

CENTENNIAL COUNCIL OF NEIGHBORHOODS

12855 E. Adam Aircraft Cir March 26, 2018 www.cencon.net

Minutes

1. Call to Order: Gerry Cummins, President, called the meeting to order at 6:47 pm.

• Attendance: (There was a quorum.)

Algonquin Acres Chapparal Cherry Knolls
Fox Hill #4 FoxRidge Hanover Place

Heritage Place Highlands @ Piney Creek Homestead in Willows Hunters Hill Condos The Knolls Nob Hill/Ridgeview Hills S.

Palos Verdes Ridgeview Hills North Tiffany Valley Club Acres Village @ Centennial Walnut Hills

- Guests: Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office, Arapahoe Library Dist., Centennial Citizen, Centennial Staff (2), Council Members: Mayor Piko, Carrie Penaloza, Tammy Maurer, Mike Sutherland; Suburban Parks & Rec. Dist., South Suburban Candidates (2). Guest (5)
- Highlighted areas below are good information for neighborhood newsletters.

2. Guest Comments

A. Arapahoe County Sheriff, Capt. Mark Ortler

- At 10200 E Dry Creek Rd, there were multiple arsons in the apartment complex. The arsonists have not been caught, yet.
- At 7870 E Peakview Ave. there was a suicide attempt that was not successful.
- A man accidentally discharged his gun and shot himself in the leg.
- The Bomb Squad mustered at ACSO HQ for a suspicious package (from Louisianna). A woman received it at her house. She hadn't ordered anything so she took it to the ACSO. The bomb squad came and X-rayed it. It ended up being documents & pictures from a relative.
- Ortler gave us a crash report on past month in the City. In the vicinity of: Yosemite & Dry Creek, Peoria & Easter, Havana & Arapahoe, and Havana & Easter were the top 5 locations.
- The ACSO Citizens Academy runs 4/3-5/3. More info can be found on the website.
- 4/28 is National Drug Take back day. Locations include Smoky Hill Library, the Arapahoe Kaiser,10am – 2pm. No needles or sharps, mercury thermometers, Oxygen containers, chemo drugs or radioactive materials, pressurized canisters, or illicit drugs may be dropped off.
- April is Child Abuse Awareness and Prevention Month (blue is their color). We invite all citizens able to meet by the flag pole in front of ACSO HQ on 4/2 at 9am wearing blue. Wear Blue Day is 4/6.
- Sheriff Walcher will have a Twitter chat on 3/28, 7-8am.
- We've hired a new K-9 handler, Deputy Mike Zimmerman. We've bought 2 new
 dogs that are currently in training. They should be up & trained in a few months
 and will come for a visit when the days are longer. We have a total of 4 K-9s.
- If you have illegal drugs call the ACSO and they'll come & pick it up. (303-795-4711.

- Carter: I've asked several times to have the stop sign on Helena St. enforced. Ortler: Traffic concerns are our #1 issue. I'll look into it.
- Bain: What if it happens in other neighborhoods? Ortler: This can be reported online.
- B. Arapahoe Library District, Nicole Wilhelms
 - The Museum of Outdoor Art is loaning some outdoor art pieces at 2 libraries: Smoky Hill & Koelbel, over the next 3 month.
 - Young adult author Dhonielle Clayton, a great advocate for diversity through her children's books, will speak at Koelbel on 3/29 at 7pm. Hear about *The Belles*, motivated by her thoughts on the media's influence over women's body image. A book signing will take place after her presentation.
 - On 4/26, Denver author Cynthia Swanson, writer of *The Glass* Forest and *The Book* Seller, will speak at the DTC Embassy Suites.
 - Register for either author presentation online.
 - Friday, 4/6, Arapahoe Libraries and The Centennial Senior Commission are sponsoring a Senior Resource Fair at Koelbel Lib., 10am-noon. At 9am an expert panel will discuss local resources, like Meals on Wheels, that are available. Visit the website for more info.
- C. Arapahoe Parks & Rec District, Delos Searle, Asst. District Manager not present
- D. Fire Districts, South Metro Fire Rescue not present
 - Cunningham Fire, Littleton Fire, South Metro Fire
- F. South Suburban Parks & Rec District, Jamie DeBartolomeis
 - SSPRD will have a Board Election on 5/8: 9 candidates are running for 3 positions, website/election. On 4/21, the League of Women Voters will hold a candidate forum,1-3pm. Info can be found on the website as well as a form to request an absentee ballot.
 - Please, note the events flyer linked below these minutes.
 - Egg Hunt for all youth in the Sports Dome, 3/31
 - Going on sale on 4/6, will be a new pass just for the outdoor pools for the summer.
 - "Speak up for the High Line Canal" will be an open house at Goodson Rec. Center on 4/10, 4:30-7:30pm. Check the event flyer.
 - 46th Annual Showtime on Ice, whimsical theme, check times & dates in the flyer.
 - DeBartolomeis distributed the new edition of Active at Any Age (mainly for adults 55+).
 - She also distributed the SSPRD summer camps guide.
 - SSPRD had a successful jobs fair but still needs people to fill many jobs. Check the website homepage, under the Careers tab.
 - SSPRD created a YouTube ad for golf that spoofs the Masters Tournament.
 - Susan Pye and Dave Lawfull were present and introduced themselves as candidates for election to the Board.
- G. City of Centennial
 - Mayor Piko couldn't stay for the whole meeting.
 - Carrie Penaloza, District 2 Council member, talked briefly about the motel/hotel moritorium the City passed.
 - Tammy Maurer, District 2 Council member, talked about the City's upcoming Earth Day celebration on 4/21 in Centennial Center Park.

- Mike Sutherland, District 3 Council member, briefly updated us on what was happening with the City's fiber project and Ting. Walnut Hills and Willow Creek are bring wired by Ting right now.
- 3. <u>Centennial NEXT</u>: Update to Centennial's Comprehensive Plan
 - Jenny Houlne & Alex Grimsman, from the Centennial Community Development Dept. discussed the upcoming 3rd phase of Centennial NEXT, new survey on ADUs/tiny homes starts 3/29 in person or online.
 - Take part in an in person survey!
 - 4/9, Goodson Rec. Center, 12:30-2pm
 - 4/10, Blue Spruce Brewing (4181 E. County Line Rd., \$1 off beer) & Resolute Brewing (7286 S. Yosemite St., \$1 off a beer & free beer coupon for next visit), 6-8pm.
 - 4/17, Whole Foods (Southglenn), 11am-1pm AND Two Penguins Tap & Grill (13065 E. Briarwood Ave., \$1 off and draft beer, wine, or cocktail), 6-8pm
 - 4/19, Trails Rec. Center, 11am-1pm AND Whole Foods (Southglenn), 5-7pm AND Two22 Brew (4550 S. Reservoir Rd., \$1 off a beer & free beer coupon for next visit) AND Celebrity Lanes (15755 E. Arapahoe Rd., free shoe rental), 6-8pm
 - All goodies are rewards for taking the survey.
 - We filled out the second survey at the meeting

4. CenCON Business

- A. President's report, Gerry Cummins
 - Cummins again mentioned our need for a CenCON Treasurer.
- B. Secretary, Andrea Suhaka
 - A motion was made, seconded, and passed unanimously to accept the Feb. minutes as emailed. (Doerr/Wilson)
- C. Treasurer's report, Blum
 - We currently have 19 members plus one paid at the meeting.
 - Checking Account at Wells Fargo Bank, Smoky Hill Branch:
 - Balance forward from 2/26/18 report \$2.963.52

Income: Dues deposited* 180.00Expenses: None 0.00

Account balance, 3/26/18
 3,143.52

5. Plans, 2nd VP

- Ting Data Center, Rezoning & Site Plan, 7700 S Wheeling (currently in Arapahoe County but is requesting annexation into Centennial), near Broncos Pky & Potomac: to build an office, warehouse, computer room, & mechanical yard.
- Community Meetings
 - March 22, 14100 E Arapahoe Rd, 6 pm Site Plan for property on SW corner of Arap-ahoe Rd & Jordan Rd.: HCA-Healthone proposes to build a 61,000 sqft, 2story tower with an additional 20 patient beds, new entrance and lobby, surgery department & emergency dept renovation the east side of existing building. It would be built to accommodate an additional 4-stories at a later date

^{*} Members paying in March: Chapparal, Heritage Place, Homestead Farm II, The Knolls, Sturbridge at Homestead, Valley Club Acres

- March 29, Civic Center, 6 pm Site Plan for SW corner of E. Briarwood Ave & S. Blackhawk St.: to allow for a 9,000 sqft. 1-story <u>light auto repair facility</u> (Hometown Tire Pros) on 1.22 ac.,
- 6. Comments from Members
 - Doerr: Again this month, the highest accident area was Dry Creek & Yosemite.
 - Black: Are there residential design standards? Cummins: No
 - Walsh: There are empty big box stores, why more housing? There are problems with setbacks, too close to the road. Why activity center zoning?
 - Bain: Don't change things.
- 7. Adjourn: Cummins adjourned the meeting at 8:20pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Andrea Suhaka.

Please inform Andrea Suhaka at 303-770-0058 or standy@ecentral.com of changes in your CenCON Representative or Association President/Chair.

Next meeting - April 23, 2018