

Call to order

Reflective thoughts

Moment of silence and reflection

Jason acknowledged the celebration of Ramadan.

Reading and

Approved: 15

Opposed: 0

Abstentions: 0

Treasurers Report:

2,579.91 in account

paid for koozies, got a donation for \$20

4. Zone 4- Lt. Cotter 17 crimes in April, most are larceny from vehicles. Times of vehicle larceny 1 unknown time, 3 evenings, 3 overnight, 1 during day. 1 sexual assault reported. Many accidents are DUI related for Langhorn. Westmeath, Stokes, Langhorn requested for speeding issues. Peter Reese, new Captain of Zone 4.

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Duran-Questions about traffic patrol, in particular speeding.

Jason- Ask for reinforcing new ordinance of new non-parking zones

Multiple residents- Asked for speeding enforcement on multiple streets in Westview

1. Old Business

a) John Davis Park Event – April 18th

John Davis' son and nephew were in attendance.

He will present some info we can send to community

Anna has submitted some information already

Members of Mayors office and John Dargole was in attendance

b) ZRB Application Z-19-011-13691369 (Muse & RDA)

Decided not change from MRC zoning. It will go to the NPU this week.

Call for second vote. John zoning chair

Mr. Jackson and his partner addressed concerns about parking and

deliveries. Intended for pedestrians and would only be a large van delivery, not a box truck.

Still plan to turn the old horse stables into food places (juices/sandwiches).

Food to be prepared offsite and brought to the place for sale. Developer mentioned that they plan to petition Beltline for stairs on Muse to promote pedestrian traffic

Comment from Chad – Concern that space would be used for other commercial space and it is currently a residential parcel. Horse stables may be destroyed.

NPU Chair – Terry Ross – Because of land use zoning restricts the height to 35 feet

Jackson resubmitting to NPU and that is why we are voting on it today.

Vote for change in zoning of this lot:

1) Motion that WCO committee sends letter of non support for the application

a) In favor of denial: 10

b) Opposed: 6

c) Abstentions: 11

1) Official recommendation from WCO is non support of Mr. Jackson application to the NPU

2. New Business

a. Community property maintenance-

Call to the community for neighbors near the community triangles and Stokes park to volunteer for mowing duties of these triangles. Terry suggested use of department of corrections resources.

b. 109th Community Birthday- June 21-23

Friday night celebration in Flats

Saturday-Morning clean up followed by Porch party and Garden dedication

Sunday- Food truck West in parking lot of Kipp Strive

Garden dedication-Plaque for families that purchased the community garden.

Plaque is priced out at \$120 and will be placed at the site. Jonathan Hanson has agreed to do a Westview Garden sign for the price of \$300.

Vote for purchasing plaque and garden sign for total price of \$420

Ayes- 21 Nos-0 Abstentions-0

c. Enota Park

Whitney Fuller spoke. Properties purchased adjacent to park. Starting first phase of construction. Sculptured art installation planned at entrance and in the middle of the park. One local artist found for one installation. Two students at AUC center have been contacted for second art installation.

Possibly reach further afield. 4th Thursday meetings for Enota update.

Subarea 1 (Westview and West End) I-20 to Lee street and includes half mile on either side. Land uses and zoning in these areas. Plan to guide vision of future development. Tentative meeting June 30th to recap changes since first established in 2010. Housing vulnerability study and parking study are issues on the table.

3. Committee Reports

a. Events,

Yoga in the park, partnering with yoga studio in the flats in Stokes park on 5/11 Community yards ale and chili cook-off- neighbors interested in selling items or artisans who have item to sale please contact.

No porch party for May but thanks to Jake and Candy for hosting in April

b. Beautification-

Spring planting May 18th 1417 South Gordon meet up on 5/18. Plant materials from city of Atlanta. Thanks to the neighbors who have stepped forward. Yard of the Month starting this month. Criteria- front yards only on color, variety of plant material, lawn mowed, shrubs trimmed. \$25 home depot gift card and sign posted in their yard for 30 days. May 28th-31st Ms. Dolores and Hiari will judge yards. Email to be considered beatification@westviewatlanta.org

c. Vintage Westview Activists-

Kendall calling for volunteers on the 25th of May to help an elderly neighbor with code enforcement violation on the matter of an overgrown yard. Weeknight requested to allow volunteers to contribute outside the holiday weekend. If we can commit to doing the work prior to 25th then code enforcement will re-evaluate the violation. 1446 South Gordon

d. Engagement and Development-

Oral history program is ongoing with Georgia State University. Interviews and meetings have occurred. Form is online for nominations and contributing materials. Call for volunteers to help establish the oral history project long term. Flooding ongoing issue. Reminder to take photos, call 311, utilize 311 app to submit photos. This summer the city will video scope the storm water lines, particularly those going through allies. Allies abandoned but some have large storm water trunk lines running through them but have not been maintained. The WCO is working to identify sinkholes, blocked drains. The vine crew has been working to clear the alley so that the city can access and identify the problems. South Gordon and Stokes Alley behind the garden has been cleared out by community members with a special thanks to Jules Conolly and her cousin Eric for the financial and time commitment. June meeting will revisit the topic.

e. NPU and Advocacy-

No current report but important issue regarding to development on Lee and White Street Mixed use development.

f. Youth and Education

West End has put together summer "We work" program, where business owners in the Flats have hired students to work in their businesses. The program has plans to be extended targeted at Brown middle, Washington high cluster and Kipp. Kudos to Brain for completing his first year at college. Requests for job recommendation for economics or accounting type job

g. Zoning and Public Safety

National night out in August

h. Executive

Plan to update master plan, development of ad hoc committee to reevaluate the master plan every 10 years. June 29th is the next meeting for updating master plan. 5 sessions, focus groups to target business owners and residences. Submit updated master plan to city council targeted for January of 2020. Call out for volunteers with experience to help out.

Save the Date for May 16th, 6:30 PM. Garden work day hosted by Alexander Little to clear for planting for the Birthday celebration

Renew Atlanta- Continue to call and email city council members for the vote to ignore southwest Atlanta in the Renew Atlanta vote. Email and phone numbers are on our website.

9. Community concerns and announcements

None

Meeting Adjourned 8:08pm