

**Community Policing Action Council (CoPAC)  
Ypsilanti, Michigan**

**Minutes  
June 26, 2007  
6pm, Senior Center**

**In Attendance:**

CoPAC Members: Allen Morgan (CHENA), Sandee French (DTA), Peter Hubbard (Gerganoff), Fred Williams (Heritage Park), Rod Johnson (Historical Eastside), Steve Pierce (Historical Southside), Harvey Krage (Midtown), Sarahanne Wright (Miles Area), Beth Bashert (Normal Park), Margaret Ann Kildau (Prospect Park), Megan Turf (Prospect Gardens), Linda French (Riverside), Janice Thompson (Worden Gardens), Matthew Harshberger (YPD)

Others: Brian Filipiak (City Council), Ofc. Jason Cyrbok (YPD), Lt. Paul DeRidder (YPD), Lula Jones (Riverside), Brian Robb (City Council)

**Treasurer's Report**

No report.

**Outstanding Dues Owed**

The following groups are currently unable to vote until they become current with their dues. Please see Robert Miller (ypsimit@sbcglobal.net) to make your group current:

**MULTIPLE YEARS OWED:**

- Miles Area – 2005 and 2006 and ~~2007~~ (paid). \$70 total (\$35/year)

**2007 ONLY OWED:**

- Historic Southside NA – 2007. \$35
- Woods Road NA – 2007. \$35

Dues for 2007 were due at the January 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting!

- Full Associations - \$35
- Associate Associations - \$25

If you are unclear which group you belong in, please contact Robert Miller (ypsimit@sbcglobal.net).

## **New Business**

Taser Demonstration – please see power point presentation (separate file).  
See also ypsinews.com for a posting of the video that was taken of the meeting.  
<http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=-3280105934086015378&hl=en>

## **Neighborhood Reports**

### CHENA

- Still determining new boundaries.
- Meeting 7/15 to clean up Candy Cane Park for the August picnic

### DTA

- Praise for DPW and YPD. DPW caught a guy crawling through an apartment window in Midtown.
- Also discussed using ypsicopac.org to pass on commercial information on behalf of DTA to the rest of the city. Decision was made to create a new listserve.

### EMU

- No report given.

### FRIENDS OF THE YPD

- No report given.

### GATEWAY COMMUNITY COUNCIL

- No report given.

### GERGANOFF

- Social at the Senior Center.
- YPD gave update on Amber calling.
- DPW talked about solid waste removal.
- Ypsilanti-gna.org – website.

### HERITAGE PARK

- No report given.

### HISTORIC EASTSIDE

- No report given.

### HISTORICAL SOUTHSIDE

- No report given.

### MIDTOWN

- No report given.

### MILES AREA

- No report given.

NORMAL PARK

- No report given.

PROSPECT GARDENS

- No report given.

PROSPECT PARK

- Annual block party. YFD Firemen came out. Let the kids play with the hose & try on the uniforms.
- Ppna-ypsi.org – new website coming soon.

RIVERSIDE

- No report given.

WORDEN GARDENS

- Less speeders.
- Loud neighbor moved out.
- Block party is scheduled for August 11, 2007.

WOODS ROAD

- No report given.

YPSILANTI CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

- No report given.

YPSILANTI POLICE DEPARTMENT

- Warrant has been issued for the Prospect/Forest shooter.

**Old Business**

Website update

Megan is listing individual NA meeting dates and times on the events page. If you are interested in having your group's meetings listed, send her the info:

[mturf@isr.umich.edu](mailto:mturf@isr.umich.edu)

Committee update

- Marketing/Website – currently looking for volunteers!
  - Which parades do we want to walk in?
  - Need volunteers for the CoPAC tent at Heritage Festival.
- Picnic
  - Candy Cane park was picked up pretty well on Pride Day.
  - The children's area needs one more day.
  - CHENA & Gerganoff will purchase the meat. The rest will be covered through the other NAs and the sign up sheet.
  - Flier has been updated.
  - Checklist for sign up will go out in the next day or two.

- CoPAC will pay the application & security deposit fees & rent a port-a-john
- CPA Ad Hoc – Beth Bashert & Megan Turf will work with Lula Jones of Riverside to get this going.

### **Nuisance Abatement Team Update**

No report given.

### **Next Meeting**

NEXT REGULAR MEETING TUES., July 24, 2007

EXECUTIVE MEETING TUES., August 7, 2007