



Hillcrest Community Civic Association

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HILLCREST COMMUNITY CIVIC ASSOCIATION

MEMBERSHIP MINUTES

JUNE 6, 2009

HCCA President Karen Williams called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM. The May 2009 minutes were read and approved.

Chaplain Hawkins read the inspirational message followed by the pledge of allegiance.

PRESENT: The number of attendees at today's meeting is 21. There were no new members at today's meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT – presented by Monica Evans. The associations balance as of June 6, 2009 is \$4089.40. The report was approved by the general membership.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Today's meeting is an abbreviated meeting and will be followed by the annual garden tour.

The July 4th meeting is rescheduled for July 11th.

The guest speaker will be DDOT who will provide an update on the 11th Street Bridge project.

HCCA is encouraging block captains to organize a block party to promote membership in HCCA, as a means of promoting the 20th anniversary celebration and the Blessing of the Trees festival. The communications committee will create a news article in the East of River paper to encourage block captains to host parties.

UMBC – United Medical Center will host a health fair at the July meeting.

Possible guest speakers for August meeting: Superintendent of Schools, DPR, new Deputy Mayor.

President Williams asked that the Skyland Development Team be asked to speak at the August 1st meeting

A panel of former Hillcrest presidents will be asked to give a presentation on the history of HCCA titled "All about Hillcrest" at the September meeting.

The City Council passed a bill on adding a five cents charge on plastic bags beginning January 01, 2010. The HCCA is listed on the bill as a co-sponsor.



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Anne Beers graduation to be held on June 10th; the HCCA is invited to attend.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE – Mary Ross announced and congratulated the winners of the annual poster contest. Each teacher was awarded a stipend and each student winner was given a savings bond.

Mary also asked the association to remember to support the upcoming Blessing of the Trees festival.

ANNIVERSARY COMMITTEE – Carrie Thornhill announced that tickets and solicitations of supporters, patrons & co sponsors are available beginning today.

A ceremonial resolution has been put before the City Council to have September declared Hillcrest Community Civic Association month.

ANC 7B – Robin Marlin announced that Mayor Fenty will be the next speaker.

LIBRARY REPORT – Librarian Leslie Karel gave a brief summary of the activities at the Library this month.

OTHER ISSUES/TOPICS:

Pastor Senger announced that the conditions at the Safeway has deteriorated and that the associations should begin a letter writing campaign as well as inviting the Safeway Manager to a meeting. The Marketplace meetings are held month on the 2nd Wednesday at 10:00AM.

PSA 606 REPORT - New Full Stride officers were introduced by LT. Netter. Their emphasis will be on the Fairfax Village area as well as the Good Hope Marketplace.

Meeting adjourned at 11:00AM

Respectfully submitted
Yvonne Dupree
Recording Secretary