

**Board Meeting Minutes: August 17, 2021 ZOOM** 

- A. Call to Order 6:05pm
  - a. Attendance: Jamie Eickhoff, LeQuinne Ferrebe, James Mysliwiec, Chris Lowrance, Steve Rutledge, Leslie Harlan, Gina Eisenberg, John Brenneman
  - b. Steve moved to approve the minutes, Jim seconded, Approved
- B. Welcome Guests Cynthia Murray
- C. Treasurer Report
  - a. Approval of the Kaliff Board of Directors Insurance renewal (Motion LQ, Second Jim, approved)
- D. Committee Reports
  - a. National Night Out (Neighbors Together is the new official name of the national program) Update was given by committee chair Leslie Harlan
    - We have obtained the permit to use the park and there is no permit cost neighborhood event will be October 5th at Northridge Park (821 Chevy Chase Dr.)
    - ii. Arranged to have VIP guests Councilman ClaytonPerry, Commissioner Trish DeBerry, SAFFE Officer Rahman
    - iii. Looking for sponsors to defray costs if you are interested please contact Leslie Harlan at leslietharlan@hotmail.com
    - iv. Informational tables are available to sponsors
    - v. Next committee meeting is 8/25 and 9/22 at 6pm
  - b. President's Comments Gina Eisenberg
    - The president is creating sponsorship packages for business memberships and will begin soliciting support from area companies
    - ii. Bylaws committee is making progress on updates for the Fall meeting, their next meeting is 8/24 at 6pm
    - iii. Open records request has been made for all police events at Bentley's Bar (recent shootings) with a plan to object to the TABC liquor license at their next renewal window due to repeated noise ordinance violations and non-response to community concerns and rising criminal events.

- E. Special Guest: Clayton Perry, D10 COSA Councilman
  - a. We want a trash pick up event in our neighborhood, and we encourage walkers to pick up trash along your walks.
  - b. We're invited to send artwork to Clayton's office for inclusion in his newsletter about our neighborhood association. We want to build awareness among those who may not know about us.
  - c. The councilman has met with Councilman Bravo and will discuss with him in more detail regarding the Noise Ordinance Task Force.
  - d. Capt Smith at northside substation is new. He suggested sending a thank you note for the noticeable patrols along with some treats.
  - e. Trevor Baker is the Clinician assigned to District 10 to address housing-at-risk people call the office with any needs
  - f. Citizens are welcome at any "Citizens to be Heard" on Wednesday afternoon, Thursday Council meetings and at committee meetings
  - g. Samantha Wickwire from D10 office discussed rezoning matters
    - 1206 Nacogdoches Rd. commercial building seeking rezoning from O2 to C2 for a potential, established, Jewelry Store (D10 would be requiring a non-alcoholic attachment to that request) - not yet submitted to zoning commission
    - ii. 167 Country Lane Samantha will check on the current situation with this property owned by Pioneer Homes.
- F. New Business / Announcements
  - a. Chris Lowrance communications committee discussed engaging others through non-traditional means and will update at further meetings
- G. Adjournment 6:48p (motion by Jim/ second by Steve/Unanimous approval)