

Meeting Minutes: April 17th, 2019**Facilitators:** Bill Lee, Neil Milcarek-Burke**Attendees:** Gary Crawford, John Mielcarski, Sharon Sherman, Paul Colabufo, Bethany Holbrook, Lt. Eric Lindgren, Bill Elkins, Betsy Elkins, Mary Truillo, Simona Rosa

Welcome and introductions commenced. The Ground Rules were reviewed.

Draft meeting minutes from February 20th, 2019: Bill Lee motioned to approve the minutes, Gary Crawford 2nd, all were in favor.**Issues for District Representatives/Elected Officials/City Departments:** Lt. Lindgren (Administrative Lt. for the Southeast District) distributed a map of the 3 zones of the City and a list of the Southeast District Police contacts.**Gotcha Bike, Paul Colabufo:** Mr. Colabufo stated that there will be 200 e-bikes at 35 hubs located throughout the City. The e-bikes will be available all year long; one-time ride is \$2 and a year rental is \$50 through an app you can download on your phone. The bikes contain a motor feature that kick in while riding up a hill or on rough terrain. Gotcha Bike will be working with Cooperative Federal to assist low income individuals to utilize the e-bikes. The expected date of rollout is anticipated for end of May. Questions were taken from the floor.**TNT City-wide Board Nominations:** Bill Lee explained the board nominations process. Downtown nominations: Bethany Holbrook nominated Sharon Sherman, Simona Rosa 2nd, all were in favor.**Special Projects:** Bill Lee stated that the Downtown TNT has \$1,792 and Lakefront TNT has \$740 remaining in Special Project funds.**Lakefront TNT:** Gary Crawford made a motion to approve his proposal in the amount of \$740 for a sign and wall replica which will be used to enhance an area known as "Ollie's Point", John Mielcarski 2nd, all were in favor.**Downtown TNT:** Sharon Sherman made a motion to approve the Downtown Committee proposal for signage for the Chess tables in the amount of \$1,750, Neil Burke 2nd, all were in favor.**TNT City-wide Board Update**

Tina Zagya stated that TNT has received a grant from the CNYCF to produce PSA videos that will inform the community about TNT and the TNT lead awareness and education initiative.

Downtown Committee Updates & Other Announcements:

- 1) Earth Day Cleanups on Saturday April 27th
- 2) Downtown Living Tour scheduled for Saturday May 18th; 7 total stops along the tour. Volunteers needed for a 2 ½ time commitment. For more information visit the website at: <https://www.downtownsyracuse.com/>
- 3) Next meeting will be on May 15th

Sharon Sherman motioned to adjourn at 7pm, Bill Lee 2nd.