

University Heights Association
Minutes
Tuesday, June 5, 2018
7:00 p.m. at 120 Vassar SE

I. Preliminary Items

- A. Call to order – President Julie Kidder called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.
- B. Introductions – Julie Kidder, Joseph Aguirre, Marlene Brown, Jennifer Simpson, Sherry Smith, Ben Wasserott, Brian Stinar, and Don Hancock. Richard Hallett is a visitor.
- C. Approval of agenda – approved with the addition of the District 6 meeting.
- D. Approval of minutes of May 1 meeting – approved.
- E. Next meetings – Tuesday, July 3 at 7; Tuesday, August 7 at 7.
- F. Open forum – Abandoned house on 400 Cornell is a problem and has been other narcotics raids on the block; Sherry will follow up. Marlene has some nice pictures of the neighborhood and will pass them on for the website and facebook and she'll do a thanks to Winnings for the coffee. Brian is looking for a house to buy in the neighborhood.

II. Action/followup items

- A. Silver Mural Project – Mark Horst has finished the mural. Party planning discussions are proceeding with no date yet set. We could try to partner with Bricklight nights. Jennifer will talk with Mariposa, which is planning the Bricklight nights to see if do a Wednesday night. We'll do an informal celebration on Friday, June 8 or 15.
- B. Spring cleanup – Cleanup was done with some help from Community Link, which now has its headquarters at University Heights Church at Silver and Yale. Brian won the raffle for two tickets to Disneyland. In the future, the city would like large item pickup on the street early on Saturday, then have the truck stay at the location for the rest of the morning. Agreed to start at 7:30 or 8 to help with some of the heat.
- C. Lead & Coal – Joseph and Dominic met with Lawrence Rael, and he said that the mayor agreed to form a neighborhood task force, though the letter establishing the task force hasn't been received. No formal response from Councilor Davis to the May 11 letter, but Ben will followup and also with Nob Hill.
- D. Community Garden – There are still obstacles to getting the houses demolished, so we're not sure when it will happen. Marlene will continue to follow up.
- E. Bricklight II –Nothing further.
- G. ART Update – Continued discussion about the problems.
- H. District 6 Meeting – Joseph and Ben attended the May 24 meeting. Police will be doing more bike patrols and the APD and the Sheriff will do a roundup of people with warrants in the southeast area. Trumbull neighborhood also is doing outreach to homeless. District 6 elections were held.

III. Officer's Reports

- A. President – Nothing further.
- B. Vice-President – Nothing further.
- C. Secretary/Treasurer – Interest was 13 cents. Memberships were \$25 from the newsletter coupon. The Balance is \$4,395.53, plus \$831.08 for trees. SRIC paid \$11,857.95 to FacilityBuild for the wall preparation work for the Silver mural.

IV. Adjournment – 8:06 pm.