Verona Hills Homes Association Minutes for November 15, 2011 Board Meeting...Joe Davidson (Host)

Attendance: Joe Davidson, Larry Engel, Paul Jokerst, Tom Kenagy, Ed McHardie, Larry Otto, Richard Scarritt, and Shirley Weglarz. Also present were Sue Fahey, Doris Holderness, Cathy Stoetzer and Doug Weishar.

- o The minutes from our October 18 meeting were approved.
- o Joe Davidson presented Sue Fahey with a proclamation in recognition of her years of service on the board.
- We had a brief discussion of the annual meeting. Joe welcomed the new board members who were elected at the meeting: Tom Kenagy, Paul Jokerst and Ed McHardie. Richard reported that we collected over 200 pounds of food for Harvesters.
- o We reviewed our delinquent dues issues with the new board members.
- Election of officers: Joe Davidson was elected President, and Larry Engel was elected Treasurer. Selection of the Secretary and Vice President was deferred until our next meeting.
- o Joe discussed the Five Big Ideas discussed at the annual meeting. Shirley reported that we had received eight additional responses so far.
- o The following committee assignments were made:

Budget: President, Treasurer, Richard Scarritt

Grounds: **Ed McHardie**, Sue Fahey, Phil Paschang, and Tom Kenagy

Snow: Larry Otto and Doug Weishar

Communications: Shirley Weglarz, Doris Holderness, Cathy

Stoetzer, Paul Jokerst and Joe Davidson

Security/Covenants: **Richard Scarritt**, Susan Richart, Ed McHardie

There was some discussion about including government relations with Communication, or making a separate committee. This decision, as well as the remaining committees (Events and Nominating, and possibly a new Helping Hands), were deferred until the next meeting.

o Attached are minutes from a Second Friday meeting that Ed attended.

Second Friday With City Council Members John Sharp & Scott Taylor Approximately 30 people were in attendance with about half representing Home Owner's Associations.

Scott Taylor was present to introduce the Director, Emergency Management Coordinator, Health Care Advocate, and Call Center Manager of United Way of Greater K.C. 2-1-1. The Organization, not to be confused with the United Way, has been in existence for the past 5 years, providing information and referrals on a 24 hour a day 7 days per week basis in matters related to health and human services. Last year they received over 155,000 calls. The 2-1-1 system is a dedicated phone line specific to providing information related to matters, but not limited to: Prescription Assistance; Dental Care; Health Clinics; Medical Health Information; Medical Expense Assistance; Medical Equip. and Supplies; Medical Transportation; Mental Health; Disability; Mortgage Assistance; Utility and Rent needs etc. in multiple Counties both in Missouri and Kansas.

Of further information: it was noted that there are other dedicated phone numbers that people may/may not be aware of:

- 3-1-1 Kansas City, Mo. City Services
- **4-1-1 Telephone Information**
- 5-1-1 MODOT road conditions
- **6-1-1** Telephone Service
- 7-1-1 Information for the Hearing Impaired
- 8-1-1 Call before You Dig
- 9-1-1 Emergencies
 - o Next board meeting will be the third Tuesday in January.