



Quarterly Neighborhood Meeting

The quarterly CNA meeting scheduled for this evening, May 12, 2022 will be rescheduled

Collister Neighbors,

We're disappointed to inform you that **the quarterly CNA meeting scheduled for this evening, May 12, will need to be rescheduled.** While we recognize that many have adjusted schedules and made space for the important conversation we desired to have this evening, we do not feel that it is appropriate to hold the meeting as planned.

We understand that a large number of Collister residents have planned to be in attendance, and that many Veterans Park Neighborhood residents also plan to attend. However, the space we have selected is not large enough to fit the now-anticipated number of attendees, and while only Collister residents can sign up to speak at a neighborhood meeting, we believe that residents of adjacent neighborhoods should be welcome to observe as well. We don't want to turn anyone away. As such, we will need to identify a suitable location for the rescheduled meeting.

Additionally, while we recognize that this is a complex conversation for all involved, we've seen some instances of the vocabulary being used turning from neighborliness to hatefulness, and do not feel we are currently prepared to respond if hatefulness were to turn to violence.

The CNA Board will work to identify a suitable venue with appropriate security considerations and will publicize the time and location in future communications.

Respectfully - The CNA Board