

King Neighborhood Association General Meeting Minutes for April 10, 2013

King Neighborhood Facility, 4815 NE 7th Avenue 6:30 to 8:30 pm

Alan Silver, KNA Treasurer
Margo Dobbertin, KNA Secretary
Scott Breon, King neighbor
Celeste, Crime Prevention
Karen Parks, McCoy Village
Officer Anthony Zoeller, PPB
Teri Philips, At-Large Representative #5, Safety and Livability Team Representative
Irek Wielgosz, KNA Co-Chair
Eileen Kennedy, King neighbor
Katy Asher, NECN
Diego Gioseffi, Representative-at-Large #3
Tia Factor, At-Large Representative #1
David Beller, King neighbor
John Beck, King neighbor
Rick Sills, Safety and Livability Team Representative
Sarah Moses, King neighbor
Robin Franklin, Hughes Memorial United Methodist

Eileen would like to know the next steps to help neighbors of the Quicktrip and the Carwash and would like KNA to support those steps. Off Zoeller reviewed the chronic nuisance procedure and asked for copies of any letters KNA has sent to Quicktrip and the Carwash. Also noted: Crown Q will be a new market; a good neighbor plan may or may not be required because the building is not new. Issues of concern to be addressed by a potential GNA include: hours, single sales, single beverages, single cigarette sales, high alcohol content. Suggested that Rick should pursue a GNA with Crown Q on behalf of the KNA, and attempt to address any of aforementioned issues; so moved and seconded, passed, 11 in favor, 1 abstaining. Celeste reviewed how to make a complaint regarding selling to street drinkers.

HB 3256 (Rick): The Bill will not die in committee; it will get a work session (House Business and Labor Committee).

Water Stewardship Grant (Diego): Grant application was submitted; decision will be made in May. Diego reviewed other sources of grant funding that we could pursue next year. Diego also sent a letter of inquiry to a grant source for an art project. Diego will spend several hours, 11 – 1, on Earth Day weeding and mulching the slope; FB page will have an announcement looking for volunteers. The grant project needs KNA fiscal sponsorship (so that NECN can accept and manage monies should grant funding being granted), so moved and seconded, passed 7-0.

Sundry announcements: The Alberta Street clean up is also on Earth Day. The Sheriff made an announcement regarding ICE holds. There is a fundraiser for the Backpack

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Lunch program; Old Town Pizza will donate for every take out pizza order sometime next month (more info will be posted online).

KNA elections are next month:

Co-chair (Irek will run again)

Representative-at-Large #4 (Diego will run again)

Treasurer (Alan will run again)

Secretary (Margo will run again)

Representative-at-Large #2 (Lyndsey is resigning)

We have no current candidates for Lyndsey's position!

Our Movie in the Park needs volunteers to sell popcorn, emcee, and sell raffle tickets. Robin could possibly offer a craft table for kids.

Clean Up: Postcards and lawn signs are forthcoming; need volunteers to help advertise. Margo reserved a UHaul for various deliveries.

Communications Committee Newsletter (Alan, Margo): KNA have \$1,000 in communications monies to spend before the end of June. The committee recommends putting together a newsletter and trying to secure advertisers to support a year's worth of periodic (quarterly, maybe) newsletter publications. It would be circulated via hand-delivery by KNA volunteers. Suggestion: KNA empower the Communications Committee to create a newsletter, approach sponsors, and dispense funds as necessary; moved, seconded, passed 9-0.

Alan: Trace would like to resign from the communications committee. We need to recruit volunteers to assist with the many things Trace has been doing for us: Web hosting, Wordpress updates, email lists, FaceBook, etc.

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