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FPNA Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, January 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.
Fletcher Place Arts and Books

Attendees	
Jennifer Bailey Sandy Blanton Blake Boldon Rosemary Bova-Wood Dennis Carr Ross Christoph Georgia Cravey Malissa Escalante Renee Harness Andy Howard Julia Huckaba Chris Huckaba Mike McCormick Jeff Miller	J.R. Montoya Larry Peffer Rhonda Peffer Sarah Savage Gerold Schmid Joe Shoemaker Bryan Truex Rick Truez Stephen Williams Jaimeson Wright Julie Yeater Trinity Ross Ben Tapper Lisa Laflin
Topic	Comments/Actions
I. Call to Order	
<i>Glenn Blackwood - President</i> glennblackwood@gmail.com	
A. Introductions and welcome of new attendees. B. Review of December 2015 minutes: Georgia moved to accept last month's minutes. Stephen Williams seconded the motion. Approval of December 2015 minutes passed.	
II. Special Guests	
IMPD Downtown District Community Relations Officer <i>Officer Kim Evans</i> <i>kimberly.evans@indy.gov</i> <i>317.327.6515</i> <i>Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Downtown District Office: 317.327.6500</i> <i>Non-Emergency Dispatch: 317.327.3811</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fletcher Place area has been quiet. Current Reports: Vehicle thefts with parked cars on College Ave. and vandalism on 900 block of Wright St. • IMPD community relation officers recently began posting announcements on Nextdoor. Glenn, a Nextdoor lead, will send Officer Evans an invitation to join Nextdoor Fletcher Place so that she can keep us informed. Please join NextDoor to stay up-to-date on crime and safety concerns. • Joe Shoemaker suggested a light for the alley behind Wright St. IPL will install a light for \$6.50/month. Lighting and surveillance cameras are deterrents to crime. • The Mayoral administration transition has delayed Residential Parking Permits. RPP for 2016 should be ready by January 31st. IMPD should not issue citations for expired RPP stickers until the permits come in. Please let Officer Evans know if you receive a ticket before then. • If you experiencing traffic issues, please e-mail Officer Evans. She will forward the information to our IMPD enforcement in the area. • IMPD Meet and Greet—January 19th Tuesday at 4PM. Central Library at the Riley Meeting Room 2nd Floor.

<p>Mayor's Neighborhood Liaison, South Center Region Lisa Laflin 317.452.0316 (cell) Lisa.Laflin@indy.gov</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Christmas Tree drop-off available until January 31st at Garfield Park. (Please first take everything off of the tree). • Trash service will be delayed one day for the week of January 18th • Recycling will be on schedule. Contact Republic to confirm. • Updates from 2015— DPW installed “No parking from here to corner” signs on the east side of the Lexington and Virginia intersection, and removed the parking stripes on the bus stop pavement. DPW did not install a “No parking from here to corner” sign at Greer and Stevens because the DPW engineers did not see a need. Andy Howard explained that the school bus cannot turn safely around the corner when cars are parked too close to the intersection. The bus driver must run over the curb or onto nearby right of way / property in order to turn. Lisa and DPW did not take the long buses into account. Lisa and Andy will follow up on concerns raised at the December FPNA meeting regarding downtown pedestrian crosswalk /traffic signals. • Dawn Kroh intends to petition DPW/INDOT to close the cut-through in the Calvary median to I-70 Northbound. The plan calls for moving the planters in the median (that obstruct motorists' vision) to serve as bollards at each end of the access strip, landscaping and street art. • Jennifer Bailey reported that tree branches obstruct the crosswalk signal on Virginia by the former church / condos. • The Board of Public Works passed our request to reduce the speed limit on McCarty between East and Virginia to 25 MPH. It will now go before the City-County Council for approval. (Thank you, Jeff).
<p>City-County Council/District 19 Jeff Miller jeff030167@indy.rr.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jeff is excited about working with the new mayor's administration. The city-county councilors were all sworn in together. This is the first time in a long time that this has happened. • The Deputy Majors will have directors underneath them. So each neighborhood area will have the major areas reporting to them to combine their visions for the neighborhood. • Stevens and Greer will be paved in 2016 before the Italian Fest.
<p>III. Committee and Representative Reports</p>	
<p>Finance Mike McCormick mike@cpamccormick.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Ledger— Pay Pal: \$3,852.04 Checkbook: \$5,560.85 Total: \$8,950.43 • Majority of expenses were for FPNA social functions. • Larry Peffer led the auditing committee of Gerold Schmidt and Sally Patberg. The committee met and reviewed the FPNA books. The account is in good standing through the end of 2015. Mike McCormick has done a great job as treasurer!
<p>Membership Dennis Carr Carr550@gmail.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ended 2015 with a record number of memberships. • If you would like a membership application / renewal form, please pick one up from Dennis tonight or renew online at Flecherplace.org.
<p>Fletcher Place Land Use Glenn Blackwood Reported</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael Gomez with Gomez BBQ will contact the LUC to schedule a meeting regarding a storefront location at 660 Virginia Avenue.
<p>Social Sarah Savage savsarah@gmail.com</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sarah Savage thanked everyone for coming to the holiday party and the members of the social committee for preparing soups, decorating, child sitting, and set up / take down. <p>Upcoming events:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Game Night on January 20th at 7PM at Chilly Water. See Next Door. • Pottery Night on Friday, January 22nd at 6:30PM at Fountain Square Clay Center. Cost: \$22. • Coffee with Neighbors on January 16th 9-11AM at Calvin Fletcher's Coffee. All neighbors are welcome! The membership committee will consider rotating the location of the 2nd CwN each month.

Urban Times Rhonda Peffer rpeffer@sbcglobal.net	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Volunteers write for the Parchment and deliver the Urban Times. Contact Rhonda if you would like to help with either. We are always open to new story ideas for articles. 																											
HUNI Jim Lingenfelter / Glenn Blackwood	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HUNI Annual meeting on February 6th 9AM at Garfield Park Arts Center. HUNI home page 																											
Southeast Neighborhood Congress	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Next Congress is March 24th 7PM at Sacred Heart Parish Hall. Southeast Neighborhood Congress home page 																											
IV. Old Business																												
KIB	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green Space Alumni Club meeting on February 11th 5:30-7PM. You can share ideas, concerns and experiences with your green space projects and get suggestions / recommendations from successful projects and participants. 																											
Great Indy Cleanup	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Saturday, April 23rd. (Based on our MNL) KIB GIC 																											
Board Nomination Georgia Cravey	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thank you to Mike McCormick and Vanessa Flora for their tremendous service to the neighborhood! Current Slate for 2016 FPNA Board: <table border="0" style="margin-left: 20px;"> <tr> <td>Glenn Blackwood</td> <td>President</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Larry Peffer</td> <td>Vice President</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Ross Christoph</td> <td>Treasurer</td> <td>(replacing Mike)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Julia Huckaba</td> <td>Secretary</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Bryan Truex</td> <td>Board Member</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Steven Williams</td> <td>Board Member</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Andy Howard</td> <td>Board Member</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Blake Bolden</td> <td>Board Member</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Renee Harness</td> <td>Board Member</td> <td>(replacing Vanessa)</td> </tr> </table> Georgia moved to vote on this slate. No one opposed. The above slate will serve as the 2016 FPNA Board. 	Glenn Blackwood	President		Larry Peffer	Vice President		Ross Christoph	Treasurer	(replacing Mike)	Julia Huckaba	Secretary		Bryan Truex	Board Member		Steven Williams	Board Member		Andy Howard	Board Member		Blake Bolden	Board Member		Renee Harness	Board Member	(replacing Vanessa)
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Board Retreat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Preferably end of January or early February to set plans for the year. The 2nd weekend of February is a possible date. 																											
Infrastructure Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This committee has/will oversee our green spaces, snow removal, street / alley conditions and other topics not addressed by the LUC. 																											
Jeff's Leadership Summit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The annual summit is on February 2016. In addition to Lisa Laffin, state reps and neighborhood leaders Jeff has invited the new mayor and his deputies to attend. Glenn will provide Jeff with our top 5 issues. Our concerns have changed over the past 5 years, with parking and transit becoming higher priorities. 																											
New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New salon, "Hair on the Square"—on Virginia by the Dugout. 																											
Southeast Community Services Ben Tapper btapper@southeastindy.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Southeast Community Center helps low-income families in the areas of education and employment. Tax help starts February 6th Fire and Ice fundraiser on February 14th 																											
Red Line	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Andy Howard posted on Nextdoor an online petition for the Bus Rapid Transit Red Line. Please sign if you would like to support it. Petition to Mayor Hogsett in support of the Red Line 																											
Calvin Fletcher's Birthday is February 4th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> E-mail Sarah Savage with any ideas you might have to celebrate his birthday. 																											
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Respectfully submitted: Julia Huckaba