



**Dignowity Hill Neighborhood Association
General Meeting Minutes
August 15, 2016**

Meeting called to order at 6:07pm by Warren Smith, Financial Secretary

Agenda: Accepted

Approval of Minutes: Lesa Bailey - July Minutes Approved with corrections

Treasurer's Report: Juan Garcia - July Report Approved

Committee Reports

Architectural – Liz Franklin

- No new report. Terramark Project – Urban @ Olive Project has broken ground.

Event - Dee Smith

- **National Night Out** – October 4 – Lockwood Park – 6-9pm. Set up near basketball court. Catered by Tony G's.
- **Jazz on the Hill-** Dig That Jazz on the Hill Festival – November 12 – Lockwood Park 2-6pm. Design contest \$20 to enter T-shirt design contest. Free entry for students. \$100 Prize for winning entry. Rules and regulations on website.

Infrastructure - Juan Garcia

- **No report.** Resurfacing work already done on St. James and Can't Stop Street.

Guest Speakers

- **San Antonio Federal Credit Union(SACU)** – Scott Hernandez – invited community to input meeting on Wednesday, August, 31, 2016 from 5:30-8pm at World International Church located at 1731 E. Houston St. Interested in placing a location in this area to talk about services needed, design and possible locations. Residents concerned about will SACU offer residents.
- **CPS Energy** – Ronnie Gist –Street Lights - concerns regarding street lighting. Process starts with City of San Antonio(COSA) development services to see if it is warranted to get additional lighting then goes to CPS. If approved the additional street lighting will be put in. Lighting option: ANSL - All Night Security Light available for \$15 per month. Installed by CPS.
- **Eastside Promise Neighborhood(EPN)** – Nora Villarreal, Monica Saucedo, Jennifer Richardson, Salena Santibanez and Stephen Lucke gave update of work happening in EPN that impacts the children and families in the neighborhood.
- **District 2 - Demonte Alexander** – Bond Committee meetings no date set yet. Will follow up regarding the lighting study. Lamar Rehabilitation Meeting September 21 at Ella Austin.
Councilman Alan Warrick – D2 Bond Package - \$48.6 Million. Projected distribution – **Dignowity/Lockwood Park Project** - \$3.1 Million, **MLK Park** - \$3.1 Million, **Lincoln Park** - \$1 Million, **Ella Austin** – will seek community input on whether to tear down and move to new location. **Sidewalks** - \$6 Million. **Handy Stop** – will be closed in 60 days and looking for new business to occupy space. **Façade Grant** - \$50,000 for New Braunfels, Austin, Houston and Commerce St Corridors.

New Business

None

Updates

- **Downtown Kickball @ Lockwood Park** – September 6.
- **Eastside Sprout Community Garden** – Barb Garcia - Artisan's in the Garden Fundraiser- Saturday, November 6, 2016 from 1-4pm. Will feature a silent auction showcasing local restaurants.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:53pm