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## COMMITTEES

Beautification

Education

Membership

Preservation and Urban Design

Public Relations/Media

Public Safety

Zoning and Land Use

## MEETING MINUTES

### West End Neighborhood Development

July 7, 2015 7pm - West End Library

### Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by President Kimberly Parmer at 7:01pm.

### Officers Present

Kimberly Parmer, President  
Alisha Thym, Second Vice President  
Jason Tutt, Treasurer  
Naquia Harris, Secretary

### WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

7:02 PM the 2015 Officers introduced themselves, followed by meeting attendees and guests.

### ADOPTION OF MEETING AGENDA

7:05 PM Adoption of evening's agenda motioned by Kathi Woodcock and seconded by Olivia Gullatt. The vote was unanimous and the motion passed.

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

7:06 PM Approval of June 2nd minutes motioned by Kim Copeland, and second Stephanie Malinauskas. The vote was unanimous and the motion passed.

### FINANCIAL REPORT

7:07 PM Capitol City Bank is now officially First Citizens Bank.  
\$12,049.16 total.  
\$3,540.74 Revenue (Membership, SWAG, Cultural Affairs Grant, Concert Sales)  
\$3,696.00 Expenditures (PO Box renewal, summer concert expenses and payment of concert acts)

### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

- 7:08 PM Thanks to all that assisted with the concert. All proceeds go to beautification efforts. Email Tony or Carlton if you have any ideas
- Gordon-White Park Farmer's Market: Permit is approved by the city. Only one vendor last Friday night. Reached out to Fulton County to comply with inspection of vendors at Farmer's Market
- Demonstration-if neighborhood feels there's another way to demonstrate the garden someplace else, we can let Atlanta know
- One member expressed concern about having two farmer's market
- NPU-T hot topics

- From Terry Ross: a festival is being planned in August. More details to come
- CVS Liquor License has been approved. Cannot exceed 5% of monthly gross. No single beers (breaking of packages) They promised but didn't sign a good neighbor agreement
- SisterLove: Looking to re-zone; will be on agenda next month.
- It's Bigger than Hip Hop: will present next month
- Neighborhood Commercial Legislation: Businesses to adopt the BeltLine Overlay District. For more information go to BeltLine Overlay District website.

### **GUEST PRESENTATIONS**

- 7:22 GDOT and consultants study of Northside Drive. Marisha Robinson (City), Eric Frye (ACOMM) scope is to evaluate the Northside corridor. Look at existing infrastructure, traffic, map of historic districts, ecologic components of corridor. ¾ of the way of identifying the historical aspects of corridor. Will be done in January 2016. Also looking for feedback of the groups affected by the corridor. Collecting information from community and stakeholders. Wants to look to see what improvements can be done. No design is available as this is the study phase. Hoping to produce a proposed traffic model. If a project were to be built, the study can show how the traffic will look like in 20 years. Plan to have additional stakeholder meetings in the fall, nothing has been scheduled. Hopefully will have a proposed plan by then. Noted that Senator Vincent Fort and State Representative Pat Gardner were in attendance and expressed concern of possibility of an interchange 404-287-7116 Senator Fort's cell number. State Rep [pat@patgardner.org](mailto:pat@patgardner.org) Encourage GDOT to come to neighborhood meetings and let them know how we are feeling about the project and to keep her informed.
- 7:56 Dr. Ashley vet update. Finished the purchase! Next phase is renovation. Building permits are submitted should start this month. 8-12 week process. Hopefully opening in October 2015.
- 8:01 MARTA Louis Grisoglio 404-848-5337 Denise pilot project West End fresh produce initiative how well we can serve the community with serving produce. Not intended to compete with other farmers market in the neighborhood working with southwest local farmers. Launch date 7/17/15 until October

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

### Public Safety

- 8:18 PM Lt. Sinks addressing public safety issues in the neighborhood. Car thefts are a large issue this summer.

### Education

- 8:46 PM Brown Middle School construction update: demolition to start in August project goes for one year. Set to be finished June 2016

### Beautification

- 8:48 PM Yard of the Month submit recommendation to [staceyv@yahoo.com](mailto:staceyv@yahoo.com). Please cut the grass. Kay Wallace on Oglethorpe won July's Yard of the Month
- LCI landscape needs maintenance

### Zoning and Land Use

- 8:52 PM Neighborhood Commercial Legislations, if interested contact [secretary@atlantawestend.com](mailto:secretary@atlantawestend.com)

### Preservation and Urban Design

- 8:57 PM those interested in doing external renovations, contact this committee to make sure it falls within the historical guidelines

### Public Relations/ Media

- 8:58PM Beltline SW 5K, West End Mavericks
- Send all program and events media and images to secretary

### Membership

- 8:56 PM 94 Paid members, those who need a welcome basket contact the Membership Chairperson

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 9:00 PM AUDC Consortium Homeowners workshop 8/8
- Senator Nan Orrock spoke about a Bill around community schooling didn't get picked up. Investing schools as centers for communities. To get families engaged

### Next Meeting

July 7th, 2015, 7pm – West End Library

### Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 9:07pm.



Naquia Harris, Secretary  
West End Neighborhood Development, Inc.