



Allegheny City Central Association

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General Membership Meeting Minutes Monday, May 8, 2017 Alphabet City, 7:00 p.m.

In Attendance (30)

Rick Belloli, Patricia Buck, John Canning, David Charlton, Laurie Charlton, Maggie Connor, Dan Deis, Kathy Deis, Patrick Dexter, Adel Fougnes, Chris Gates, Joan Gielas, Arthur James, Carolyn Klingman, Jeff Martin, Glenn Olcerst, Molly Onufer, Henry Reese, Danielle Ross, Nick Ross, Sherah Rothman, Vincent Salvino, Patrick Sweeney, Barbara Talerico, Erin Tobin, Cecelia Ware, Andrew Wickesberg, Matt Williamson, Jamie Younger, Al Zanon

Introduction

The regular monthly meeting for the membership of the Allegheny City Central Association was held on Monday, May 8, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. in the meeting room at Alphabet City. The meeting was presided by Andrew Wickesberg and recorded by Nick Ross.

Announcements/General Discussion

Molly Onufer from Office of Community Affairs announced lead water filters can be obtained by contacting 311. Households with children under 6 years old and expecting mothers will be prioritized. 2018 Capital Budget deliberative forums will be held in Brookline and Shadyside. Northside yard debris pickup will be May 20th.

Jeff Martin from the Office of Councilwoman Harris announced Eloise St and Sampsonia Way have been added to the 2017 Street Paving request list. However, this does not mean that the Green Alley project is no longer supported by Councilwoman Harris.

Erin Tobin from Pittsburgh Parks Conservancy displayed the Northside Pride quilt and sold raffle tickets. Erin provided an update on the Northeast Fountain project including an upcoming meeting before the Art Commission on May 24th. A meeting was also recently held with DPW about numerous maintenance issues in Allegheny Commons. Volunteer events will be held throughout the year to maintain the park.

Henry Reese from the City of Asylum announced Jazz Week is currently underway and updated on build out of the North Ave facility.

Andrew Wickesberg held the 2017 Board of Elections. Matt Williamson motions to accept candidates as presented, seconded by Dan Deis. Motion passes unanimously.

Rick Belloli of Q Development updated on the Garden Theater Block development. Bradbury and Garden construction scheduled to break ground within 30 days, expected to last one year. URA has hired an architect to perform zoning analysis for all possible development combinations for the rest of the block.

Margaret Connor, President of the Mexican War Streets Society announced a number of upcoming events.

- Yard Sale, June 3
- Progressive Brunch, June 4



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- MWSS Membership Meeting, June 28
- House Tour, September 10

Margaret also announced Mexican War Streets street banners are being redesigned and will replace missing banners along North and Brighton.

Glen Olcerst spoke in lieu of a representative from Giant Eagle about improvement to the store on Cedar Avenue. Internal upgrades have been performed and exterior improvements are being planned. Glen also asked for product recommendations from membership. A representative from Giant Eagle will be at next meeting.

Dave Charlton motioned to adjourn.



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