

Old West End Association General Meeting
January 16, 2018

Call to Order: 7:02 PM By President Jenifer Belt

Secretary's Report: Minutes on file.

Financial Report: \$1995.22 came in from the annual fund, breakdowns available from John. Treasure wrote check for \$11,500 to endowment/NBI, funding 2018.

Know Your Neighbor: Sarah Jenkins and Jen Teschner from fair housing center. Founded in Toledo. Discussed issues and goals, for realtors and lenders, focus is also on urban core ownership and rentals. They have internship and volunteer opportunities available. Sidenote: Old West End has most cases of lending discrimination won in the country

Standing Committee Reports:

Arboretum: Cookie walk in poinsettia sale totals not in, will report in next executive. Kent is organizing a February ARJA board meeting to discuss next year's events and projects.

Education/Scholarships: \$1,200.00 Available to Scott high school for band uniforms-debbie working on it.

Entrepreneurship: Putting a draft letter together in an attempt to submit to Department of planning city of Toledo. Approach being to help small business owners streamline opening the business (permits licensing etc.)

Festival: three houses currently in lineup (signed), chairs are in place, meetings on the way... Still need a few positions filled.

Neighborhood Beautification & Improvement: For grants applied for three approved details in executive committee notes. Next cut off his end of April for funding. Scott Ramsey new chair.

Preservation: Paint stripping class is canceled due to inclement weather to be rescheduled.

Ad Hoc Committee Reports: No report.

Community Representatives:

Newsletter: need kudos, deadline for next publication is the 24th.

Security: Super Bowl party Feb.4th at the Attic, Games gambling euchre food please attend.

WOWE: Working on the light project on Bancroft, also concerned with group homes in neighborhood concentration. Attendance and numbers look good from tours de Noel.

Historic District Commission: Duplex Directly across from the Nate home is "on the clock and quote, five months left before land Bank has option to demo.

Toledo Museum of Art: Outdoor campus project underway, boost the green space usage. More details to come in future meetings.

Collingwood Arts Center: No report.

Libbey House: Robert Zollweg is current board president. As recruiting new talent for the board, looking into fundraisers, and alternate usage for house to raise money. House could be marketed as event center.Plans in the works for a full exterior painting in the spring of 2018.

New Business: Motion Presented by Judy Stone to donate \$100 to fair housing center, second and by Derek bunch, no discussion, general vote approved by majority. Request to support the January 26, 27th, 28th event to feed Firefighters in there firehouse, Looking for volunteers to cook and deliver. Would like to focus on station seven and 17, Judy Stone is your contact. The Dunbar apartment building is beginning restoration per Kristin Kiser.

Old Business: discussion Regarding Old West End Facebook account Content, how do I improve and monitor set content and standards. Continuing to explore Ad Hoc Social Committee. Old west and association supporting the idea of these events, but needs to do continue to research on insurance and liability issues if it's made an official event of the organization, more discussion to continue.

Announcements: None

Motion to adjourn By Derek Bunch, seconded by jon's Shaw Meeting adjourned 8:22 PM.

