Him NEIGHBORHOOD ADVISORY BOARD



SUMMARY MINUTES Thursday, July 18, 2013 @ 6:30 PM

City Hall Conference Room 337 200 WEST FIFTH STREET

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Members present are denoted by an "*" and members absent are denoted by an "x".

NAME	DISTRICT
Carolyn Glast *	1
Betty Hines *	2
Ann Maxwell, Chair *	3
Lisa Wilbourne *	4
Sharon Stang *	5

NAME	DISTRICT
Kim Carney, Vice Chair *	1
David Douglas *	2
Laura McKenna *	3
Caroline Doherty *	4
Brenda Diggs *	5

ALTERNATE MEMBERS & LIAISONS:

NAME	DISTRICT
Margaret Hrushesky	1
Blythe Tennent	4
Misun Hur	5
Peg Gemperline	4

NAME	DISTRICT
Vince Bellis	3
Rick Smiley	4
Teresa Ward	2

CITY STAFF PRESENT:

Seth Laughlin, Planner II (CDD); Gwen Turnage, Administrative Assistant (CDD); and Dave Holec, City Attorney

- I. ROLL CALL A quorum was established
- II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES June 20, 2013

Motioned by: Lisa Wilbourne Second by: Carolyn Glast

Discussion

Correct the spelling for Caroline Doherty and Lisa Wilbourne.

All in favor

III. NEW BUSINESS

1. Welcome - Ann Maxwell, NAB Chair

Chairperson Maxwell asked each person to introduce themselves, provide the neighborhood they reside and their position on NAB.

2. Lt. Carson – National Night Out

Chairperson Maxwell noted that she inadvertently overlooked to contact Lieut. Carson for tonight's meeting. In lieu of the discussion planned from Lieut. Carson, Chairperson Maxwell requested each neighborhood representatives to share examples of what their neighborhood has planned for National Night Out. Neighborhoods are encouraged to take plenty of pictures.

FUNCTIONS THAT ARE PLANNED FOR VARIOUS NEIGHBORHOODS THROUGHOUT THE CITY

- 1. Created fliers for distribution about National Night Out
- 2. Some are making hot dogs and hamburgers for their neighborhood
- 3. Hoop contest with the basketball
- 4. Business discussion about break-ins within the neighborhood
- 5. Domino's pizza for the neighborhood
- 6. Jumpy-Jump for children (concerned about liability)
- 7. Disc jockey
- 8. Cookout with ice cream and a meet greet time
- 9. Robotic demonstration, cornhole tournament, and door prizes
- 10. Walk and Talk with neighbors
- 11. Ripples of Hope will be providing child ID, face painting, hoops for the children, music, football toss, cookout, and seatbelt safety for children
- 12. Dancers, miming, meet and greet with the neighbors.
- 13. History of the neighborhood.

IV. OLD BUSINESS

3. Review and approval of Ordinance

City Attorney Dave Holec provided a comprehensible review to the Neighborhood Advisory Board members. Based upon the direction attorney Holec received from City Council, attorney Holec prepared two options for Council to review. These options were distributed to NAB members for their review and consideration during the May and June meetings.

After careful review of the items distributed by attorney Holec the NAB board members, the NAB came to a conclusion during tonight's meeting to proceed with a vote.

Motioned by: Sharon Stang Second by: Kim Carney

Discussion:

The vote was unanimous and all were in favor.

AN AMENDMENT TO THE VOTE WAS REQUESTED TO INCLUDE A STRONGER DIALOGUE IN THE COVER LETTER TO SUPPORT THEIR VOTE PERTAINING TO THE ORDINANCE.

Motioned by: Caroline Doherty Second by: Carolyn Glast

Discussion:

All were in favor by a unanimous vote with a signature petition of each board member with the exception of Kimberly Carney from district #1 who left the meeting early.

4. Discussion of NAB Chair presentation to City Council

Chairperson Maxwell is planned to make a presentation to the Greenville City Council the first week in August. Staff Planner Seth Laughlin will assist the chairperson with the presentation.

Public Comment Period

Chairperson Maxwell asked each NAB member to provide a brief description on items they found to be significant to the boards progress within the past year.

- 1. A lot of positive and strong energy from the board.
- 2. People are getting excited about their neighborhoods which attributes to the board's efforts.
- 3. Hoping that the efforts of the NAB meetings will have a more positive impact on the Neighborhood Associations in the future.
- 4. The NAB has done a great job with sharing affirmations to neighborhoods.
- 5. Place neighborhood activities in the Daily Reflector in an effort to provide exposure of the neighborhoods. Advertisement might assist with the development of new neighborhood Associations throughout Greenville.
- 6. After the next City Council election, the NAB may want to look at having City Council representation to the NAB.
- 7. More inclusivity within neighborhoods.
- 8. The efforts of the police chief having officers assigned to neighborhoods has been a positive effort.
- 9. The clarity which the Chief of Police presents and provides to the neighborhood has been positive.
- 10. The greenvilleguardian.org is a great place to get information on neighborhoods.

V. ADJOURN

MOTION TO ADJOURN

Motioned by: Sharon Stang Second by: Laura McKenna

MOTION PASSED unanimously.

Having no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:16PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Seth Laughlin, Planner II