



Hillcrest Community Civic Association
"Working Together for a Better Community"

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Membership Minutes

December 5, 2009

HCCA President Karen Williams called the meeting to order at 10:00AM.

Chaplin Hawkins gave the inspirational message followed by the pledge of allegiance.

The November 2009 minutes were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report

The treasurers' report was given by Monica Evans; the associations' balance as of December 5, 2009 is \$8843.89. The Treasurer's report was approved by the general membership.

Presidents Report

There were 3 visitors in attendance at the meeting.

The membership book will be published February, 2010; the members can opt out of being listed. The cost of the book will be \$5.00.

The motion was put forth to approved spending \$500.00 on the Holiday party. Motion approved by the membership.

The January 2010 meeting will be an Open Forum to hear issues and concerns of residents; members are encouraged to prepare questions in advance.

Library Report

Julia Karrel gave the Library report and reminded the membership to visit the Library over the holidays to take advantage of the programs offered. The Library will move to the temporary location in February and will need volunteers to help move and setup the new facilities.

ANC7B

Phil Hammond gave the ANC7B report and announced the Dec 10th Zoning Commission meeting on the Skyland project. The ANC7B meeting will be held Dec 17th.

Other Topics/Issues

President Williams announced that HCCA would be speaking in support of the Skyland Development and expressing an expectation that the developers would protect the homes of adjacent residents.

Mr Harris, a Fort Baker Drive resident, spoke on the issues concerning construction of the Skyland project and the impact the development and traffic would have on several of the homes abutting the project site.

Carrie Thornhill followed up by reminding the membership that the HCCA has advocated for Skyland development for many years and will continue to work with the community and developers as work proceeds. Carrie invited Mr. Harris to join the STTC committee.



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Ms. Miriam Calderon of DCPS Early Childcare & Education addressed the membership to see if there would be anyone in the community interested in working on the Head Start governing board. This is a Chancellor Rhee appointed position.

Marvin Bowser announced the Holiday Decorating Contest and urged members to participate.

Lionel Humphrey of Councilmember's Alexander's office announced a Youth Violence summit to be held on December 9, 2009.

Public Safety

David Kirkpatrick discussed webcam security software that makes it easy to use a webcam for Internet home surveillance. More can be found at www.homecamera.com.

Sgt. Harvey and Lt Netter officers provided crime statistics for the month of November. Lt. Netter provided Holiday safety tips and information.

50/50 Pick - \$58 in the fund.

Meeting adjourned at 11:00 AM followed by the Holiday party in a beautifully decorated room with lots of food, fellowship, awards, music, singing and Santa Claus.

Respectfully submitted

Yvonne Dupree
Recording Secretary