

South Cirby Neighborhood Association Meeting Minutes
May 10, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.
Crestmont Elementary School Multi-Purpose Building

Present: Stephen Costello, Marilyn Floyd, Colleen Cole, LaRon Golden, Helen Dorr, Lieutenant Josh Simon, Sergeant Jeff Kool, Bridgette Dean, Joyce Becraft, George Becraft, Fred Cramer, Sharon Cramer, Reid Allen, James Ferguson, Barbara Ferguson, Jim Wending, Willa Burton, Mike Mecey, Denise Taylor, Ben Alsop, Maribeth Alsop, Lindsey Viersen, Kevin Laughlin, Andrea Laughlin, Bill Floyd, Donna Baird, Quin Baird, Jeff Kravchenko, Val Kravchenko, Wayne Fiskum, Dave McGovern, Page McLellan, Linda Graham, Tina Strasser, Nick Castle, Al Becker, Corene Becker and Coleman Jones

Meeting called to order by President Stephen Costello at 7:02 p.m. Stephen introduced the board and welcomed everyone.

Meeting Minutes: Hearing no objections, the president ordered the April 12, 2016 minutes approved as submitted and placed on file.

Treasurer's Report: The report covers activity from April 1, 2016 to April 30, 2016. The beginning balance was \$973.11. With no activity during the month, the ending balance remains \$973.11. Hearing no objections, the president ordered the treasurer's report placed on file as submitted.

Reports/Old Business

Roseville Police Officer Neighborhood Report: Sergeant Kool mentioned a recent residential burglary from a front door kick. These burglaries come in spurts so if you see anything suspicious, please call. The first place burglars head is the master bedroom looking for jewelry and firearms. Firearms are big ticket items because they are worth a lot of money on the streets. Keep valuables in a bolted down safe because burglars have gone into garages and removed large safes that were not bolted down. In a covert manner, take down license plate numbers that you feel are suspicious. Door plate barricades and the Ring are good burglar deterrents. The Ring detects activity on your property and triggers mobile alerts which allow you to see and speak with anyone at your front door whether you are home or not.

Annual Meeting and Election: June 14, 2016 is our Annual Meeting and Election starting at 7:00 p.m. at Crestmont Park. Summer meetings are held at Crestmont Park when school is not in session.

New Business

Group Care Homes on Hidden Hills Drive and Woodacre Way: Lieutenant Simon, who is responsible for beats 1 and 2, provided general information on the group homes in our neighborhood. Ambitions, Inc. who manages both group homes was invited to our meeting, but did not show up. Bridgette Dean, Police Social Services Administrator, explained that the two group homes are double-level funded facilities. The State has given funding to Alta Regional to place intellectually disabled adults with certain behaviors in smaller group homes to be mainstreamed. Similar group homes are throughout the State. The group homes in our area have a maximum capacity of four same-sex clients. Both group homes in Roseville are female gendered homes. Alta Regional pays Ambitions, Inc. to run the group homes.

Bridgette reported the PD has had multiple meetings with Alta Regional and Ambitions, Inc. One of the agreements that has come out of these meetings is that Alta Regional will not be placing any more group homes in Roseville. The PD is working with them to get better training of employees, a better understanding of how police departments and cities work and how to engage with their community. Problems that arise from the group homes or clients will be documented by the PD. If there is a consistent problem with a client, perhaps this isn't the best place for that client in our community and Alta Regional

and Ambitions, Inc. are open to that discussion. The level of training has already been raised and they are considering adding staff to the Hidden Hills Drive group home so that each client would have two staff in addition to a manager in the home. A licensed psychologist sees the clients on site several times a week.

Sergeant Kool spoke on the law enforcement perspective. Calls for service are excessive at these group homes. Most of the calls are from the Hidden Hills Drive group home. If a crime occurs, such as assault or battery, people will be taken to jail. Neighborhood Association members had the opportunity to ask questions and mention concerns. Many of the incidents mentioned, the PD was not aware of. The PD wants to work with our neighborhood to resolve disturbances or crimes associated with these group homes and they cannot do that unless dispatch is called. When you see or hear something that you know is not right with these group homes, call dispatch and give the dispatcher the address of the group home where the incident is occurring. Also, request that an officer contact you. Officers will be taking reports and documenting every service call to these group homes.

Dates to Remember:

Police Department Open House: May 14, 2016, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., 1051 Junction Boulevard

RCONA Representative for May 19, 2016 RCONA Meeting: Colleen plans to attend.

Next Community Coffee with City Council: May 20, 2016 with Vice Mayor Susan Rohan, 10:00 a.m., Martha Riley Library

Next NW Informational Meeting: May 24, 2016, 12:00 – 1:00 p.m., Roseville PD, Mark White Room

Next SCNA Meeting (Annual Meeting and Election): June 14, 2016, 7:00 p.m., Crestmont Park

Future RCONA Meeting: June 16, 2016, 7:00 p.m., Martha Riley Library

RCONA Movie in the Park: July 9, 2016, *Field of Dreams*, Crestmont Park

Future SCNA Meeting: July 12, 2016, 7:00 p.m., Crestmont Park

National Night Out: August 2, 2016 (details to be determined)

Fire Station #3 Open House: August 6, 2016, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., 1300 Cirby Way

Future Community Coffee with City Council: August 30, 2016 with Bonnie Gore, 5:00 p.m., Martha Riley Library, Meeting Rooms 1 and 2

SCNA's 2nd Annual Garage Sale: October 1, 2016, 8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:02 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Colleen Cole, Secretary