

Meeting MINUTES: Facilitator Sharon Sherman

Attendees: Councilor Latoya Allen, Lt. Don Schultz (SPD), Chol Majok, Rebecca Mannion, Stephen Waldron, Rex Giardine, Blake Carter, Jonathan Hood, Matt Ojre, Paul Harvey, Harry Lewis, Kathy Downing, Kathleen Sauro, Rachel May, Dave Kirby, Gloria Sage, Dan Stricker, Sondra Roth

Minutes from the November 14th meeting were reviewed: Rebecca Mannion motioned to approve the minutes as written, Rex Giardine 2nd, all were in favor.

Issues for Police: Questions were asked of Lt. Schultz regarding student burglaries, snow plows and ticketing opposite side parking. Lt. Schultz provided a brief crime report of the Eastside from early December until the current date.

A resident submitted an email to legislatures, the Mayors office and Councilmembers in regards to the concern of growing vacant housing on the Eastside. It was requested that this be an agenda item; the facilitators plan to schedule a discussion on this topic in early Spring.

City Departments: It was requested that a future TNT meeting address the pedestrian safety/crosswalks. There was specific concern regarding the milling/repaving of Euclid and an adequate crosswalk on Euclid and Westcott St.

Special Projects: Sharon Sherman went over the process of submitting proposals for Special Project funding. Applicants must submit proposals by January 30th.

Stickley House: Beth Crawford provided a historic presentation on Gustav Stickley as well as an overview regarding the restoration of the Stickley House on Columbus Avenue. The anticipated date of restoration completion will be in 2020. Questions were taken from the floor.

Announcements: Senator Dave Valesky and Jubilee Homes will be hosting a Job Fair on January 26th, 2018 from 9:30am – 1:30pm at 101 East Ave.

Thornden Park Association will host their annual Chili Fest on Sunday, March 4th at the Field House from 12-3pm.