

Eastside TNT February 9, 2021 Meeting Minutes

Facilitator Paul Harvey

Attendees: Beverly Griffin, Sharon Sherman, Matt Oja, David Maynard, Brian Messe, Harry Lewis, Jonathan Hood, Maribel Arce, Gloria Sage, Joan Royle, Khris Dodson, Anne Downes, iPhone, Commissioner of Parks Julie LaFave, Shavel Edwards, Joan Royle, Cydney M. Johnson, Joshua Wilcox, Samuel Gruber, Katrina Allen, David Kirby, Ken Garno

Meeting began at 6:31pm.

January 12, 2021 meeting minutes: Beverly Griffin motioned to approve the minutes as written, Jonathan Hood 2nd, all were in favor.

Issues for District Representatives/Elected Officials/City Departments:

No issues were stated.

TNT City-wide board election (poll)

Matt Oja and Beverly Griffin were elected to the TNT city-wide board of directors by a majority vote of the members in attendance.

Ormand Spencer Park Update:

Brian Messe, CPSI Architect 1 and Julie LaFave, *Commissioner of Parks Department* Brian Messe provided an update on the dog park project. Questions were taken from the floor.

Special Project Discussion/Vote: Each sector has a total of \$3,750 for Special Project funding; \$500 of this funding must be utilized towards a new membership outreach project. Due to extenuating circumstances last year, a project that was awarded funding was not able to come into fruition; leaving the Eastside sector with an additional \$1,334. This brings the sector's Special Project budget to \$4,584 (excluding the \$500 new membership outreach project).

A poll was conducted, projects 1, 3 and 4 were funded in full by majority vote.

1. Covid-era Community Building: requested amount \$490. Maribel Arce, UNPA
2. Meadowbrook Beautification: requested amount \$400, David Kirby
Mr. Kirby withdrew his proposal due to an incoming donation to the project.
3. Virtual Ghost Tour: requested amount \$1,700, Paul Harvey, HOCPA
4. OCNA projects: requested amount \$2,250, Khris Dodson, OCNA

Announcements:

- Westcott Community Center Vantastic Fundraiser on Thursday, February 11th 7 - 9pm
- The Greater Syracuse Land Bank will be awarding 2 green lot grants up to \$1,500

David Maynard motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:30pm, Gloria Sage 2nd