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Environmental Health and Beautification

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Finance

Membership Concerns and Community Relations

Preservation and Urban Design

Public and Media Relations

Public Safety

Zoning, Land Use and Code Enforcement

MEETING MINUTES

West End Neighborhood Development

July 3, 2018, 7pm West End Library, 525 Peeples St. SW

Officers present:

Tony McNeal - President

Sherria Saafir – Treasurer

John Ishmael – Secretary

John Mitchell – 1st VP

Introduction (President Tony McNeal) 7:00 pm

- Call to Order 7:01pm
- Welcome and adoption of agenda

Motion to adopt tonight's agenda by Daniel Vasquez 2nd Susan Cott, the Motion carries

Motion to adopt minutes fom last month/s general body meeting by Carl Barns, 2nd Caleb Racicot, the Motion Carries.

Detective Momani from APD Precinct

I Want to reiterate, you should leave cars unlocked to keep people from breaking in and damaging your car. I do it.

Our precinct had 1 residential break in June! The team is really working. I want to thank you for letting us get there and process the scene if you get a break in. Document what you own, so if you have a break in, you can fight your insurance company, please include serial numbers.

8 vehicle larsony's in June.

GUEST PRESENTATIONS

Samantha Terry from Community Affairs for public works.

We at Sanitation have some changes happening, we are going from 4 days to 5 days. Purchased 9 new trucks. We have many trucks approaching end of life cycle. Solid waste fee is going up, by approximately \$9 per residential

account. Also going to change the commercial accounts. My email is snterry@atlga.gov

Sanford Gordon West End Post Office – I am new to the Post office and my position and objective is to make the Post Office look and operate better, and to Serve the community. We have 3 new people recently hired and they are going thru training. We are going to have a community day in August, to help build community relationship. My personal cell is 770-295-9563. Also, Custom complaint number – Brenda is in charge, 770-216-1968. West End Station Manager, Launda Milner 404-428-8109.

- Mail carrier cannot tell you to move your mailbox from the House to the Street. West End is a historical neighborhood, so you can have your mailbox on house. But new construction will need to be on the street.

Trees Atlanta-Travis – Youth tree Team-Waletta Jackson spoke, she is the area maintenance coordinator.

We get a grant from Atlanta, to plant trees. We do front yard Shade trees that are larger. Also plant some small trees, in the Right of way, in the area between the sidewalk and street, these are smaller.

Go to Treesatlanta.org and Sign up on our website.

Adam Parker – Carter USA, purchased the Metropolitan, also known as Candler Warehouse 150 tenants, 100 years old, stored cotton, Originally Build by Asa Chandler.

- -We want to use the 500,000 sq ft for small business folks.
- -We Want it to be a community space. There are 25 apartments still in the complex.
- -We get business ideas from Invest Atlanta.
- -Entrance is on Metropolitan Avenue, this will switch to Murphy Ave it the future.

We are meeting with Marta to have improvements made so we in the future, build a walk over from The Metropolitan to West End Marta station, we are unsure as to how long that will take.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Placemakers Program grant -WE got it!

Citizens Trust Bank granted WEND 8,000

CTB Citizens trust bank, gave us 4000 now and 4000 for the music event.

Tour of Homes Was very successful, thank you for everyone that helped and volunteered, and for the folks that opened their home. We will have numbers at next months meeting.

We have a 2nd VP position open, mail at wendinc@gmail.com

Please volunteer.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

Income 6598.36

Expenses 1173.00

Start \$27,501.76

End \$32,926.29

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership Concerns and Community Relations

o Events

looking to write 2 additional grants. Thanks for doing the survey. 1st grant is LOVE your Block. 200 -1000 this is 3 month cycle. The Deadline is soon. July 20th. We Will partner with Beautification.

 2^{nd} Grant - Building Community Grant 1000 to 10,000 this is a 12 month cycle. Innitiatives that promote safety. Engaging youth thru work and empowerment. 2^{nd} idea Festival to bring out people in the neighborhood.

Public and Media Relations

o Marketing Not report

Preservation and Urban Design

Caleb Racicot

It is illegal to paint brick if not painted.,

New subdivision 1244 and 1254 Sells ave.

Please volunteer

Zoning, Land Use and Code Enforcement - no report

Environmental Health and Beautification

Barbara

We are adding a Tuesday clean up into the mix along with the Saturday cleanup

WRAP-UP AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Eva Dickerson – West End Farmers Market – every Saturday please come Usually have 3 farmers

443-472-8489 please text

JoAnn

I sent a letter about the Marta name change.
I would like to WEND to take a stand

ADJOURN 8:31 pm