

College Hill Neighborhood Association

Monthly Meeting

Date: Jan. 28, 2013

Time: 6:15 p.m.

Neighborhood Watch Meeting: Officer Melanie Daniels reported that there is a new Crime Tips program that students and residents can text tips to the police in the event they witness a crime being committed.

Approval of Minutes: minutes approved from last month

Treasurer's Report: BB&T as of 12/31/2012 is \$386.38, SunTrust Bank as of 12/31/2012 is \$1172.56

Marjorie received a letter from the IRS about a form that they did not receive in 2010 about our tax exempt status. She is communicating with them about options on this matter.

Old Business: Judy Horn reported on meeting with Duke Energy and Sierra Club in January about the tree cutting policy. There is a revised ordinance being drafted by a committee at this time. It will come before the city council on March 5. Please call and or write to our representative to express your opinion.

Duke Energy is now expected to clean up after their tree cutting but they have 30 days to do so.

If you want a "Respect Our Trees" yard sign they are available at Stir Creative on Friendly Ave. for about \$20.00.

Mike Simpson from Greensboro Specialist Park service supervisor obtained permission to install a Doggie Waste Station at the pergola. The neighborhood association must agree to pay for the station, install it, pay for and install additional bags as needed and discard any waste filled bags ourselves. The station costs \$369.00. Lyddan will approach Mike Cowhig to use MSD funds to purchase the waste station if all agree. Clara Kelly will talk with the church about our plans as they own the pergola area.

Ian and Judy reported on progress on the web site. The domain name is collegehillgreensboro.net. It will up and running soon.

Bill Moore has agreed to meet and invite the new vice president of Greensboro College to our monthly meeting in March.

Status of the street lights: Cindy Sheppard expressed concern that the project to replace our broken streetlight and missing ones may not be moving forward. She will e-mail Mike Cowing for an update.

New Business:

Larry and Judy Horn have the College Hill Mugs. Lyddan will call or e-mail all on the purchase order and they can pick their mugs up at the Troy Bumpas Inn. Judy requests that you call first so that someone will be at home. Phone is 370-1660.

From Mike Cowhig: Shelton Smith is ordering a prototype for evaluation of the trash cans he would like for us to consider. They will be narrow and anchored to a cement base. Several of our residents have met with Mike and Shelton and given them feedback about size, color and placement of the cans. There should be 15 of them distributed throughout the neighborhood.

The new owners of the Providence are planting 4 new trees in the median at Jackson Street

HPC: COAs [Virginia Haskett will be attending to represent us.]

1. Sign in front of the mattress business on Spring Garden Street. The consensus was that his business should conform to accepted standards on their sign's size and placement as the other business owners have done so.

2. Porch enclosure at the house on Spring Dale Court. The work has been completed.

Election of new board 11 members in February

Nominations Committee: Cindy Sheppard, Clara Kelly and Lyddan Pawlowski will ask for nominations and develop a slate of interested residents to be presented at the next meeting.

Mike Cowhig sent an invitation to the neighborhood to join him and Tim from New Earth Designs to review the proposed landscape plans for McGee Street. He also sent a copy of the Tree inventory but due to the lateness of the hours, the inventory will be reviewed next meeting. Janet Frommann, Cindy Sheppard and Virginia Haskett agreed to meet with Mike and Tim to review the plans.

Adjourned: 8:30 p.m.

The next meeting is on February 25th at 6:15 pm at the Church of the Covenant on the corner of Walker and Mendenhall Street.

Submitted by Lyddan Pawlowski