

Northside TNT Meeting Minutes October 27, 2021

Facilitator Pat Body

Attendees: Peggy Chase, Katie Scott, Captain Fougner, Ed Morris, Judy Edwards, Jen Shultz, Marty Nave, Karen Aldrich, Vince Aldrich, Jim Raymond, Margaret Clookey, Assemblyman Bill Magnarelli, Dan Petrich, Brian Rautio, Mary Cannito-Coville, Joe Carni, Hon. Pat Hogan, Tam Schultz, Patti Toole, Maureen Dore, Senator Rachel May, Pastor Jeff Stonecipher, C. Fernandez, K. Fernandez, K. Sherman, Rich Zalinch, Synju Roybede, Patty Lynch, Shavel Edwards, Malcom Fetskte, Ed Morris Sr., Mary Kuhn

Meeting called to order at 7:02pm

Draft Meeting minutes September 22nd, 2021: Katie Scott motioned to approve the minutes as written, Ed Morris seconded, all were in favor.

Issues for Elected Officials/City Departments: Captain Fougner provided an overview of the crime report for the Northside. Questions were taken from the floor.

Bail Reform and Quality of Life on the Northside:

Assemblyman Magnarelli & Senator Rachel May described Bail Reform in NYS as necessary reforms to the criminal justice system; parts of the law did have unintended consequences. It is anticipated that there will be further amendments in the future based. These changes will be based on data provided by the criminal justice system; the data has not been provided at this point in time. Captain Fougner provided a statement on how bail reform is affecting the ability of the Police to do their job effectively. Questions were taken from the floor. It was stated that the legislatures and the Police department need to have a sit down to discuss the implementation of bail reform and the ability of law enforcement to perform their duties.

Facilitator Elections

Ballots were distributed to the voting members in attendance. Pat Body, Syeisha Byrd, Pastor Jeff Stonecipher, Gerry Scott and Ed Morris were all elected by majority vote.

City-wide Update:

Ed Morris nominated Pastor Jeff Stonecipher for the vacant board director position, Katie Scott seconded, all were in favor.

Announcements:

- Special Project proposals are now being accepted; deadline is December 31st, 2021
- The next meeting will be on Wednesday, January 26th, 2022

Syeisha Byrd motioned to adjourn at 8:517pm, Gerry Scott seconded, all were in favor.

