

**Old Oakland Neighborhood Association  
Board Meeting + Neighborhood Watch  
Meeting Minutes  
April 22, 2019**

**Board Members Present: Erik Maillard, Sean Hammond, Sam Durrett, Peter Fowler**

**Board Members Absent: None**

**Neighborhood Watch Discussion**

- **Public Safety / Neighborhood Watch Summary**
  - Sam provides overview of neighborhood watch
    - Outlining past events and efforts done by the neighborhood watch
    - Discussion regarding additional engagement event and opportunities
  - Discussion about folder and finding additional block captains
  - Folders are not reaching new neighbors, discussed new techniques for providing information. Located on website and facebook
  - Communication Plan: New website and flyering with Neighborhood watch info + additional events.
  - LPD unable to attend.
  - \*Followed up with LPD, shared that the officer had a emergency matter. Invited LPD to all future meetings.
- **Reports**
  - Erik -President
  - Picked up grant from the City of Lansing for our Neighborhood Watch Program
    - Learned of many more opportunities for grants and am already planning some applications.
      - New Pots for corners;
      - Neighborhood Watch Grants for Homeowners ( for lighting)
    - Neighborhood Clean-Up Day is May 5 from 9 – 11a
      - Looking for volunteers to clean up the wooded area near Saginaw and the OO Sign. Also, to clean some storm drains and trash at the park/along Stanley Street.
  - **Sean – Treasurer**
    - 742.03 – in the accounts
    - \$100.00 – Pending Grant
    - Additionally we have supplies purchased for concessions: \$150
      - Has made back \$120.00 so far.
    - Garden Fund – With dues being collected, will need to consult with Peter
    - Request \$25.00 for checks, added to agenda
  - **Sam - Member-At-Large**
    - Discussed the National Honors Society and various volunteer needs
    - Provided update on concessions
    - Business Items
- Erik Provided update to Clean-up dates

- May 5 – from 9 a – 11 a
- Approval of up to \$50.00 for supplies / Moved by Jerom and Seconded by Sean – Approved
- Concession Update
  - Provided updates volunteers
  - Overall the challenges of the double header
  - Look into the 9 month permit to serve hot food
  - Almost made back our money
- Garden Update
  - Created a new garden outline
  - City of Lansing will come out on Wednesday to look over the site plan
  - Additional ground cover ( clover) will be added during tilling)
  - Additional perennials are being planted around the bat house
  - Additional Work Day scheduled – May 4<sup>th</sup> – 10 am – 2 pm
  - Plots are still available
- Request for \$25 dollars to order New Checks Checks
  - Peter , Seconded by Sean -Approved
- Request for \$35 dollars for Concessions
  - We slightly over purchased but in a good position to raise money
  - Sean, Seconded by Jerom - Approved

#### **Upcoming Events**

- May 14 - Love Lansing Celebration - 6:30 pm
- May 18 - Neighborhood in Bloom
- \*Jerom and Sam will pick up flowers by 10 am, planting will begin at 1 pm
- June 18<sup>th</sup> – Ice Cream Social + Meet your elected officials (Name TBD)

**Next Meeting: May 20 @ Dunnebacke Park at 6:30 pm.**