

Minutes
Astor Neighborhood Association, Inc. – Mon., January 16, 2012 – 6:00 PM
First Ev. Lutheran Church 743 S. Monroe Ave. Green Bay, WI

1. Roll Call

Present: J. Sharp, President, Skip Heverly, Vice President; P. Schleis, Secretary/Treasurer; J. Danen, A. Rosendahl, M. Martzke

2. Invited Guests

Officers Paul Van Handel, Brian Schlit

3. Approval of December meeting minutes

4. Treasurer's Report / Bills

M/S/C to approve the December 2011 minutes, and the January 2012 treasurer's report.

5. Announcements and Committee Reports

a. Update from Officer Paul Van Handel / Officer Brian Schilt: Now District Policing as of Jan. 08. Districts A – D throughout the city, and Astor is in district C. The officers discussed a city-wide survey of people living in Green Bay. Daytime burglaries in the far west and east ends of the city, and thefts from within autos. Astor Neighborhood has been quiet.

b. Leadership Council (Molly): attended most recent meeting. Molly had some trifolds of city Winter programs. Molly has the application for the minigrants, due March 05. A “riveting” PP presentation from the Neighborhood Resource people (thanks, Andy).

c. January 28 Wine Tasting, about 84 at this time. Poor response for donations. We're receiving some individuals' donations. Howe Resource Center people are asked to donate some desserts.

M/S/C to donate another \$100 (\$200 total) for food and raffle items.

We discussed the whole situation with the Carolyn Barnard Bay Beach print, presently at the D. Madigan residence. Pastor Schleis has minutes and details, from 2000-2006 AD. Jesse will check with D. Madigan, about the number of prints available.

d. Update on nuisance properties:

e. Door hanger and fundraising ideas/projects (Andy):

f. City Mini Grants (Andy): can't use for newsletter (operating grant). Pastor Schleis proposed a public carillon concert (approx. \$500) at First Lutheran. Good if First provided some in-kind refreshments + volunteers. Andy proposed a \$150 grant to fund doorhangers. Will bring up for final approval in February.

g. Community Garden (Andy): County Parks dept. would not be happy about a Porlier/Washington St. triangle location. Not much room by Astor Neighborhood sign. Open lot near Odd Fellows is too expensive. Also, not a lot of interest detected.

h. Aldo Health fair: recent email from Rachel, a PE teacher there. Feb. 15, through Bellin. Would need a dentist or eye doctor. ANA will post on our Facebook page.

i. Neighborhood Works, nwgreenbay.org, is offering a speaker at the annual meeting. They work with renovating homes. They're willing to purchase Astor Outlook advertising space.

i. Astor Outlook (Jamie): next one in February/March. Suggestions were discussed for “House Kudos” articles.

j. Christmas lights (Skip): one bill submitted for lights, and more coming. Loved the green and gold lights! Can put up green lights for St. Patrick's, and red lights for Valentine.

M/S/C to authorize Skip to purchase lights for any celebrations he thinks appropriate.

6. Old Business

a. Target charities

7. New Business / Open Forum

a. Bring a friend! We'll work on a Nominating Committee, for a slate of candidates at the March Annual meeting.

8. Adjourn, 7:50 PM.

Our next ANA Board Meeting will be Mon., February 20, 2012 at 6:00 PM. at -
First Evangelical Lutheran Church 743 S. Monroe Ave Green Bay, WI

Respectfully submitted,

Pastor Paul Schleis secretary/treasurer