PINCKNEY NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION Minutes of Annual Meeting - February 15, 2014

Persons Present: Anne Shaw, Norma Pierce, Mary Ann Tindell, Steve Braswell, Paul Liechti, Linda Bush, Harry Miller, Dave Crawford, Kim Heck, Jerry Coatney, Shandra Ragsdale, Paul Jefferson

Meeting called to order at 10:00 a.m.

Minutes of previous meeting were approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Current Balance: \$2,422.82. Itemized report attached hereto.

LAN REPORT:

Lawrence Association of Neighborhoods (LAN) report: Linda Bush reported.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

Vice President: Melinda Toumi

Co-Secretaries: Norma Pierce and Kim Heck

OLD BUSINESS:

<u>Hobbs Trail Extension</u>: The president passed out copies of her letter to the City Commission dated February 2, 2014, in support of the proposed extension.

<u>Community Development block grant application</u>. Pat Miller reported on the most recent meeting of the Community Development Board and PNA's application for funding.

"Outside for a Better Inside" Trail. Melinda Toumi reported on the progress of the trail.

NEW BUSINESS:

Dave Crawford from Old West Lawrence Neighborhood Association spoke to the group, requesting PNA's support for a downtown grocery store to be located in the former site of Border's book store at 7th and New Hampshire. Motion was carried for PNA to send a letter of support to the City Commission. Pat Miller will draft the letter.

Horizon 2020: Formation of a steering committee was announced.

Community Village Lawrence discussed.

Emergency Preparedness/Douglas County Emergency Management Dept. was discussed.

GUEST SPEAKERS:

Following the regular meeting, Jerry Coatney, Liberty Tax Service, spoke about 2014 personal income tax matters. Also, Shawna Ragsdale spoke on the Affordable Care Act.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30. The next scheduled meeting is March 22, 2014.

HARRY MILLER Secretary