

## SCA MEETING 6-25-19 MINUTES

Motion to accept June, 2019, meeting minutes was seconded and passed.

### CPD Liaison - Officer Clinger

Only issues are cars being rifled through - do not keep valuables in car and keep car locked.  
Extend-a-Suite back in compliance - police will keep eyes on.  
614-645-4545\*

### Treasurers Report - Pat Hammel

Income - \$3,843.00  
Expenses - \$1,906.19  
Net Income - \$1,927.81  
Checking account balance - \$6,077.72  
Remaining budget obligations - -\$3,013.81  
Annual Cash Reserve - 2,355.00  
Cash Available - \$728.91

Relationship between income and expenses in the budget - used Thanksgiving dinner as an example. \$500 was budgeted for expenses for the Thanksgiving Dinner. There was a \$5 donation for Thanksgiving Dinner but that does not add to budgeted expenses amount, but is a source of income. So the amount to be spent on Thanksgiving dinner remains \$500, it does not increase to \$505.

Motion made to accept treasurer's report.

### Community Liaison [aaakainyah@columbus.gov](mailto:aaakainyah@columbus.gov)

Charlene Combs spoke with Alfred Akainyah re:

- Sewer issues - Alfred sent request to Public Utilities and forwarded as well to Sewer Maintenance Operations Center.
- 5428 North Meadows - Alfred notified supervisor of Code Enforcement.
- Concrete at corner of Hillery and Roche - he referred out - recommended that residents call 311.
- Speeding in the neighborhood - no longer deploys the speed trailers. Recommended that residents make 311 calls. A resident reported that she saw a speed trailer on Cooke Road.
- Water from park coming into yard - he referred to Parks and Rec.
- Empty lot not being cared for on North Meadows reported every week. Encouraged residents to call 311.

Charlene mentioned that Columbia Service Partners is a water line warranty company that pays for water line repairs at a minimal monthly membership cost. See *Columbia Service Partners* on Facebook.

### NCC Report

- NCC Development Committee recommended approval for construction of 4-story senior independent housing facility on Roche/161 corner parcel, with the condition they pursue shared parking agreements with neighboring buildings.
- Next 161 Task Force cleanup is Saturday, August 10<sup>th</sup>. Meet at 9am behind Jiffy Lube at Sharon Woods Center. Bags, gloves, safety vests and pick-up tools provided.
- NCC Annual Picnic Tuesday, August 13<sup>th</sup>, 6-8pm at Northland Swim Club (5006 Almont Dr.). All Northland area residents invited, free admission, NCC provides meats for grilling, bring a side dish to share.
- Northland Area Business Association (NABA) Annual Golf Outing Thursday, August 22nd, 9:00am start at York Golf Club. A portion of the proceeds will go to Elevate Northland. See <https://www.nabacolumbus.org/annual-golf-outing/> for registration and sponsorship.
- Next Elevate Northland Business Academy class is Grant Writing Like A Lawyer, Thursday, August 22nd, 6:30-7:30pm. See <https://www.facebook.com/events/2289166737836385/> for details.
- The next Elevate Northland Community Potluck will be Saturday, September 28th at noon at Ashland University on 161.
- Northland Community Bazaar will be Saturday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am-2:00pm. See <https://www.facebook.com/events/336683733646618/> for info to sign up to be a vendor.

### **Communications**

- Lamplighter articles due August 9th - send early if you want but please do not send late. Email articles, ideas, etc., to Jessie at [toney0914@gmail.com](mailto:toney0914@gmail.com)
- Delivery the weekend of August 23rd - stuffing on 8/22 (Thursday).

### **Website**

- The webpage is up - ([www.salemcivicassociation.org](http://www.salemcivicassociation.org))
- Will upload minutes and add calendar of events (along with trash schedule).
- Send community events to Jessie Baldwin.
- Website committee will meet in a week or so to set up a Paypal account and online membership.

### **Membership**

- 172 residential members
- 24 business members plus a few at the meeting.
- Regarding a welcoming committee. Jake said it is usually the responsibility of membership chair to welcome new members. He is working on a process for doing this in a more challenging "cautious" climate. One resident suggested that a letter and some other neighborhood information (Lamplighter, etc) be placed in a clear bag and hung on the front door. Perhaps local businesses could be asked to contribute coupons.
- Another resident suggested that SCA members visit sellers at the upcoming garage sale and give them a Lamplighter and invite them to the SCA meeting.
- It was also suggested that an article about the Website go into the lamplighter.

- Jake was reminded to submit a projected budget request if he would need funding for the suggestions above.

### **Safety - Jeff Combs**

- Concerns about speeding - referred to Alfred.
- Hot days - keep animals indoors.
- Columbus Schools resume classes on 8.22.

### **Social**

- August 3 - Neighborhood garage sale (sponsored by Paul Groeniger who will provide advertisement/signs).
  - Garage sale maps will be provided.
  - Posted in Northland News, Booster and Craigslist.
  - Signs for yard sale are available. - DO NOT POST SIGNS IN GRASS BETWEEN SIDEWALK AND STREET.
  - If participating, please get your name to Charlene or Jessie.
- August 6 - National Night Out - SCA providing cold treats for people and pets.
- August 9 - Lamplighter articles due.
- August 22 - Lamplighter Stuffing -5pm
- August 27 - Dinner Meeting - Speaker - Election training.
- September 8 - Crawford Valley Garden Railroad, 5497 Crawford Drive - 12noon-5pm.  
For more information, visit: <http://www.thecgrs.org/>
- September 24 - September Meeting

### **Salem Elementary - PTA**

- No news - school not in session.
- Salem has new counselor.
- It appears school is getting a new roof and A/C.

### **Beautification Committee - Leslie Baab**

Can use some helpers, ideas or suggestions.

### **Old Business -**

Items addressed above in Columbus City

### **New Business -**

- Residents were asked if they would like to have a Chipotle fundraiser to help fund SCA. It would be held in one of the Northland locations (Morse Road or 161). Information can be placed in the Lamplighter (a flyer may be required). Charlene & Jessie will check into available dates.
- Sam Shy recommended another low cost fundraiser - discount cards for restaurants. Sell for \$10/pay \$5, SCA receives \$5. Need volunteers to visit restaurants to encourage them to participate.

- Boy Scouts will pick up leftover "good stuff" from garage sale. Please leave on curb with note saying "For Boy Scouts."
- Boy Scout yard sale, August 17th, Overbrook Presbyterian Church.
- City Council - reimagining 161 corridor - grant provided to provide analysis/study of what people/residents need. Part of 161 task force.
- Bridge project on Sinclair Road from Morse Road - I need info on this, didn't get all the conversation recorded.
- A link for a program on WOSU about growth in Columbus and the need for affordable housing will be sent to SCA email group.
- A resident shared about RR crossing lights and barriers at Lincoln do not always function. OH is looking at budgets for RR crossings - if you see something, call your state representative.

Motion to adjourn.