



Neighborhood Watch

Meeting Minutes

April 10, 2017 — 5:45 p.m.

The mission of Columbia Neighborhood Watch is to inform, train and encourage residents to work together to establish neighborhood watch programs with the goal of reducing crime."

Call to Order: Irwin - 5:45 pm

Approval of previous month's meeting minutes: Approved

Treasurer's Report: Sandy Perley:

Approval of Treasurer Report: Approved (Ready to apply for City funds)

Sign Committee Report: Approved to have Mary check Vanderveen Subdivision for bad signs.

Old Business:

- Training sessions - plan additional training? suggest Smithton School said they needed different dates- Ron will work on this.
Training set for: Lange Middle School on April 11 @ 7 pm
Suggested maybe September at Boone Electric - Ron will check
 - Set April 25th for an "on-site" training at Patriot Place @ 7 pm
 - Training May 22 at Chateau Apartments 2901 Rollins Road
 - Sandy will check on Banner ad that she placed
- Need to get more business cards -.- Have email & phone number added - Irwin will order
- Bad/ missing email addressed- suspended, unsubscribed. - All have been updated on roster and Constant Contact
- Training Power Point: Will use Jake's PP at next training

- Outreach Events - 2017 Home Show - comments? Needed to have flyers on trainings
- Molly's Miles 5K - comments? They had over 900 runners

New Business:

- Future Outreach Events ? Next April - Crime Victim's Rights 5K Run
- Posting service - Tabled for meeting that Jake will explain
- Donation button on website- Decided to use paypal and Sandy will set up
- Targeting Millennials for membership.- Elaine - asked group to think about ideas
- At least two websites (Buzzfile & Manta Media) posting wrong information. Directed Jeff to contact and request that they take info off of web.
- Ian Thomas, City Council Representative for the Fourth Ward requested our participation in the community engagement process about policing.
- Amy will check for open dates the end of September at City Hall for our Annual Meeting.
- Jeff will check if we can get a tour of Joint Communications and hold our May meeting there.
- This is the third meeting in a row that Jake has missed. Bylaw Article IV Section 5 sub B was required. It was voted to excuse the absences and Jake remains and active Board Member

Adjourned meeting at : 7:30 pm

Board member attendance and terms

Name	Present	Absent	Term Ends
Irwin Schneider, President	X		2019
Elaine Heckenkamp - VP	X		2018
Jeff Hempstead - Secretary	X		2018
Sandy Perley, Treasurer	X		2017
Cecilia Young	X		2017
Ron Barthels	X		2019
Jacob Quick		X	2018
Amy Bishop-Police liaison	X		
Herb Watchinski Jr	X		2017
Mary Kay James		X	2019
Mary Wozny Ex Officio Member	X		