

April 29th, 2014

Barton Hills Neighborhood Association

Meeting Minutes

Meeting called to order.

Minutes approved with correction.

Announcements –

Uncle Billy's celebrating its 7th Anniversary. KUTX on Sundays 4-5PM. Sunday Brunch. To Go and Delivery now. New Menu. Some live music additionally.

Brief presentation regarding sideyard setback variance on Spring Creek/Cliff side (Melissa Hawthorne left the room and did not participate in the discussion).

Treasurer's Report –

Previous Balance	\$ 26,129.56
Deposits	\$ 3,218.00
Expenses	\$ 5,422.26
Receivables Outstanding	\$ 1,237.50
Paypal	\$ 342.15

Current Balance includes Petty Cash for Meeting

\$ 24,317.45

ANC Report – Jerilyn Green was welcomed as our new ANC Delegate

Focus is now on Code Next (the Land Development Code rewrite).

Neighborhood Watch – John Luther

Since our last report

21 - Incidents

Discussed bicycle burglaries targeting 3-4 AM.

24 Folks for our 1300 Homes. Not enough folks to consider doing a lot of nights

Many burglary of a vehicles – Car left unlocked or Items left in view inside. LOCK YOUR CAR!!!

Barton Hills Community Park

Need a Design Coordinator

Phase 1B is complete – Trail and Blazer Blocks along the perimeter.

Phase 2 – Playground. Goal is for portions of it this summer. Many items discussed and engagement. Highlights of natural materials, mounding and undulating forms, and elliptical pieces. Goal is summer installation. Sadly the embankment slide won't work with our grade.

Discussed future phase focused on murals – presentation by Mina Kumar

Discussion on spending some of Treasury

Mural

Greenbelt Guardians

Church A/V System

Neighborhood Watch

Playscape

Next meeting to have discussion on spending funds. Ideas to be submitted to the Executive Committee for vetting.

Discussion of Council Elections on whether to endorse. After discussion decided to remain as is.

Greenbelt Guardians

Next work day is June 7th working at Gus Fruh.

Presentation with Bruce Elfant and Paul Schneider regarding Property Taxes Discussion

Valuation

Equalization

Discovery

Assessment Date

Our neighborhood value increased 16%

Exemptions discussed – Homestead, Over 65, Disability

Hand out attached for ease of additional information.

Motion to oppose HeliStop application Motion Ann Kitchen Second Mary Ann Neeley/Amanda Gammage. Unanimous vote.

Carol Mann – discussed Spring Fling May 17th and the need for Parade Volunteers

Announcement regarding Ann Kitchen running for District 5

Meeting Adjourned