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**FPNA Meeting Minutes  
Tuesday, March 13, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.  
Fletcher Place Arts and Books**

**Attendees—Number in attendance:**

Glenn Blackwood Sandra Blanton Rosemary Bova-Wood Dennis Carr Georgia Cravey Nick Dugan Paul Frascella Arthur Haan Khristina Haan Renee Harness Trinity Hart Andy Howard Alissa Impink Matt Impink Rauf Khalid Victoria Knowles	Jim Lingenfelter Bill Lovejoy Larry Peffer Rhonda Peffer Sarah Savage Julie Yeater Deb Zartman Jeff Zartman  GUESTS Mark Demerly Greg Treffinger Emily Kibling of Borshoff, Andy Deacon of INDOT 2 representatives from HNTB
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<b>Topic</b>	<b>Comments/Actions</b>
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<b>I. Call to Order</b> <i>Andy Howard – President</i>	
A. Introductions and welcome of new attendees. B. Review of Minutes: Nick Dugan moved and Rauf Khalid seconded approval of minutes. February minutes approved.	

**II. Special Guests**

<b>Mayor’s Neighborhood Liaison, South Center Region</b> <i>Ike McCoy</i> <a href="mailto:Isacc.McCoy@indy.gov">Isacc.McCoy@indy.gov</a> 317.327-5127	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussed Project Indy a workforce development initiative of interest to both people seeking work or employers who have employment opportunities (PProjectIndy.net)</li> <li>• Discussed summer job opportunities for youth available through Indy Parks</li> <li>• Efforts being made to fix potholes &amp; improve street conditions (strip patching being done, new funding approved)</li> <li>• Report potholes to the Mayor’s Action Line; use app for faster response</li> <li>• Hours at Mayor’s Action Line being adjusted</li> </ul>
<b>IMPD Downtown District Community Relations Officer</b> <i>Officer Kim Evans</i> <a href="mailto:kimberly.evans@indy.gov">kimberly.evans@indy.gov</a> 317.327.6515 <i>Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Downtown District</i> Office: 317.327.6500 Non-Emergency Dispatch: 317.327.3811	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reported incidents of thefts from vehicles and vandalism to cars (windows broken) during thefts: 600 block of Lexington, 600 block of Stevens, 500 block of Merrill, 300 S College, Lexington &amp; Virginia.</li> <li>• Reminded us to never leave items visible in vehicles that would tempt thieves. Take valuable with you or lock in trunk.</li> </ul>
<b>City-County Council/District 19</b> <i>Jeff Miller</i> <a href="mailto:jeff030167@indy.rr.com">jeff030167@indy.rr.com</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Glenn Blackwood shared Jeff’s visual aid “The Pothole Problem” in Jeff’s absence—graphic representation of \$730 million deficit in funding; dilemma of 60% of workers downtown commute from outside Marion Co yet bear no burden of road maintenance.</li> <li>• 50,000 potholes filled in last few weeks. City-Co Council</li> </ul>

	<p>approves \$14.5 million additional funding.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Council also approves changes to hotel/motel ordinances to provide recourse to regulating conditions at problem properties.</li> </ul>
<b>III. Committee and Representative Reports</b>	
<b>Finance</b> <i>Ross Christoph</i>	<p>Andy Howard reported in Ross' absence that presentation of a projected budget will be delayed until the April meeting.</p>
<b>Membership</b> <i>Dennis Carr</i> <a href="mailto:Carr550@gmail.com">Carr550@gmail.com</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Membership stands at 110 individuals &amp; 10 businesses.</li> <li>• Easy to renew membership online</li> <li>• Urged to check with neighbors &amp; remind them to join or renew</li> </ul>
<b>Fletcher Place Land Use</b> <i>Andy Howard</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Invites input on petition to demolish large house at Greer &amp; McCarty before hearing</li> <li>• Presentation on 525 College (see New Business)</li> </ul>
<b>Social</b> <i>Sarah Savage</i> <a href="mailto:savsarah@gmail.com">savsarah@gmail.com</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lots of activities on tap including the following:</li> <li>• Game Night (Dugout, March 21)</li> <li>• Color Your FP home (FP Arts, 3/27—donation requested to reimburse FP Arts, BYOBeverage while you color a customized image of your house!)</li> <li>• Pottery Class (Fountain Square Clay Center, 4/13--\$25 covers clay &amp; instruction)</li> <li>• Dinner with Neighbors (Iaria's, 4/17)</li> <li>• Coffee with Neighbors (Calvin Fletcher's, 4/21)</li> <li>• T-shirts &amp; FPNA signs still available from Dennis Carr</li> </ul>
<b>Urban Times</b> <i>Glenn Blackwood</i> <a href="mailto:glennblackwood@gmail.com">glennblackwood@gmail.com</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Corey Dalton wrote upcoming article on "Good Bones"</li> <li>• Welcomes neighbors to contribute future articles</li> </ul>
<b>HUNI</b> <i>Jim Lingenfelter / Glenn Blackwood</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Major support from HUNI for Rethink I65/I70 redesign</li> <li>• Concern that ill-considered design will destroy advances of urban neighborhood</li> <li>• Jim has yard signs available for \$10</li> <li>• Encourages letters to Governor to slow process &amp; consider alternatives. (Andy has form letters with suggested text)</li> <li>• Glenn encouraged neighbors to become informed &amp; consider alternatives that will serve urban neighborhoods into the future</li> </ul>
<b>Southeast Neighborhood Congress</b> <b>SEND</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Next meeting is March 22, SE Community Center</li> </ul>
<b>IV. Old Business</b>	
<b>Matt Impink—Transit Taskforce</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Funding imminent for a memorandum of agreement</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Construction will begin with station at Shelby &amp; Hanna, only station that will be located in the street.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FP station will be the 4<sup>th</sup> installation</li> <li>• Neighborhood Congress, March 22 will address issues (adopt-a-stop, placemaking, developing mixed use along route, housing, traffic calming, bikes, transit-oriented design)</li> <li>• Invites participation in Neighborhood Congress (June) to address NIMBY attitudes, density</li> </ul>
<b>V. New Business</b>	
<b>Carriage house and addition to 525 S College</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mark Demerly presented plans for a carriage house and an addition to Zartman residence, 525 S College</li> <li>• Vote was taken in support of design</li> </ul>
<b>INDOT/HNTB presentation on I65/70 repair project</b>	<p>Emily Kibling of Borshoff introduced representatives from INDOT &amp; HNTB Engineering who shared current plans, timelines &amp; options for the nearby highway project</p>

	*no preferred alternative at present *seeking public involvement in process. Get emails/text updates at <a href="mailto:info@northsplit.com">info@northsplit.com</a>
<b>Girl Scout Cookies</b>	The Howard daughters offered to sell cookies to those present
<b>IV. Adjourn</b>	

Respectfully submitted: Georgia Cravey