

Granville Heritage Neighborhood Association Annual Meeting
West Granville Presbyterian Church
Tuesday, April 24th, 2012

Board Members Present: Bill Nordstrom, Glenn Underwood, Dianne Ross, Huron Smith, Mark Foreman

Other Attendees (from sign-in sheet):

Willie Cunningham (2012 member)
Ann Giuffre (2012 member)
Fred & Joan Kessler (2012 member)
Ruth Messnick (2012 member)
David Nabors
Annette Parker (2012 member)
Lisa Pechacek (2012 member)
Joe Peters (2012 member)
Kelvin Robinson (2012 member)
Duane & Teresa Turmon (2012 NEW member)
Lois Tyler (2012 member)
Chris Verhaalen (2012 member)
Beverly Watkins
Phil Woods (2012 member)

Also Conway Nimmer

Minutes taken by Dianne & written up by Huron

President Bill Nordstrom called the meeting to order at 7:10 pm, and welcomed those present.

Fred Kessler, state assemblyperson 12th district was introduced. Fred reported that due to the recent redistricting, 95% of our residences in the GHNA boundaries, including Fred and Joan's home, have been shifted to a new congressional district, from District 12 (represented by Fred Kessler) to District 22. Fred is running for reelection in District 12 and when he wins, he will have to move 6 blocks to stay in the district he is representing. We may be represented by someone who lives in Hartford, Wisconsin.

Fred: When the new districts were designed, African-American voters residences were shifted to districts that either were all African-American or that had a high Republican population.

Block watch discussion. This was tabled. Conway Nimmer related how the people apparently taking copper tubing from the house across from his were apprehended, and that this apprehension has resulted in the solution of 40 similar break-ins.

Residents' Concerns. The brush piled along 114th St. was a concern. Bill Nordstrom will prepare a letter reminding those along 114th St. of their obligations re brush disposal. Also, a half-dozen people signed up to participate in a 114th St. cleanup day.

GHNA Membership. Huron Smith, GHNA Treasurer, reported a balance of \$2,483 in the GHNA bank account. Counting the 8 members who joined or renewed at this meeting, we have 26 members paid for 2012. Dues are \$24 per year.

New Board Member Nominees.

The following people were nominated and elected.

Sallie Brown, 11135 W. Heritage Dr. (pending confirmation by Sallie Brown)

Ann Giuffre, 11011 W. Meadow Creek Dr.

Ruth Messnick, 11303 W. Daphne St.

Board members serve a two-year term. Board members continuing from 2011 are Suzanne Kirby, Bill Nordstrom, Huron Smith, and Glenn Underwood.

The next board meeting is May 22, 7 p.m., Bill Nordstrom's home.

President Nordstrom thanked all those present, and adjourned the meeting at 8:20 pm.

The minutes of the general meeting will be published to our GHNA web site, www.ghna.org.