

**ASTOR NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION BOARD MEETING**

**May 19, 2003**

**1. Roll Call**

Present: Teppie Schueller (Pres.), Trini Bielski (V. Pres.), Pastor Paul Schleis (Sec.), Laura McCoy, Gretchen Mitchell, Carol Macaux, Maria Milano, Dan Pagel, Kelly Schumacher.

Absent (excused): Mike Bielski, Denise Schleis (Treasurer), Mike Nass.

Absent: Jane Jadin

Visitors: Cheryl Renier-Wigg, Christine Dunbar (Howe Resource Center), Jean Angel, officer Terry Tyler, John Gower.

- 2. a. **Minutes from April 2003 meeting:** *M/S/C to approve.*
- b. **Treasurer's Report:** Trini will follow up on payments on Astor Outlook ads  
*M/S/C to approve.*

**3. City Update:**

- a. Alderman Theisen: not present
- b. County Supervisor Gower: Mental Health Center is being studied by a Blue Ribbon commission. Can
- c. Cheryl Reiner-Wigg: Jean Angel, reporting. Funfest at Joannes Park on Sat., June 14, noon - 4 PM.
- d. Officer Terry Tyler: Terry and Mike, unofficially, are rated #1 for neighborhood cops! Terry has

- 4. **Guests:** Christine Dunbar (Howe Resource Center). Christine starting working here January 28, with a lot of experience with historic and preservation groups.

The Howe Resource Center programs include Early Bird (6:30 AM) drop off for Howe kids, Head Start, Even Start (literacy program), summer 4-H, dental program, Deaf program, care, and cooking classes.

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Howe Resource Center is asking for a monetary donation, to help fund more staffing. They are

*M/S/C to approve \$500 each year, for three years (\$1500 total), beginning May 2003.*

**5. Event Report**

- a. Spring River Cleanup update: Trini. Lots of garbage! About 20 people had helped.
- b. Green Bay/CellCom Marathon (May 16) update: Carol. Didn't have a table, but volunteers did have
- c. St. Vincent House Walk, May 21. More volunteers, to assist with the tours of the homes, would be
- d. Astor Neighborhood Rummage Sale, Sat. May 31. If we do this next year, we could put a map together of
- e. Popcorn in the Park: Mike will get supplies, Jane J. will be the "point person."
- f. Movie nights

**6. Communication**

- a. Flyers: Gretchen. Flyers go out, ideally, six weeks in advance. See the calendar of events, from the (day) flyer will be the next one out.
- b. Newsletter: Trini wants everything at the June ANA meeting, for the summer newsletter. Worthless bits of trivia, and House Kudos, were suggested.

**7. Ongoing projects**

- a. Street Sign Project: in progress.

- b. Hospital corridor/Parking issues/St. V. ramp: Maria commented how St. V. wants all parking pretty well known, and solutions are the next step. The ANA needs to portray itself positively as working with the hospitals, instead of the “Astor whiners.”
- c. MNRB update/grant: received \$1000 from the Mayor’s NeighborhoodResource Board (MNRB). We’ll
- d. Astor sign/landscape: Mike is working on them
- e. Astor/East River Neighborhood Association (new) update: There will be a little overlap with Astor

**8. New Business**

- a. Rummage Sale/Multi-use sign: Laura suggested a sandwich sign.
- b. Procedure for election of officers: Maria mentioned that we don’t have a lot of requirements, and don’t have to. Maria will put suggestions together.
- c. Liability issues for board members: Cheryl will check.
- d. Carolyn Barnard print: Teppie noticed that Carolyn had an open house advertised in the Green Bay Press this project of selling the prints.
- e. Carol reported on trying to get “Slow Down, Kids present” signs.

9. Adjourn, 8:55 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Pastor Paul D. Schleis, Secretary