Meeting Minutes TNT Area 5 ~ Eastside

## Eastside TNT June 11, 2019 Meeting Minutes

Facilitator Beverly Griffin

**Attendees:** Matt Oja, Ken Garno, Harry Lewis, Marilyn B May, Ron May, Mary Carney, Peg Chestnut, Jae Evangelisti, Kerry Thurston, Katherine E. Sawfley, Paul Harvey, Chris Dunham, Vince Ball, Joe Oppediscario, David Michus, John Fehlendz, Kathleen Sauro, Sandra Baureet, Judy Oplinger, Timothy Rice, Kari Simpson, Liz Wierbinski, Kathryn Ryan, James Milana, Councilor Michael Greene & Joe Driscoll, Lisa Welch, Glinda Ranallo, Cynthia Bishop, Linda Erwin

Meeting began at 7:05pm.

<u>Draft May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019 meeting minutes:</u> Joe Driscoll motioned to approve the minutes as written, Harry Lewis 2<sup>nd</sup>, all were in favor.

<u>Issues for District Representatives/Elected Officials/City Departments:</u> Lt. Milana, the night shift leader of SPD for the Eastside sector, discussed potential burglaries with students not here. A resident asked why the 911 people needed so much information when you call in. Lt. Milana said 911 is a County agency and sets their policies. Resident was concerned about illegal parking on Harvard Place. Lt. said Police were aware of it and were monitoring it. The two continued their conversation in private.

<u>Rezone Update, Owen Kerney</u>: Mr. Kerney discussed status of Rezone and how they got to where they are in process. They expect the plan to be put before the Common Council this fall. All information about the plan is on the City website.

<u>Housing Visions, Liz Wierbinski:</u> Ms. Wierbinski related the history of Housing Visions and their goals as an organization. She detailed the Winston Gaskin homes project which will begin this fall. It will involve renovation of 66 units – 17 on Northside and 49 on Eastside.

<u>TNT City-wide Board Update:</u> Matt Oja of the Citywide Board related two events coming up for our lead initiative and asked for volunteers. June 29<sup>th</sup>, World Refugee Day in Schiller Park and the Health and Wellness Fair at Zion Baptist Church. Contact Tina Zagyva: <u>Tzagyva@syrgov.net</u> for volunteer opportunities.

## **Announcements:**

No July Meeting

Meeting adjourned by Beverly Griffin about 8pm.