

February 15, 2020 Reston Heights Homeowners Association

Greg called the meeting to order at 10 a.m.

Homeowners association was created to take care of the common areas in the neighborhood. Series of covenants govern the upkeep of the properties.

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Public Safety meeting on February 19

Blasting on the Kwik Trip site - it is assured that the noise is within legal limits. Blasting will last one more week. Could cause house shaking. In contact with the fire marshal to receive assurance that the blasting is within legal limits. Quint Miller 920-230-2828 extension 2 is the head contractor of the blasting. Summit credit union is moving across the street to be next to the Kwik Trip. Summit Credit union started the process in 2017, but in 2018 the city planning caused them to redesign the plans. Summit will not be able to hold their meeting on Monday.

Dogs in parks ordinances are being updated. Most parks do allow dogs on leashes. Reston Heights Park will be dog free.

Twisted Grounds Coffee shop will also serve wine and it will be in the strip mall by Metro

Stoplights continue to be researched. Right now there is not enough traffic.

Cottage Grove Road 139 bridge to Sprecher road will be expanded. Started with utilities this week. Road reconstruction will go through the fall. Public meeting in April.

Pinney Library will open on March 12. It will have a back yard, bicycle servicing area. Silver certified green building. It will have a drive thru book drop off area.

Police

East district is the largest district in the city. 50,000 people. 110 miles of roads. Many traffic complaints regarding speeding and running stop signs. Only 1 dedicated traffic officer. Concentrating on school zones. Our district has 5 of the 10 intersections with the most crashes. Have 80 people that work out of Thompson district office. 23 neighborhood associations in the district. Get to know your neighbors, and the neighbors need to be the eyes of the neighborhood since we do not have enough police officers. Call any time of day if there is something suspicious. Lock your cars, homes and keep your garage door down.

Crime stats (city wide) 2019: 144 shots fired this year (confirmed) down 22%

240 robberies (same as last year) 1,034 burglaries (down 3%) which is when people are not home. Heroin overdoses 246 in 2019, 29 were fatal. (down 10%). If you successfully complete treatment you will not be charged with a crime. Stolen autos 435, 56 in December alone (54 had keys in them) (up 2%)

Just east district 119 drug overdose, 126 stolen autos, 34 shootings

Can ask for electronic speed sign from police or alder. Can request speed bumps, but traffic and engineering need to do a study and it takes time.

Can go on police website to get stats.

RHHOA Landscaping

Landscape on Sprecher road is beyond its useful life (planted around 20 years ago). Discussed the bid received and the 3 options

1. Repair and replace with like bushes and trees
2. Remove dead foliage, rocks, edging and replace with grass
3. Do nothing

Suggestion: When bidding the landscaping say that they could get the grass mowing contract. Might get more interest.

Voted to do option 2 and have prompt pay of \$175 and \$200 for full amount. Took vote of 15 properties present and unanimous.

Pam will develop a page to show dues go toward.

Suggestion: Try to send out landscape bid request around August per Jeff Hillenbrand.

Suggestion: Consider sending out separate bids for snow and lawn and might enable smaller companies to bid.

President: Greg Murray - Susan Gille nominated and Gloria Ward seconded

Vice President and ACC liaison: Terry Warnke – George Gille nominated, and Susan Gille seconded

Treasurer: Susan Gille – Gloria Ward nominated, and Pam Wallenfang seconded

Head of ACC: Derrick Wright – George Gille nominated, and Gloria Ward seconded

Motion to adjourn at 11:45