

GREATER SEVERNA PARK COUNCIL

Meeting
April 14, 2015
Minutes
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The meeting was called to order by President Maureen Carr-York at 7:30 pm at the Severna Park Library

Welcome: Maureen Carr-York introduced New Attendees

Guest Speaker: Due to Arnold 7-11 shooting, Police Chief Tom Altomare unable to attend
Alternate: Captain Hodge, Senior Command Staff Northern District and Lt. Tom Wheeler Eastern District
Spoke about goals/priorities:

- 1) Increase in Heroin Use, 2) Armed Commercial Robberies, 3) Gangs/Repeat Offenders, 4) Metal Theft

Discussed the age group of heroin users (22-30 range); metal theft attributed to need for drug money; 20+ gangs are known in County; Assaults are up, thefts are down.

Site to donate to the officer shot in Arnold: www.youcaring.com/medical-fundraiser/cpl-larry-adams-needs-your-support-while-he-recovers-/336749

Secretary Report: Minutes were distributed via email and were approved by the Delegation.

Treasurers Report: Steve Poland Deposits: \$350 Withdrawals: \$115 Aspire Dinner. Balance \$336

Presidents Report: 58 Communities in good standing; 11 nonpaid; 47 paid for year. Steve Poland will email those communities in arrears.

Planning/Zoning/Development Committee: Art Timmons summarized the Watch List highlights which included Cattail Commons update; Sabrina Park III; Small Area Plan, etc.

State Legislative Update: Announced that the Delegates will be here in May.

County Legislative Update: Nothing to report

Chamber of Commerce Report: John Barranco discussed July 4 Parade application. Maureen to forward.

Airport Noise Committee: Gary Block/Lori Stokes discussed synchronizing decibels with iPhone. Air traffic busiest in the morning. Continue to collect data.

Education Committee: Brad Myers Board of Education-two positions open.

Environmental Committee: Paul Spadaro Magothy has had a good spawn of Yellow Perch; Cattail Creek still being discussed with Dr. Sally Horner will meet with Larry Tom.

Lisa Bender from Severn River Association went over upcoming community events; Mosquito spraying contact MD Dept of Agriculture; Deadline is April 30th for free service.

Police/Community Relations: Cindy Mitchell announced Paper shredder will be at Police headquarters May 2nd from 9:00 am til noon.

Public Works Committee: Dan Nataf Traffic and Engineering ---no replacement hired for Bob O'Keefe as yet. Road Maintenance: 410-222-7045 Notify State: 410-841-1000

ASPIRE: Maureen Carr- York Nothing to report

Unfinished business: Maureen will send out new announcements electronically.

New Business: May 15th Bike to Work day Jon Korin President, BIKEAAA

Next Meeting Dates:

Board Meeting: Tuesday, April 28 Severna Park Library 7:15pm

General: 5/12/2015 Severna Park Library 7:30 Senator Edward Reilly and other Delegates
Send email for information.

