Architect
2215 Franklin Avenue East

Seattle-First National Bank
Eastlake Branch, 1600 Eastlake East

Scott S. Sherman Auto Repair
215 East Garfield Street

Secretarial Service
3123 Fairview Ave. E.
Suite A

HERE'S A HELPFUL CALL GUIDE for questions and problems you may have concerning the neighborhood or city. The phone numbers are for the Seattle Engineering Department, and cover basically all the areas that seem to be the cause of most questions or problems. Use them to save time and get answers! (P.S. The more information you give them, the better.)

WHERE TO CALL

GENERAL INFORMATION

Maps, Pamphlets, Complaints 625-2375
Emergency (24 hrs) 623-4327

CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT

Information on Programs, Meetings, Media 625-2381

BID DOCUMENTS

Bidding information 625-2873

BICYCLES - Maps/Routes

625-5177

BRIDGES

Bridge Operations 625-4101
West Seattle Bridge 625-2383

LOCAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS

Filing Petitions 625-2377

REPRODUCTIVE SERVICES

625-2874

PROJECT MANAGERS

Engineering Projects 625-2354

SEWER UTILITY

625-2733

SOLID WASTE

Collection & Disposal 625-2325
Billing--Can Rate 625-5685
Recycling 625-2089

STREET MAINTENANCE

Litter Receptacles 625-2725
Maintenance 625-4327
Trees in Streets 625-2725
Sewer/or Drainage 625-2317
North of Ship Canal 625-5292
South of Ship Canal 625-4327

ST./ALLEY VACATIONS

625-2385

STREET USE

Permits 625-2317
Street Inspections 625-2317
Construction 625-2317
Alleys 625-2317
Low Tree Branches 625-2317
Side Sewer 625-2314
Utility Permits 625-2394

TRAFFIC

Inadequate Lighting 625-2331
Missing or Downed Signs 625-4103
Traffic Permits 625-2343
Abandoned Autos 625-2343
Signal Problems 625-2347
Other Traffic Prob. 625-2347
Residential Parking 625-2347

**BIBELOTS
&
BOOKS**

We have copies of:

SEATTLE'S UNSINKABLE
HOUSEBOATS
-an illustrated history by Howard Droker
\$4.95 ea.

112 East Lynn St.
329-6676

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Yes! I love Eastlake and want to support my community.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Yearly dues: \$6 household, \$3 senior citizens, \$12 Business

Mail to: EASTLAKE COMMUNITY COUNCIL
P.O. BOX 477, SEATTLE, WA
98111-0477

4. **YOU MAY SIGN UP & CHECK YOUR MEMBERSHIP
AT BIBELOTS AND BOOKS**