

### September 26 Meeting Notes Columbia Play Project

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# October Meeting October 24 @ 7:00 PM Immanuel Lutheran Church

No November Meeting
Join us for our annual Holiday
Party the first Saturday of
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Event Title	Date	Location
VHNA Meeting: Speaker - Bryan Stebbins Updates on the Interstate Bridge Replacement Program	Thursday, October 24th @ 7:00 PM	lmmanuel Lutheran Church

#### Please join us for our next VHNA meeting!

Thursday, October 24 @ 7:00 PM Share feedback, ask questions, and participate virtually using the link below

> Immanuel Lutheran Church Watch online w/ Zoom @ tinyurl.com/vhnameeting Passcode: 654772

> Or use the Zoom App w/ meeting ID 222 187 1792