Westview Community Organization

October 5, 2020
Calvary United Methodist Church
1471 Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard

1. **Call to Order** – 7:01PM
2. **Reflective Thoughts**
    a. Roslyn shared a verse from the bible for reflective thoughts.
3. **Reading and Approval of the Agenda**
    a. Agenda approved
4. **Public Safety Update – N/A**
5. **Treasurer's Report**
    a. Current balance

ACCOUNT BALANCE: $2421.28

SEPTEMBER INCOME/EXPENSES:
WESTVIEW VOTES + $150.00
TAXES: -$3729.49
BEAUTIFICATION: -$200
ADMINISTRATIVE: -$117.60
SOUNDCLOUD: -$16 (ORAL HISTORIES)

EXPECTED INCOME: $2500 COA COMMUNITY IMPACT GRANT

EXPECTED EXPENDITURES: NORMAL ADMIN EXPENSES

    b. Motion to accept report
        i. Yay – 26
        ii. Nay – 0
        iii. Abs – 1
6. **Old Business**
    a. Westview Votes
        i. Doug (404.213.9680) advised today is the last day to register to vote. Early voting starts next week Oct 12 and runs through Oct 30th.
        ii. There is a group walking throughout the neighborhood helping to get people registered and providing residents with absentee ballot registrations applications.
        iii. Next meeting is Oct 13th at The Ke'nekt.
        iv. Robyn Turner is also a point of contact – 678.429.1894 (prefers text)
    b. Westview Stormwater Issues
        i. Glen Behrend/Stephen Brooks provided an update on the stormwater proposal, constraints, survey, etc.
        ii. 5 areas were evaluated, and advantages/disadvantages were discussed.

iii. Jake advised to continue sending in pictures and videos of flooding throughout the neighborhood.

iv. Jake recommends approving WCO granting easement to allow the stormwater project to move forward with option A. 2nd by Jessica McGuire.

1. Yay – 27
2. Nay – 0
3. Abs – 1

c. Westview Beautification

i. Jason advised of recent developments whereby Mrs. Deloris had reached out the City of Atlanta regarding the maintenance of triangles at Willard and S. Gordon. Jason advised that the board met to discuss and decided to turn over the maintenance of all the triangles and John Davis park. WCO responsibilities for these properties will cease going forward. We will only maintain the 2 properties we own.

d. Halloween 2020

i. Jason spoke on the Halloween initiative for this year to allow for safety and social distancing.

7. New Business:

a. 2020 WCO Election

i. Jason advised that all positions will be open. Nominations will be accepted up to Nov 15th. Email nominations to president@westviewatlanta.org by Nov 15th. You can nominate yourself or other community members (with their approval).

b. Updates from the Atlanta City Council

i. District 4 – Cleta Winslow

1. Cleta provided an update from her team. She encouraged the community to email/text if there are issues that need to be brough to her attention with regards to blight/issues on/near the beltline. 404.216.1701
2. Regarding traffic issues at Langhorn/Lucile speeding, accidents, traffic calming, etc. – Advised she will be working with Major Collier* on this issue.
3. Cleta confirmed the $500 donation for the Summer Solstice will be coming in 2 separate checks.

ii. District 10 – Andrea Boone

1. Council woman Boone spoke and provided some updates from her team including some stop signs, sink hole repairs, COVID testing, home repair for seniors, etc.
2. Andrea encouraged the community to reach out to her with concerns at 404.557.1620.
3. Jason reminded the community that Westview is served by 2 Council reps

depending on where you reside will depend on who serves as your rep.

4. Speed humps coming to Willard, where it intersects Rogers.

iii. Post 2 – Matt Westmoreland – N/A

iv. Post 3 – Andre Dickens

1. Kelsey Maynor provided an update from Andre Dickens team.
    a. 404.898.6353 | KMMaynor@atlantaga.gov
2. Jessica McGuire brought up the consistent accidents occurring on Langhorn & Lucile and how to get some traction on the city making some safety updates to help prevent continued accidents.
3. Robyn Turner had questions about the Airbnb legislation that was recently announced. Kelsey advised they are further examining it to assure it's not limiting and allows residents to continue to make money.
4. Ms. Emma Jean inquired about a notice she received in the mail that talks about purchasing homes for Atlanta Land Trust. She has been receiving constant calls about trying to purchase her property. Kelsey explained that this is investors looking to take advantage of residents not the Atlanta Land Trust.

8. **Community Concerns, Questions and Announcements**

a. Kim Scott – City Planning will be at the next NPU-T meeting (Oct 14th 7PM) nputatl@gmail.com for meeting details and information. Further advised that NPU-T will be going through elections as well soon.

9. **Adjournment** – 8:30**https://www.fultoncountyga.gov/services/voting-and-elections/early-voting-locations**PM.

Community Reminders

- **Halloween Candy Delivery Sign Up https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSf8ewOBUDCKKmSPCVsDzD2Onnogzfztu4uemnwqZb5QhkItKA/viewform?fbclid=IwAR2gQdw8yHGeT6zWfSZPHElHJejOYRuzMfyETl9POmdoxxm8UnQqaDXaj2E**
- **Halloween Volunteer Sign Up halloween@westviewatlanta.org**
- **Early Voting begins October 12 https://www.fultoncountyga.gov/services/voting-and-elections/early-voting-locations**
- **Westview Votes October 13th – The Ke'nekt**
- **NPU-T Meeting Wednesday October 14th – via ZOOM**
- **Saturday 10/31 – 2020 Census Deadline**
- **District 5 Runoff – Tuesday December 1st**