

Allegheny City Central Association

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General Membership Meeting Minutes Monday, April 9, 2018 Alphabet City, 7:00 p.m.

In Attendance (29)

Samantha Akers, Amir Boroumand, Jeff Brizek, Paul Carson, Zolina Cook, Donna Green, Jerrold Green, Beth Hackney, Ryan Indovina, Brian Kaminski, Todd Kilgore, Carolyn Klingman, Mark Klingman, Don Kosy, Jeff Martin, Deirdre Menchaca, Molly Onufer, Neil Parham, Nichele Parker, James Pastorius, Hans Pedersen, Craig Reinhard, Nick Ross, Sherah Rothman, Vincent Salvino, Patrick Sweeney, Erin Tobin, Andrew Wickesberg, Matt Williamson

Introduction

The regular monthly meeting for the membership of the Allegheny City Central Association was held on Monday, April 9, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. in the meeting room at Alphabet City. The meeting was presided by Nichelle Parker and recorded by Nick Ross.

Announcements/General Discussion

Vince Salvino motions to approve March meeting minutes; seconded by Andrew Wickesberg. Motion passes.

Jeff Martin from the Office of Councilwoman Harris has been working with PWSA and DPW to repair or replace manhole cover at Monterey and Eloise. Shotspotter locations being finalized, system anticipated to be functional by end of year.

Molly Onufer announced street sweeping begins this week in the neighborhood. Mayor Peduto and the Art Commission are accepting Requests for Proposals for a new statue in place of the old Stephen Foster statue; public meetings upcoming. Next Wednesday will be the next city-wide Public Safety Meeting held at Teamsters Temple in Lawrenceville. City is seeking crossing guards. Finally, city is accepting applications for youth jobs program.

Nathan from City of Asylum shared that Bruge on North will open next Wednesday April 18th.

Samantha from Rep. Wheatley's office reminded of services provided at the Representative's office.

Parker requested one last opportunity for Board nominations; Wickesberg nominated for term.

Erin Tobin from Pittsburgh Parks Conservancy announced the Northeast Fountain groundbreaking will take place Thursday April 19th. Allegheny Commons Initiative is seeking hosts for upcoming Allegheny Commons Meet 'n Greets.

Tobin also requested support for upcoming YMCA fundraising event Reds, Whites, and Brews Friday April 13th at the Casino, including a \$250 donation from ACCA. Salvino motions to make \$250 donation; Parker seconds. Motion passes.

Ryan from Indovino Associates presented on proposed renovation to Salvation Army Building at 100 West North Ave. Building is proposed to be converted to single family housing. Rendering and scope of work were presented. Requesting Letter of Support for historic review commission. Wickesberg motions to write letter of support for the renovation as presented; seconded by X. Motion passes.

Neil Parham mentioned a recent issue with construction equipment in an alley that has been vacated by the city and requested information from the group or the city on the process and responsibilities for adjacent property owners.



Salvino reminded that the second Bridge Committee meeting will be held this Wednesday.

