

Renewal Application for **Fiscal Sponsorship**

Applicant Name:	Project Name:King Neighborhood Association
Date of Request: June 26, 2018	Desired Date for Acceptance: July 1, 2018
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- 1. Please describe your project including its activities for the upcoming year. Provide flyer/materials if available. KNA will return to its purpose as defined in its bylaws, i.e., ESTABLISHING and MAINTAINING open lines of communication/liaison between neighborhood & government agencies. KNA will also return to madherence to ONI Standards, Section II, i.e., consideraing and acting on issues affecting the livability and quality of our neighborhood. Beginning May 9, KNA is posting all land use notices affecting properties within KNA's boundaries, to notify residents & solict their comments and advice. KNA is sending out on nextdoor a monthly column on KNA news/ info. MONTHLY meetings have been established, and KNA is advertising in the Portland Observer.
- 2. How will your project continue to address community need(s) in NECN's service area? (See map on the last page for reference.) With election of reform board on May 9, 2018, KNA is now holding special board meetings in areas of King historically ignored by past boards (i.e., west of MLK The new board has established and will maintain OPEN, TRANSPARENT and RESPONSIVE decision-making as well as a firm commitment to democratic processes & policies. The new board will advocate f King neighborhood and its residents rather than special interests & ideologies. Active outreach by KNA board to community will lead to the community informing KNA of needs.
- 3. How does your project continue to fit the mission of Northeast Coalition of Neighborhoods? Please explain. The new KNA board is committed to increasing King Neighborhood livability by increasing opportunities for our residents/members to determine how their neighborhood evolve This is accomplished by ending past board practices of purging membership roster, repeated board appointment of board members without notification of vacancies, removing elected board members (especially minority members); seeking to strip membership from members, and most rece ly, the former chair's clandestine negotiations to give away part of King neighborhood without consulting or notifying King members and residents. Reform board is promoting amended bylaws
- 4. Who will be involved with the project this year? Please provide an updated list of board and committee members. What is their experience level for a project of this type?

 Margaret O'Hartigan, chair (May '18) 10 years' experience director, Filisa Vistima Foundation, an OR non-profit obtaining healthcare/legal assistance for transsexuals. Jennifer Jardee-Borqu Co-Chair (May '18) former KNA board member (2004-2008), former NECN board member 2007-2010. Jennifer just appointed KNA rep to NECN board. Libby Deal, Secretary (May '18) 7 years' experence managing multi-million \$ USAID programs from proposal stage to closeout, RN w/degree in public health from Geo. Washington Univ. Rachel Koteles, At-Large #1, (May '18) former Senior Software engineer for GE, former software analyst for Providence Health Plans, brd member Fil Vistima Foundation 1995-2006. Sarah Moses, At-Large #3 & Finance Committee chair, 20 years CP. experience, has Master of Taxation, and juris doctorate. Member, King neighborhood emergency team. Derwin Cunningham, At-Large #2 (May '17). Diego Gioseffi, Treasurer (appointed Oct. '17 former treasurer of KNA and chair, GreenKing. Liaising Committee Chair (apptd May, '18) Ursul Kienbaum, attorney. Land Use Committee Chair, Margaret O'Hartigan. Rachel Koteles, tech suppo

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Jacquie Walton, publicity volunteer.