



WHNA

Whispering Hills Neighborhood Association

May 9, 2016

Liberty Junior High School

7:00p.m.

WHNA Board Meeting

Call to Order: 7:02 p.m.

President's Report – Ron Galloway called the meeting to order.

Vice-President – Holt Mitchell reported on the petitions that have been collected for stop signs on Whispering Hills. There needs to be 80 petitions collected for Bunchberry and only 50 have been collected so far. For Deermont Street only 20 petitions have been collected. Deermont has not been worked on as much as Bunchberry, but there will be more work done to get signatures on the petitions for Deermont.

Secretary's Report – Crystal Hughes asked if there were any corrections to April's minutes posted on the website. Upon hearing of no corrections to the minutes, approval was requested. Minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report – Mary Walraven gave a report for April. Previous balance was \$15,004.03. Income was \$196.50 and expenses were \$376.62 creating a new balance of \$14,823.91.

Safety/VIP Program – Mike Gorman reported that DPD had no listings of crime in our area for April. However, WHNA neighbors reported 26 concerns of interest. Most of the concerns involved car break-ins. Mike reported that new crime watch signs that have been purchased by WHNA have been installed and placed in areas that were agreed upon. The April patrol hours by 22 VIP patrollers for the month of April are 168.5. The DPD taskforce has been back in our area around the first of May. Mike reported that an auto theft gang has been parking vehicles on our streets. He asks neighbors to look up and down their streets to notice if there are any strange cars parked on their street. Mike announced National Night Out will be in October. If NNO banners are purchased for this event the cost is \$156 plus shipping. Ron Galloway asked the board to approve the purchase. All board members voted their approval of this purchase.

Mike Gorman also asked neighbors to install the Nextdoor app to their smart phones so it would make sending messages on Nextdoor easy. Mike would like to start a Crime Watch group which would be separate from VIP volunteers. This group

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would consist of volunteers who would be the head person of their street or block that neighbors could contact if they observe any suspicious activity or emergency. Mike also mentioned that VIP patrollers could use license readers while on patrol. The board did not approve the purchase of license readers due to the opinion that they would not have much benefit in their use.

Social and Dine Out – Holt Mitchell reported that the next dine out will be on May 19th at Flaming Greek restaurant located at Forest and Greenville.

Voting – Susie Leineweber reported that the recent election held for the RISD bond measure passed. The next election will be May 24th for the run off in the Texas Railroad Commissioner and some Dallas County judicial races and the County Tax Assessor.

Social Media – Lynn Peltier reported that the neighborhood garage sale will be this weekend of May 13, 14 & 15.

Grounds and Park- The April yard of the month is at the Chambers home on 12605 Whispering Hills.

President Ron Galloway asked if there is any new business to discuss. Since there was not, the President declared the meeting adjourned.

Meeting was adjourned – at 7:38pm

Crystal Hughes, Secretary
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