

WPHA March 12, 2024 Board Meeting Notes

Attending: David Evans, Ann Nixon, Margaret Smith, Julie Tozier, Steve Weneck

Treasurer's Report: February Financial Report

- February
 - Revenue = (\$436)
 - Expenses = \$858
 - Expenses over Revenues = \$1,294
- Year to Date
 - Revenue = \$27,154
 - Expenses = \$751
 - Revenues over Expenses = \$26,403
- Accounts Receivable: 94 outstanding (30%) for a total of \$14,203

Facebook

- The draft of the social media guidelines was reviewed. The group felt the Facebook page should be able to provide a variety of information about issues and events that may be outside of Westwood Park but are still relevant to our neighborhood. Julie volunteered to further develop the guidelines to incorporate this idea.

Public Spaces Update

- In an email sent earlier in the day, David Belpedio indicated he would follow up on relocating and replacing lights around fountain.
- Ann has planted pansies at the fountain and at Holly.
- Margaret will follow up on additional traffic signage. WPHA will purchase signs reading "CAUTION SLOW DOWN PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC" around Westwood Road/Mercier/50th Street and Westwood Park. A sign will be added under the YIELD sign at Westwood Road and 50th Street reading "TO ONCOMING TRAFFIC".

March Newsletter:

- The newsletter was sent to Patty Steele for printing and mailing on Friday, March 8. Julie agreed to take over the newsletter and David Evans will serve as treasurer.

Directory

- Julie is working on the directory layout. She expects to have something for review by the next meeting.

Upcoming Events

- Margaret will register our neighborhood for the Great KC Cleanup 2024 on April 20, 9:00 am to noonish. The city will provide trash bags, gloves, and hats.
- The Annual Meeting has been scheduled for Sunday, April 28, 5:00 Social Hour, 6:00 Business Meeting. At this year's meeting, we will develop visuals and signups for various neighborhood initiatives (monument gardening and tending, painting the WP sign at the fountain, PIAC pickle ball). We will do more planning at the April meeting.

Other

- Steve has requested dumpsters for June 22 and October 26. He should receive confirmation of these dates within a few weeks. Dumpster times have been changed 9:00 am to 1:00 pm.
- There was a discussion about traffic speed on Ward Parkway. Margaret will forward a link to a resident survey (link follows). https://etc-research.com/index.php/22054/lang/en/switch2/WELCOME_GP/switchExtension/LP/ The survey includes questions about the police department and traffic concerns. Margaret will draft a letter/petition to be sent to City officials (mayor, city manager, our two council members, director of traffic department, police department). We will ask for signatures at the annual meeting.

Next Meeting

- April 9, 2024, 6:00 p.m. at Julie Tozier's. 1300 W 50th Terrace