

Saturday, July 13<sup>th</sup> 2024 Meeting started at 11:07am

Community center, Supervisor Kellen: The renovations are starting soon. Supposed to be July 1<sup>st</sup>, then the new date is August 1<sup>st</sup>, but may start towards the end of August/beginning of September. Will try to remain open during the renovations, we will have parts of the building closed, and another part will remain open. Still working with a contractor. It will be TBD on the renovation start date. Camps are going well at the community center. We have half day camps running in the morning, having sunset camps as well. We've been bringing camps indoors, especially bringing camps indoors. We brought Thomas Farm camps, having all camps coming together and had fun.

Treasurer Anita S.: Are we continuing the meeting here (in the library) during renovations?

Supervisor, Kellen: Yes, we will continue to have meetings here. We may move into the multipurpose room or the gym (may be possible).

Kate Scott: Will there be club houses in the multipurpose room?

Supervisor, Kellen: We may have a supervisor available.

Boogie: We have City police next on the agenda.

City police Chief: The call line has been staying the same. The Juvenile who was stealing cars is apprehended. Cars that were usually stolen have significantly decreased in the Rockville area. The only solution for him is to be incarcerated. County police is at 8%, sheriff and calling office is 3%. We're closing on 13,000 calls in Rockville. We haven't lost any police officers yet. We have one sergeant and 8 officers on the 15<sup>th</sup>. We have patrol and Ci unit. We have one on paternity leave. 1 in 8, we are allowed to have 3 off. We have 3 officers on the road. 1 in 5 is minimum, 1 in 8 is max. August 17<sup>th</sup> is a gun buyback. Last time it took place in Redgate, and it was successful. Because of the success of the event, other agencies have created their own events. It was successful for them. The payment is by cards. We wanted it to have it take place on Redgate, but it's tentative. National Night out is August 6<sup>th</sup>.

Boogie: Wanted the Mayor and Council know what's going on with Memory Walk. Big thing was design guidelines.

Rev. Moultrie: a few times, a gas thing was happening.

Boogie: I finally saw one. And they have CNG on them.

Elliott: Should we give them a guided path through a not so busy area?

Boogie: We tried and voiced our concerns at the virtual meeting...

Kate: a truck comes through every hour, and it will last throughout the year.

Rev. Moultrie: As I went at the parking, I smelled a faint scent of Gas. It took place in the community center parking lot. I don't know how we can do the safety. The reason why I'm raising this, I don't think they notice us.

Boogie: I was thinking about the traffic. The county bought it and gave it the permit.

Treasurer Anita S: We need a monitor.

Boogie: That's why the county council was saying if we notice anything and monitor the concentrations of gas. We should discuss this at the county council meeting to voice our concerns.

They're taking methane gas from a Virginia trash landfill and put their gas to plug into the land of the Lincoln Park Neighborhood.

Boogie: The county decided that the trucks (virtual pipeline) should use public roads instead of using old dover road.

Rev. Moultrie: It's not just the smell, I'm also asthmatic, and constrict and chocking and tasting the smell.

My question: My godfather noticed people smoking near the Mt. Calvary Baptist church's property

Boogie: Next on the Agenda is Rockville Villages but Trish isn't here. For the Arts, Karyn left and found another job in Washington DC. After reading the email from Christine Henry, this email doesn't make sense and it doesn't seem like the city cares anymore. Karyn led me to another email. Hjarman want me to meet him within the next few weeks. The city tried to backfill Karyn's position.

Treasurer Anita S: Did we get a name of the contract?

Boogie: yes, we do have the description of the contract. They did install the flowers. The fear is that the flowers will stay there for the next 5 to 10 years.

Treasurer Anita S: In September we will push. We must come up with a replacement.

Boogie: they will be doing the replacement, but don't know who will be picking up the slack.

Rev. Moultrie: why is it under the recreation park category?

Boogie: it's part of the park.

Mr. Yvan Charpentier: there was a rice and something that would protect the park?

Boogie: I don't know what type of treatment that they did, but it was better.

Treasurer Anita S.: as soon as you get comfortable with someone, the city takes them away. It's been happening a lot lately.

Rev. Moultry: The current director is about to leave.

Treasurer Anita S: There would be a new manager, but then the next year he's gone.

Rev. Moultry: He will come for the National Night Out.

Treasury report:

We finally got a \$1000 grant. It's amount from M&T for supporting us is 2 cents. We have the receipts. Did a check to get our new yard signs done. Other 250 part will be in the next report. Alexandra Dace Denito paid the post office box fee, which will be available until December.

Boogie: Alex did the state and federal payment, but we don't make enough money to pay the IRS and we don't have revenue.

Anita S: Can we do another number?

Boogie: We will change the address. We may need to change bank that is more customer friendly.

Treasurer Anita S: The guy from Rockville Science center recommends a bank.

Rev. Moultrie: A young lady is coming to National Night out and will do grants and funding for communities. I want to make sure that you guys meet her. And it's her first year their (from All State).

Supervisor, Kellen: They (the Air Quality Services) wanted to get involved with our community. A good ten of them showed up, providing popsicles to the kids.

Rev. Moultrie: Quality air at 655 South lawn.

Boogie: possibly we will do this next year.

Me: Can we do this twice a year, or once a month?

Boogie: We may need to do this once or twice a year for the Lincoln Park Cleanup.

Kate: We saw a guy with a pickup truck with junk and it went up to Gude.

Mr. Yvan Charpentier: Ms. Yvette sent a link.

Boogie: Giant is not doing anything.

Rev. Moultry: I saw a small dog in a shopping kart. Now I don't think they take service dog rules seriously. The karts are not sanitary.

Mr. Yvan Charpentier: the Giant karts costs \$150 and is really fighting the giant corporate management.

Rev. Moultrie: I've known the local Gov. but I've never studied this piece. Is it possible for a community to adopt a street in Lincoln Park?

Mr. Yvan Charpentier: My suggestion is to weigh the trash. No body has any idea as several trashes is removed. If we have 300 or 3,000 pounds of trash removed, then tell the public that we removed this amount of trash, I think it would be helpful.

Boogie: the bus stops are filthy, especially the North Stonestreet.

Treasurer Anita S.: There is lots of trash there, I called the bus route to empty the trashcan.

Boogie: It's a constant struggle.

Treasurer Anita S.: Horner's lane is terrible.

Boogie: There are lots of cigarette butts everywhere on Douglas or Frederick Ave.

Mr. Yvan Charpentier: Someone punched the library windows.

Kate: It was the 4<sup>th</sup> time this happened

Treasurer Anita S: Someone put rotten food in the food pantry next to Sergios' house.

Elliott: Are there composting bins?

Rev. Moultry: They are changing the rules of the Rockville EPA recycling Department. You can put plastic bags in your recycling bins now.

Mr. Yvan Charpentier: Giant has plastic bag bins behind the sliding doors.

Kate: In Frederick, two lots back, there's a big lawn that's for sale.

Boogie: We want a bridge to connect Westmore to 355.

Treasurer Anita S.: We need a bridge. What we're talking about is a vehicular bridge.

Mr. Yvan Charpentier's presentation: Proposal to having two medium sized Soccer Goals added into Isreal Park. They are moveable. In terms of negative impacts is just the traffic. The field near Maryvale elementary school, the field was empty before the soccer nets. Now it's been busy.

Treasurer Anita S.: I would like to see regular soccer games. That's outreach to other neighborhoods.

Mr. Yvan Charpentier: it's not practical to have permanent soccer nets in the field, but instead have transportable ones that are medium sized. We must have a vote from LPCA. The vote is unanimous. (everyone agreed).

Boogie: The signs, two in English one in Spanish. They all cost \$500.00.

Me: We could place the Spanish one on the corner of N. Stone Street and Frederick Ave.

Anita S: We can ask Yvette for help (to prevent the lawn mowers from putting these expensive signs into the trash).

Boogie: We need some in the community. We need to buy cheaper signs. Next thing I want to show you guys is the website that the younger sisters designed. Unfortunately the website is still under construction. I have the layout of how the website will be. We want to put accomplishments of what the LPCA had done onto the website.

Treasurer Anita S.: Sharron Duffrey did a history (documentation) of the neighborhood.

Boogie: I want a government page, local, state, and national gov. And the in-take forms, suggestion form. My goal is to have this done before National Night Out. I want just the form done before National Night Out.

Treasurer Anita S.: Can we do funds of burgers and hotdogs?

Rev. Moultrie: Nourish.Now is planning of having 500 burgers and 300 burgers. We did the 250 from previous...

Boogie: Budget the materials of shirts, tablecloth. We can do the outreach.

Rev. Moultrie: We register the people who are going to support LPCA (dedicated to the LPCA) then we can continue registering others who are interested.

Treasurer Anita S.: We may do 4Imprint (for the branding).

Boogie: Motion to support national night out.

Unanimous.

Meeting ended at 12:33pm