

Holly Hills Improvement Association

January 23, 2006 General Membership Meeting at Southern Commercial Bank

Presider: Dan Haag, President

Board Members present: Anne Borgmeyer, Beth Murphy, Mary Lopinot, Dee McAlany

Total attendance: 16

November Minutes Approved

Treasurer's Report submitted by Beth Murphy

Reports

Alderman Fred Wessels: Mr Wessels was alderman for a day in the Mayor's absence; MSD should be finished west of grand by February 1; 12 Family on Wilmington is in the middle of rehab; Development and Zoning committee has lots of work in progress - New residence building, slow office building; Cortex (Wash U, SLU, BJC) wants to develop high-tech biotech area just east of BJ South with 15 yr development plan; Bill to separate public urination/lewd conduct ordinance; Bill to create civilian review board for police issues, would create dual review processes, funding in question, vote needed; **City Budget:** Finance Committee is considering increasing the business license fee; Leaf pickup may be cut; Easement lighting may be cut; Budget will be final June 2006;

Alderman Matt Villa is out of town.

First District: Officer Wombach described specialty jobs of officers in "D Platoon." Sgt Desmoni will be taking Officer Howell's place. 2 new police academy graduates in First District; Still 2 officers short. Crime is stable. Encouraged Neighborhood Watch;. First District meeting 3rd Thursday (St. Anthony's even months), Immaculate Heart odd months) Business Luncheon will be March 22 at Christy Banquet Center. Tickets are \$20/per person. Chief will be featured speaker. Call: 444-0176

Greening Projects – Tim Bolt

58,000 bulbs planted in past year!

Flora Conservancy Projects: (Flyer distributed)

- Landscape the Boathouse.

- Tues/Thurs Volunteer Program. Meet at Greenhouse. Call: 53FLORA

- Repaint the Boathouse

- End of Horseshoe to be mulched

- Inventory of Trees by Parks Dept and reforestation

- New trashcans

Implementation of Master Plan –next steps in the planning.

Will look into erosion of gravel pathways.

Gateway Greening will bring trailways by commons possibly through park along railroad.

Dinner Monday March 27 at Grbic

Meeting Adjourned at 8:35pm

Respectfully submitted, Anne Borgmeyer, Secretary