



Neighborhood Watch

Meeting Minutes

September 9, 2019 — 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."

Guest: Caleb Couture,

Call to Order: Irwin - 5:45 pm-

Approval of previous month's meeting minutes: Approved

Treasurer's Report: Sandy Perley:. Next years' Budget - Approved
Dun & Bradstreet - Still have two numbers active

Approval of Treasurer Report: Approved

Sign Committee Report: How to notify people when they no longer qualify for a sign?

Old Business:

Training sessions- Training Monday, August 19 at Public Library - Comments - 11 from County
Survey changes - Elaine & Jacob will work on changes
Scheduling for next year? Irwin got Parkade school for Oct 15-Tuesday @7pm
Library for February okayed - Jeff will arrange
March 24-26, April 21-23, May 26-28? - Open

Upgrade the training video - Anna Wright - Want more input - trying to cut to 7 minutes

Farmers' booklet - Final draft?- Jacob is making progress

Annual meeting - September 25 for the meeting and will start at 5:30 pm
· Police Chief will be the speaker. Will have drink and cookies (Irwin will do this) Door prizes - Walmart gift card
Invite City Council members? Press?

Grant Requirements: Applying for a grant for PR - waiting on reply -

New Business:

Collection of Support Hours:

Events - Paws in the Park Sept 21st -
Mature Living Festival at Parkade Plaza Event Center, on October 4, 2019
Lakeshore Estates, neighborhood block party on Sunday, Sept. 29th 4pm-7pm at the cul-de-sac at Hulen Dr & Biscayne Ct.
CPD "Meet & Greet" Sept. 18 Bethel Park - 5 to 6:30 pm
Sgt Amy Bishop retirement City Hall September 20 City Hall @ 3:30 pm

Website Hosting - Need new web host - BlueHost - is #1 nonprofit host - \$36/mo
A2 Hosting - recommended by Sam - \$33/mo - Approved

How do we measure our success? Suggested using burglary stats and relate it to where our members live and also retention of members based on those receiving our emails.
- Software cost.- \$6 to 7.5K -
- Excel program - Working - Need Data

Presentation to City Council - Sept 3rd - comments

Officer election October: Nominees-
President - Irwin
VP - Elaine
Secretary - Jeff
Treasurer - Herb

Board Opening -. New Members -Tess - Approved
- Caleb - Approved

Newsletter - comments?

Next year's Goals - Approved

Need PSA ideas for PR Campaign:- Think about it and send to Jeff
- A member talking about the Wath
- Use Marc Lammy

Wish list: - Sent Ideas to Jeff
 - Mailers, Ad Sheet, Dedicated office space, Magnetic signs for cars,

Facebook - Nolanda will take over Facebook duties

Adjourned meeting at: 7:30 pm

Board member attendance and terms						
Name	Present	Absent			Term Ends	BD
Irwin Schneider, President	X				2019	21-Aug
Elaine Heckenkamp - VP	X				2021	12-June
Jeff Hempstead - Secretary	X				2021	12-Jul
Sandy Perley, Treasurer	X				2020	16 - Jan
Vacant		X			2021	
Vacant		X			2019	
Nolanda Dodd	X				2021	14- May
liaison Officer Jason McClintic -Police	X					14-March
Herb Watchinski Jr	X				2020	29-Aug
Jacob Novak	X				2019	3-Dec

Auxiliary Board Attendance					
Name	Present	Absent		Term Ends	BD
Linda Munden		X			
Tess Buchner		X			
Marc Lammy		X			