

Membership Meeting Minutes April 01, 2017

The membership meeting was called to order by President Williams at 10:41 AM followed by the pledge of allegiance.

MINUTES AND TREASURER REPORT

The March 2017 minutes, were read and approved by the membership without corrections. Monica Evans presented the Treasurer Report which reflected a balance of \$3631.27; the report was approved by the membership. The Scholarship fund balance is \$2088.25.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Earl Eutsler – DC Urban Forestry Administration gave a presentation on the administrations work including utility pruning and tree maintenance. Mr. Eustler would like to be a regular speaker/guest at future HCCA meetings and has requested to be on the agenda at the August 2017 HCCA membership meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS- ANC, LIBRARY, PSA

- Lt. Monk gave a brief PSA announcement.
- Rob Tate of JAIR LYNCH gave an update of the Penn Branch Shopping center – plans include the design, renovation, development of the rear lot and the design as a mixed use property.
- Cinque Culver Ward 7 Dems asked the membership for their ideas/thoughts on what issues the Ward 7 Dems should focus on; responses included the voting process, targeting HS students, civic lesion, special elections and primaries and the importance of these elections and voter registration.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Education – Toya Carmichael updated the membership of the March 20th hearing regarding KIPP. The pending charter school board April 2017 vote on increasing the enrollment for charter schools will determine if KIPP is allowed to expand anywhere in DC. The letter submitted by the HCCA in opposition of expanding in Hillcrest was well received.

May 1st is the deadline for applying for the HCCA scholarship.

STTC – Yantee Neufville – gave updates Metro fare increases; the need for Hillcrest residents to report issues to 311; He will be reaching out to Mary Che, Chair of the Committee on Transportation and the Environment to be a guest speaker.

Recreation – Michelle Phipps-Evans announced that the recreation committee is looking into creating a friends group for the recreation center raise funds for projects at the rec center. Next meeting May4th @7PM.

Membership – Phil Hammond announced that membership is up and thanked the membership for their continued support.

Environmental – Mary Ross announced the 4th Annual Unity Walk on April 29th. 10AM – 12 Noon.



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Fundraising - Sheila Brown proposed bus trip to Delaware Park will be moved to a Saturday so that attendees can see the horse racing or visit the casino. The fundraising will be sending out letters to organizations to solicit support for this year's Hillcrest Day.

50/50 - \$20.00

The meeting was adjourned at 12:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Yvonne C. Dupree

Recording Secretary