



Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 16, 2015

6:30 pm

Antioch East Baptist Church

Meeting called by:

Omar Zaki

Scribe

Tonya Toland

Agenda

New Member Recognition

Community Efforts

- David Hebert regarding tree planting in Edgewood
 - 75 trees were planted last year along Arkwright & Woodbine; only 4 residents from the neighborhood participated. The Reynoldstown community had approximately 100 residents participate in their recent tree planting event.
 - This year's tree planting event is scheduled for [December 12, 2015; 9a to 12pm](#) along Moreland Avenue.
 - We are looking for participation this year, and we have created an online sign-up sheet for the Edgewood Trees Atlanta event:
 - <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0a4fafa822a7fa7-edgewood>

Old Business

City Government Reports

- Valencia Hudson, Public Safety Liaison Mgr., @ narchibong@atlantaga.gov; 404.330.6048
 - Several neighbors reported some issues to Valencia for resolution, such as the following:
 - **Question: "Regarding the New LED lights"?**
- Response:
- Georgia Power is responsible for these new LED lights. Households can request additional light for "review" OR households can request to pay \$15/month, if Georgia Power is unwilling to fund the effort.
 - Of note, some have mentioned the lights being "too bright". A lower wattage is available, please contact Georgia Power to review/request a lower wattage.



APD Zone 6, Lt. Floyd; 404.673.9423 (cell)*

**Please exercise good judgment when contacting Lt. Floyd's cell phone number; NOT to be used as an alternative to 911.*

- Concerned neighbors had a variety of questions, such as:
 - **Question: "Additional camera installation"?**

Response:

- An expensive cost of approximately \$150,000; neighborhoods have incurred the costs when the city doesn't have the funding.
- It is the holiday season and APD has approved overtime, so more officers will be visible during this timeframe.
- December 2nd, **Coffee with a Cop**, to be held @ Taproom Coffee Kirkwood Station
 - No agenda or speeches; just a chance to ask questions
 - This is your opportunity to obtain some "face time" with the officers working in our Zone 6 precinct

Edgewood Shining Stars

- The election of new officers to be held soon.

New Business

2016 Officer Elections

- President
 - **Motion Passed** to re-elect Omar Zaki to the position.
- Vice President
 - **Motion Passed** to newly elect Travis Peterman to the position.
- Secretary
 - **Motion Passed** to re-elect Tonya Toland to the position.
- Treasurer
 - **Motion Passed** to re-elect Philippi Snow to the position.
- **Other opportunities for non-elected "Chaired" positions that are desperately needed, such as**
 - Zoning Chair
 - Events Chair
 - Philanthropy

Next Meeting

In lieu of our December monthly meeting, once again, partner with NPU to hold a Community Holiday Gathering.



- **Monday, December 21, 2015**

- The Retreat Townhomes (clubhouse) ; 37 Hutchinson Street, NE

Note: Please bring a food dish or beverages to the gathering for all to share.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned @ 8:00pm