

PINCKNEY NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION MEETING OUTCOMES

July 15, 2017

Lawrence LMH

Meeting called to Order at 10:09 a.m.

MEETING PARTICIPANTS

Kim Heck, Paul Liechti, Pat Miller, Jen Unekis, Bart Littlejohn, Steve Braswell, M Balia Thomas, Lynnette Littlejohn, Rachel Stumblingbear

REVIOUS MEETING OUTCOMES & CURRENT MEETING AGENDA APPROVAL

Previous Meeting Outcomes were approved. Motion by P. Miller; 2nd by P. Liechti. Voice vote; Motion carries.

UPDATES, ANNOUNCEMENTS & REPORTS

- **Treasurer's Report** - Received \$55 in cash at the picnic and \$890 in in-kind donations; have \$304 total in petty cash; bank balance is \$1,148.33; have \$587.27 in CDGB grant reimbursement, which we will be using for the next newsletter.
- **LAN Update** - There are no pressing issues for LAN; sidewalks and bike paths will continue to be addressed.
- **Downtown Grocery Store Report** - Rhode Island neighbors are commenting; no change to slow progress.
- **LMH** - President Littlejohn met with LMH CEO Russ Johnson and Communications Director Janice Early and they discussed improving the relationship between LMH and the neighborhood by having better advance communication. LMH has a resurfacing of parking lots project, a tree trimming and removal of ash borer infected trees; and are planning to improve Woody Park to be more of a destination, i.e. offer a bike path and walking loop. Other ideas include a fitness area and creating a musical park. Need to recognize Bill Woody and keep the family informed of any changes. LMH has a fellowship program for employees to volunteer/learn about different aspects of the community. PNA might consider asking for assistance at the garage sale or trunk-or-treat. President Littlejohn requested a long-term parking plan.
- **Walk Pinckney** - has been successful and neighbors have been welcoming. Next *Walk Pinckney* will be Aug. 12, 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. We have completed sections 1,3,4,7,8
- **Lawrence Pedestrian Coalition** - is seeking safe route volunteers to get kids safely to/from school. Contact Gary Weber.
- **Live Well Lawrence Coalition** - There is a meeting July 27, 1:30-4 p.m. M Balia volunteered to attend.
- **PNA Pictures** - PNA is seeking a way to show its pictures on its website. P. Miller to research. Flickr and Facebook Albums were suggested.

BUSINESS ITEMS

- **PNA Potluck Recap** - it was very successful; had more people than in previous recent years.
 - S. Braswell to provide information on purchases (numbers)
 - For next year we will need more food.
- **Garage Sale Fundraiser** - tentatively set for Sept. 16. S. Braswell to find out how other neighborhoods host a garage sale that have limited time and resources to devote to soliciting, storing, pricing setting up and cleaning up. Send ideas on how to make it a great event to J. Unekis.
- **The Coordinator position** - is open. We will receive \$5075.85 in CDBG funds. PNA will pay \$12 - \$15 per hr. not a monthly salary. Need to review previous job description and advertise the position in August.
- **Newsletter** - will be published in late Aug./early Sept. promoting garage sale. Need content. Postcard to be produced to promote the trunk or treat in early Oct. Send ideas to P. Miller.
- **Neighborhoods Plan** - Next priority. Bonnie Johnson has agreed to assist.

FUTURE MEETINGS

August 19 - Meeting - Topic TBD

Sept. 16 - Garage Sale

October 14 Meeting - Topic TBD

October 28 - Trunk or Treat

Meeting adjourned at 11:40 a.m. Motion by P. Liechti ; 2nd by P. Miller. Voice vote: Motion carries.