

Lind-Bohanon Neighborhood Association Meeting Minutes

December 10, 2025 7PM



- **Introductions**

- Emelia Terry, Amanda Ruch, Marlena Okechukwu, Michael Terry, Angie Spencer, Natasha Wilson, Sophia Deady, Melva Jenkins, Marla Klein

- **Approve [November Minutes](#)**

- Board President Emelia motions to approve November minutes, seconded by Board Treasurer Melva Jenkins - all in favor.

- **Welcome and Ward 4 updates from CM Vetaw Board**

- President Emelia Terry provided welcome to the community and guests, noted that CM Vetaw could not be present. Brief overview of agenda for meeting.

- **Legislative Updates from Senator Bobby Joe Champion and House Representatives Fue Lee & Esther Agbaje**

- Senator Champion and House Representatives Lee and Agbaje gave updates on legislation they have worked on during the last legislative session and how it impacts residents. Invited community members to stay engaged with their work and share concerns. Took questions directly from community during Q&A.

- **2025 LBNA Recap**

- Marlena gave a recap of LBNA/Outreach/Youth activities for 2025:
 - **Family Circles** - Provided safe, supportive spaces for community connection and relationship-building
 - **Neighborhood Garage Sales** - Facilitated economic opportunity for residents through organized community-wide sales
 - **Listening Circles** - Conducted meaningful community engagement to understand resident priorities and needs
 - **Annual Meeting** - Brought together community members, board leadership, and elected officials for transparent governance
 - **Backpack Giveaway** - Addressed educational equity by providing essential school supplies to families
 - **Security Rebates** - Enhanced neighborhood safety through financial support for home security improvements
 - **Home Loan Program** - Promoted homeownership and long-term neighborhood investment
 - **Neighborhood Food Drive** - Addressed food insecurity and essential services access (top listening circle priority)

- **Participation at Community Events** - Maintained visible LBNA presence throughout the community
- **Swag Voting**
 - Provided residents with several options for swag; LBNA will order swag for future giveaways based on feedback.
- **City Updates**
 - Arian Fine (tentative) NA

Guests

- Senator Bobby Joe Champion, House Representative Fae Lee, House Representative Esther Agbaje

Upcoming Events:

- **Winter Solstice at Creekview Recreation Center | Friday, December 19, 2025**
- Creekview Recreation Center 5001 Humboldt Ave N., Minneapolis
 - 5pm-7pm
 - Vision 2026 - Vision board activity and food