**Recap of October 12, 2023 YNC Meeting**

Missed the presentation about Ranked Choice Voting at the October 12, 2023 YNC meeting? Watch the recording. (hotlink)

Highlights:

* Ranked Choice Voting expert **Josh Daniels** gave an overview of the history, benefit and strategy behind the new voting system which will decide Salt Lake City elections this fall. **Two big takeaways**: RCV eliminates the “spoiler” effect that Ross Perot and Ralph Nadar had on past Presidential races – and could occur again with RFK Jr. And, he urged voters to rank every candidate in each race, maximizing the impact.
* Lynn Pershing, president of KEEP Yalecrest, gave a reminder announcement about the Historic Homes Walking Tour Saturday, Oct. 14 on Laird Avenue between 1300 and 1500 East.
* **Lauren Barlow,** chair of the Road Safety Committee, Bonneville Elementary School, reported that the new school drop-off system (kindergarten kids on 1900 East and grades 1-6 grades on 2000 East) is working smoothly. New signage has been installed and a new crossing guard was hired for 2000 East and Laird.
* **SLCPD Det. Sam Fallows.** With the change of seasons, a reminder to not to leave cars running making them easy targets for criminals. If you see illegal parking issues call the Compliance Division at slcparking@slcgov.com. Contact the SpeedWatch division at SLCPDMotor@slcgov.com if you see speeders.
* **Councilman Dan Dugan and Hannah Barton from the mayor’s office:** Dan briefly discussed the Laird Heights Local Historic District application, the Affordable Housing Incentive Plan, and a legislative initiative for cameras in speed and school zones. Hannah emphasized the celebration of Human Rights Day December 10 and the public comment period for UDOT’s I-15 expansion which ends Nov. 13 <https://i15eis.udot.utah.gov>.
* Elections for the YNC board were held and the following were elected: Janet (Jan) Hemming, Chair; Stuart Bevan and Eric Povilus, Co-Vice Chairs; Jennifer Evans, Secretary-Treasurer; At-Large: Marguerite Henderson, Eric Dyer and Tim Ermish.