# **Lynnfield Community Association**

LCA General Meeting April 4, 2016

Attendees: Kathryn McCrea, Cathy Curry, Karen Eckert, Alice Collings, Linda Mirante, Jonah,

Guest Speaker-Cpl. Hester-NCCPD Community Officer High number of daytime burgleries.

Northwood installed lights. They were having suspicious activity and it cut back & very appreciative that they are in and they are happy to have them & it is a deterrent. Her recommendation would be to have them in Lynnfield Community.

Estimated increase in tax bill \$37-\$60 per year. Kathy has the actual cost based on the 1983 appraisal. We do not pay for the Delmarva installation \$70K benefit to the community.

#### **Old Business:**

Street light petition
Sand barrels will be picked up this month by DelDot
Playground will be cleaned with mulch

## **By-laws and Delaware Corp. Code Title 8**

Deed Restrictions need to be done every 10 years-not enforcable as we go by the County Code violations. We cannot enforce if someone wants to build a 6 ' fence whereas our deed restrictions say 4'. We would need to hire an attorney to have these updated & filed. We do not want to spend the money. We would prefer that homeowners deal with the homeowner or code enforcement (which can be anonymous).

By-laws are how we run the association: rules of order, meetings,

Update 1977 By-laws committee- Lou, Linda Thomas, CeCe Bedrosin, Karen, Cathy, being done by the Fall meeting. Board please add your input. Aligned with Title 8 corporate code. CCOBH - Bob Valahara go to website

Kathy will be redo entire website. Membership paid for 5 years godaddy website.

Newsletter-will hold off until we have more information.

Natural Gas for the neighborhood- project list for 2018. 100 ft of gas line then homeowner pay for the rest.

terracotta pipes Brandywine sewer lines. suppose to come back. special services-parcel search-sewer done. cleanout plug.

Fall meeting add to ballet if everyone wants gas.

Treasurer's Report - Mary Jo has access to funds and writes reimburesment

paypal link to put on the website

2 homes sold on Ridgeland

Rep for Ridgeland - need

#### **New Business**

replying back when emails are sent out. If you could respond to let us know when you will be attending. We have not received any responces recently.

## Lights, the Petition is 1 petition, we go door to door to get signatures

we have to go door to door to 170 signatures.

1983 appraisals cheaper taxes

postcards or newsletter \$50/year.

\$70K benefit from township & increases property value- 20 lights-cobra

New Castle Finance - Denzil then he takes it to Delmarva

Speed bumps - 50/50 speeding going through community, accidents. proven to slow down people. decrease people through community as a thorough fare. Bumps are easy 10" wide not plastic! little maintence. petition can go through the mail. John Cartier has not responded.

We have drug activity 10-3 takes 4.5 hours calling 911 several times. woman had dropped baggies out the window of her car.

## **No Solicitation Community:**

We cannot allow people to solicit unless they have a permit.

#### **CCOBH** meeting:

Any meetings the homeowner has to vote. Not written proxy. Not the renters.

Deed restrictions are guidelines - cannot enforce them follow county code. they are in the deed having to deal with the property. no fence over 4'.

bylaws the organization who the membership, corporate law title 8 how to run the association.

### **Code Violations:**