

18 Jul. 2013

**General Assembly**

**# People attended: 8**

**Location:** Lowndale Sq., downtown

**Note Taker:** Daniel Hong

Updates

- Mt. Tabor Occupation
  - BBQ planned tomorrow (Friday, 19 Jul.)
  - Numbers have dwindled...
- Trayvon Martin
  - Speech @ Department of Justice center, downtown
  - Sadly, lots of anti-police rhetoric
  - The night of the verdict...
  - ...anarchist Sean and his posse marched at night
- KBOO radio
  - Silent dance @ Fountain on Naito Parkway
- Vigilante “sleepovers” @ Mega-banks
  - Joel passed out the Occucards
  - Strike Debt/Rolling Jubilee
- OPAL – environmental rights
  - Organizing to extend Bus/MAX regular passes from 2 hrs. to 3 hrs., and after 7 pm. Unlimited
  - Every single day
  - Early Bird Rides
  - Aim is to expand public transportation and its incentive

Proposals

1. Sign-making for Vigil by *Sawyer* **PASSED**
  - Invest money for Vigil
  - Cheap sign-making materials – markers, boards...
  - Be a conscientious effort by all
  - *SCRAP PDX* used office supply shop
  - Committee to have picketers?
  - Sawyer will be in Portland until July 25th
2. Recycling bins @ Vigil for gathering by *Joseph* (“Tequilah”) **PASSED**
  - Have several recycling bins for plastic bottles and cans (3..? 4..?)
  - Collective area for anyone to use
  - Income for people, and income for vigil
  - There are *lots* of disposables that gather!
  - Anyone takes cans as they please~
  - This is for environmental conservation, not profit or ownership
3. Endorsement for Action by *Daniel* **PASSED**
  - This Saturday’s (20 Jul.) action for Trayvon Martin
  - DOJ, I believe
  - Facebook event posted~

- AM. or PM. [scheduled 2 PM.]
  - It may be related to the rally @ Pioneer Courthouse Sq.?
4. Emergency GA by "*Tequilah*" **DROPPED**
- This Saturday, after Trayvon Martin
  - Simply to gain numbers
  - To build a "republic-like" structure to build a better framework and incentive for participation
  - People say, "Too close; should be worked on for next Thursday's GA"
  - Proposer agreed; proposal dropped