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Minutes of the Membership Meeting
May 2, 2015

The meeting of the HCCA was called to order by Michelle Phipps-Evans, 1st Vice President at 10:40 am followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes and the Treasurer's Report

The Communications Chair Ruth V. Lewis read the minutes of the April 4, 2015 Membership Meeting. The minutes were approved as read.

A summary of the Treasurer's Report for May 2, 2015 was given by Monica Evans, Treasurer. The Treasurer's Report was approved by the Membership.

PSA 606 Report
Office Persaud thanked everyone for their condolences and gave the update on behalf of Sgt. Clark. Officer Pricciano will patrol the neighborhood on motorcycle to assist with enforcing the "Do Not Enter" restrictions.

Announcements – ANC 7B

Robin Marlin reported on several establishments up for liquor license renewal. She requested neighbors come to the ANC meeting where the issue will be discussed further.

Robin Marlin also reported that a representative from EYA will meet with her on Monday, May 4th at 5:00pm at the Frances Gregory Library to discuss their proposal for the community.

Committee Reports

Education – Jeanne Contardo
Jeanne Contardo updated the community on the efforts of the Education Committee. She informed membership of the extension of the Hillcrest Scholarship application deadline to June 15th. Jeanne also invited membership to the Anne Beers Flea Market that was taken place at 12:00pm that day.

Environment – Mary Ross
Mary Ross reported on the success of the Alger Park clean-up. She also indicated that a Hillcrest Community Clean-up will take place on May 30th. Volunteers should meet in the parking lot of East Washington Church at 8:30am.

Fundraising – Michele Peete
Michele Peete reported on the successful trip to the casino. She informed the membership there would not a Crab Feast fundraiser. The next fundraiser will be Monte Carlo Night of Elegance on October 17th. Michele requested the membership's approval of the $2600 budget to cover expenses for Hillcrest Day, which will be held in September.

Communications – Ruth Lewis

Ruth Lewis informed and discussed with the membership the proposal submitted to the HCCA Board to make the primary delivery of the HCCA newsletter through the HCCA website.

Guest Speaker – Elissa Silverman, Councilmember At Large

Ms. Silverman gave a summary of the things she has been working on within the last few months on the council. She spoke on her main focus of schools, housing, public safety and how to build complete communities.

Guest Speaker – Steve Kratz, Director, 11th Street Bridge Park

Mr. Kratz gave a slide presentation of the park project and a timeline of expected completion.

Councilmember Yvette Alexander gave an update to the membership on projects in Hillcrest and Ward 7.

50/50 Raffle – Franklin Anderson, Chaplain ($17.00)

Adjournment
Meeting was adjourned at 12:20pm.

Respectfully Submitted

Ruth V. Lewis, Communications