Meeting Minutes: December 8, 2021

Facilitator: Neal Capone

Attendees: Lisa Lambert, Joe Bennett, Lt. Don Patti, George Matthews, Joan Hanlin, Kathy Stribley, Connie Capone, Bob Dougherty, Ethel Johnson, Harold Johnson, Shavel Edwards, Shewa Shwani, Love Mouity, Linda Gainer, Tina Zagyva

Meeting began at 6:32pm, Welcome and Introductions commenced. The ground rules were reviewed.

November 10th Meeting Minutes: Bob Dougherty motioned to approve the minutes with corrections, Lisa Lambert seconded, all were in favor, one abstention.

Issues for District Representatives/City Departments/Elected Officials: Lt. Patti distributed a crime report; questions were taken from the floor. Shavel Edwards, Land Bank, provided an update on 213 Clarence St; it will probably be demolished in 2022.

Catholic Charities of Onondaga County: Take Your Shot Syracuse!

Love Mouity, Project Coordinator

Shewa Shwani, Community Health Outreach Worker

Love and Shewa, along with 10 other people, help educate the community on Covid-19 and the vaccine. They will also assist folks in scheduling their appointments.

315-454-7459 or sshwani@ccoc.us

<u>Committee Updates</u>: Kathy Stribley reported on the Planning Committee; Paladino is still exploring ideas for the old TOPS. There are two fast food proposals; one has a problematic entrance/exit on Seneca Turnpike. City Planning Commission at 6pm on Monday, December 13th; comments can be made by email (zoning@syrgov.net) or in person. For more information, application SP-21-12 (Special Permit for restaurant), R-21-57 (962 E. Brighton Ave 555 E. Seneca Turnpike) can be found on the City website.

Announcements & School Notices:

- MAPA Valley Light-Up the Season contest: email a photo of your neighborhood light display to syrvalley@gmail.com by December 20th for judging, prize will be rewarded.
- MAPA meeting will begin at 6pm, Wednesday, December 15th at the Cecile Center.
- Special Project proposal deadline: December 31st; email <u>TNTSyracuse@gmail.com</u> for any questions. Guidelines and forms can be found on the TNT website.
- The rubber mulch for the GAGA pits will be delivered later this week.
- Meachem Save Around fundraiser \$25 each.
- Meachem and Elms basket fundraiser tickets are now available.

Bob Dougherty motioned to adjourn at 7:17 pm, Kathy Stribley 2nd, all were in favor.