

Community Policing Action Council
January 26th, 2010
Haab Health Building, Community Room
6 p.m.
Agenda

6:00 – 6:01 Call to order **1806 intros**

intro of HESNA reps by Rachel Blistein (Mary Delcamp new primary; Grace Sweeney new alternate)

6:01 – 6:05 Approval of Minutes **1808**
March, July, September, November
Steve -> Mark, unanimous

6:05 – 6:10 Treasurer's Report **1810- (Robert Absent)**

1. Dues are DUE!

\$35 for Full Members (neighborhood assns), \$25 for Associate Members

In person or cash:

Give to Robert in an envelope
marked with your
organization's name and the
total!

By mail or check:

CoPAC
310 South Huron Street
Ypsilanti, MI 48197
Remember to put the organization's
name in the memo line!

2. Current balance

a. Who paid dues in 2009

b. Picnic expenses

i. need to get from DAY

6:10 – 6:40 Old Business

1. Growing Hope CGDI- Prospect Park is participating! **(1812)**

a. Members of many NAs, not an "official" NA participation

b. Through Friends of Prospect Park

6:40 – 7:15 New Business

1. Officer elections- President and Secretary! (through 2012)

a. Mark Namatevs nominated Steve as Pres, Mary second

i. unanimous passage

b. Mark noms Bonnie as Sec'y, Alan seconds

i. unanimous passage

2. City Department Introductions/updates- scheduling

i. next meeting!

3. Switch away from current e-mail list

a. get bonnie your email address!

i. YpsiCityList- restart as more of a copac project?

ii. will report back in March

4. Ypsi PRIDE day- May 15th!

- a. Help, volunteer with the organizing committee! Contact bonnie for how (ypsipride.org)
- 5. See ClickFix update (**1830**)
 - a. Good way to report outages, graffiti, trash issues- can set up "watches" for neighborhood associations, etc. election wards are already set up (ward 1, 2, 3)
 - b. Neighborhood associations could definitely start to use it! Remember though nothing's a replacement for actually calling DPS/DTE/Comcast/Code Enforcement/your councilperson.

7:15 – 7:30 Police Report

- 1. Welcome Chief Walker!
 - a. Started Jan 4th!
- 2. Budget update
 - a. Budget cuts!
 - b. Community policing now more important than ever- call the police when you see something illegal or suspicious! Work with your neighborhood association to set up watches! Help out your neighbors when they're on vacation (or ask their help when you are!). &c.
- 3. Central Dispatch with WCSO update (**1845**)
 - a. Moved over last Friday- so far working out well!
 - b. still call 911 for emergencies; 483-9510 for non-emergencies.

7:30 – 7:45 Committee Reports

- 1. Picnic - next organizers?
 - a. EPPNA can assist
 - b. Riverside, DAY did it 2009
 - c. tabled for further research on whose turn it is

7:45 – 7:55 Neighborhood Reports (2 minutes each)

- 1. Growing Hope- monthly community potlucks. Check website (growinghope.net) for details
- 2. HESNA- new website! Also, thank you to Rod for his many years of devoted service
 - a. 2/25 frenchies 8pm-11pm Luna lake fundraiser- will have a DJ (danny Boy)! free to get in; 20% of purchases go to Luna Lake
 - b. 2/24 general meeting @ highscope re: cross street repaving
- 3. historic south side- successful Christmas party, great recent meeting with NPT officers. several recent home sales- owner occupants, even!
- 4. Juanita- great holiday party with many donations
 - a. noise complaints on the rise again
 - b. panhandling on harriet/s. huron, GW Kent, etc, on the rise
 - i. call
- 5. Claudia Pettit
 - a. 3/7 normal park potluck @ senior center meeting coming up, local nonprofit showcase
- 6. CHNA- mtg 2/18, 630pm, EMU COB rm 215; fire department cuts, other City budget issues

7. DAY- have become better-organized, more efficient this past year! crossroads is booking, fundraising as we speak (literally). Some new businesses coming in, others going (Simply DeVine)- overall happy with downtown! Sunday AATA parking lot cleanups- contact them if you'd like to help!
8. EPPNA- next mtg 2/3, @Adams @7p. 2/19 Family Fun Night!
9. Prospect Park- more people getting involved in neighborhood watch/nuisance controls
10. Stadium Meadows- couple of breakings, both car and unit; 2/3 meeting
11. President's goodbye (copy-paste from email sent to exec board)

7: 55 – 8:00 Calendar Review & Agenda Items for next meeting
ALAN – JUANITA, unanimous adjournment

Next Executive Board meeting: March 2, 2010 (YPD)
Next Regular meeting: March 23, 2010 (Haab)