Minutes of the Lindbergh Forest Neighborhood Association (LFNA)

Wednesday, September 21, 2016, 6:30 pm

Graystone Presbyterian Church

Attendees: Paul Barnette, Chris Caldwell, Rachel Caldwell, Dorian DeLuca, Kelley DeLuca, Jake Hudson, Baron Hyatt, Callie Minnich, Jewell Minnich, Joan Monaco, Amanda Morse, Ben Ream, Heather Ream, Ann Viera, Becky Wade.

Guests attending: Adam Fritts (Dogwood Elementary), Betsy Pickle (Shopper News), Chris Minnich (Corner Cabinet Shop).

Welcome and approval of Minutes of previous meeting

Kelley DeLuca welcomed everyone to the meeting. Motion made by Ben Ream to approve the Minutes of the August 17, 2016 meeting. This was seconded by Amanda Morse. Vote: all in favor. Motion carried.

KPD update

Officer Wiggins was unable to attend due to the birth of his first child. He kindly provided Kelley DeLuca with some updates via text. Officer Wiggins reported via text that the intoxicated man who was knocking on residents' doors last month was found due to LFNA's calls. However, if we see him being a nuisance again in our neighborhood, call KPD. KPD has compiled a list of all complaints/arrests made at the Executive Inn this past month and have forwarded them on to Tracee Smith. Officer Wiggins suggested looking at Raids Online or downloading their app if residents are interested in tracking local crime.

Dogwood Elementary

Adam Fritts discussed 3 upcoming events at the school. There will be another work day on the trail behind the school this Saturday from 9am-12 noon. October 18 is Dogwood Night Out, an event created to help boost PTA involvement. LFNA may have some type of involvement with this, whether it helping Dogwood hand out flyers door to door or participating in the Chapman Hwy. McDonald's education event, which is also being held on the 18th from 5:30-6:30 pm. Kelley and Adam will decide LFNA's role and a call for volunteers will be announced later. Thank a Teacher Week is Nov 14-16. Last year, LFNA donated chicken for this event. Adam will let us know later what is needed and we can decide what we would like to donate.

SKNBC meeting update

No representative was available to attend the September meeting.

Treasurer's report

A copy of the monthly Treasurer's Report is also available to LFNA members. Contact Kelley or Heather for a digital copy.

Entrance Signs Update

There have been changes to the sign requirements since we submitted our design in the grant application. Sign posts must now be made out of wood and sign height cannot exceed 6 feet. Some of our previously chosen locations will also have to be reconsidered. Kelley will share more details as she receives them.

Paint the Pavement

Adam, Kelley, and Ben Epperson have met and have created several designs that might be able to be used in multiple neighborhoods. Bands of color will surround a simple shape that represents features in our neighborhood (ex: library, bicycle trail, ballfield). Ben is working on having these stencils designed so that other neighborhoods can use them. We will start with painting 3 locations: in front of Dogwood, the Ellis end of Woodlawn, and Tipton Ave. at Moody.

Halloween

Ann Viera graciously offered to design flyers this year. They will remind LF neighbors to please hand out candy on Oct. 31 (if desired) in order to boost participation in our neighborhood. Kelley will print the flyers and the flyer team will distribute.

South High

Becky Wade reported that 1 proposal to buy the old South High was submitted, and details will be announced in a few weeks.

Future Speaker

Kelley has spoken with developer John Shepherd, and he will be addressing the LFNA in either October or November, once his plans to build an apartment building behind the new Bojangles are solidified.

National Night Out

NNO is October 4. If anyone would like to join in on a neighborhood walk, meet at Graystone at 6:30. You may also turn on your porch light that evening in support of NNO.

Blighted property

Becky stated that the city may have to acquire the blighted property at 542 Tipton. The owner lives out of state and they cannot get in contact with that person.

Snacks

Becky and Jake have volunteered to bring snacks for next month's meeting.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Heather Ream, Secretary.