



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

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Membership Minutes February 5, 2011

The regular meeting of the HCCA was called to order by President Karen Williams at 10:10 AM.

Mr. Hawkins gave the inspirational message followed by the pledge of allegiance. The January 2011 minutes were read and approved with corrections. Monica Evans presented the Treasurer's report which reflected a balance of **\$7965.06**. The treasurer's report was approved by the membership.

Presidents Report

The attendance rolls showed attendance at the February 2011 meeting to be 75. Of those present there were seven visitors.

ANNOUNCEMENTS | COMMITTEE REPORTS

Maria Perry, the Gregory Library new interim director gave an update of the ongoing programs at the Gregory Library that included highlights of the Black History month programs.

Parliamentarian Burke presented the new By-law change that households would be notified in February each year that their membership has expired and will be moved to the inactive list.

A list of 48 persons/households, that had not paid dues through 2010, was read to the general membership for a vote to move these to the inactive membership list in accordance with the new by-law change. The motion to move these households to the inactive list was put forth and passed the general membership.

Michelle Evans of the communications committee announced that the twitter accounts are up and running; please join if you wish to receive the messages.

Robin Marlin gave the **ANC7B** report and announced that WASA will begin large valve replacement at Naylor Road & Alabama Avenue in April for a one month period. Other announcements included Fort Davis Shopping center upgrades and a Pharmacy due to open in the spring 2011.

Mr. Sheffey of the Sierra Club announced that Anacostia Park has been proposed as a site for the Solar Decathlon.

Veronica Davis gave the **STTC** report highlighting the committee's work on transportation issues including the public safety options for pedestrians and cyclist. Ms. Davis also reported that she testified on 2/4/2011 on Bus service in Ward 7.

Shawn Buckner of the Education and Recreation Committee announced that his committee will be working on ensuring the schools in the Hillcrest boundaries are an option for all parents and will be hold a meeting on 02/28/2011.



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PSA606/ Public Safety Report

Lt. Hodge accompanied by Officers Persaud and LaFrance presented the crime report and discussed the recent burglaries and also reminded homeowners to post the "No Trespassing" signs on their property.

Guest Speaker

Harry Thomas, Chair of Economic Development introduced his staff and gave an overview of the committee's jurisdiction and discussed the conduits for community growth, Ward 7 projects and the social responsibility that projects provide employment opportunities to the residents within those communities.

Councilman, David Catania gave an update on the United Medical Center including his goals of forming a partnership with Children's National Medical Center and establishing a satellite office of the Lombardi Cancer Center at the United Medical Center in conjunction with Georgetown Hospital.

Both speakers followed with a Q&A session.

50/50 – Winner Councilmember Alexander \$55.00

President Williams adjourned the meeting at 1:00 PM followed by the councilmember roundtable.

Respectfully submitted

Yvonne Dupree

Recording Secretary