

Astor Neighborhood Association Board Meeting Agenda

October 21, 2002 7:00 PM Howe Neighborhood Resource Center, 526 S. Monroe, Green Bay, WI 54301

1. Roll Call:

Present: Teppie Schueller (V. Pres.), Denise Schleis (Treasurer), Laura Madigan, Pastor Paul Schleis (Sec.), Mark Jackson, Gretchen Mitchell, Laura McCoy, John Gower, Trinnie Bielski, Daniel Pagel

Absent: Excused: Michael Nass, Roxanne Chronert

Guests: Cheryl Reiner-Wigg, Jose Leon (Neighborhood Education Specialist), Cole Runge (Brown Co. Planning Commission), Tony Theisen (Alderman)

2a. September Minutes:

M/S/C to accept, and place on file.

2b. October Treasurer's report:

M/S/C to accept, and place on file.

3. Guests:

a. Cole Runge, about Fox River Trail. Brown Co. Planning Commission asked to do a planning walk-through on the Astor Neighborhood area, starting on Sat., Nov. 09, 10 AM, at the trail head of Porlier and Adams. All are invited! Some thoughts about weeding the area, planting wild flowers, more benches, and perhaps another overlook. Revenues come from pass fees, donations, and grants. Most of the fences put up by the neighbors are off of the right of way (no closer than 2'), and attractive.

b. Tony Theisen, alderman: A house on Jefferson has been giving a lot of problems. Tony arranged for an interior inspection (warrant), and it's in bad shape. The renters are getting ICS (Federal) money, so how could this place be in such bad shape?

Some questions about *not* putting the stop lights up at the new S. Monroe/Mason intersections. The traffic is going well without stop lights, but there is concern about pedestrian crossing safety.

c. Cheryl Reiner-Wigg, Neighborhood Associations. Jose Leon was introduced.

1013 S. Clay is being worked upon, and should be done by mid November. A house on S. Jefferson will be purchased. Union Congregational would like to see some barrier free housing there, for elderly parishioners. Presently, zoned as single family, and we'd like to keep it that way.

4. Committee Reports:

a. Newsletter. Concern that we haven't had xxxxx here for three straight meetings, even though we've attempted to contact hxx. Articles and updates should have been ready by now, but no work has been done. John Corpus assembles it well, but we need to provide the articles, and someone to make sure people are writing their articles. Trinie would do the newsletter, but would then bow out of the flyers. Gretchen will do the flyers, and Dan could get the flyers to the 21 block captains.

Mike and Teppie will talk to xxxxx, about giving up the newsletter duties.

b. Fall Fest, Sat., Oct. 19, at Titledown. Low turnout (about 37, at max.). About \$250 cost. Friday nights might be better.

c. Fox River Trail cleaning: Sat., Oct. 26, 9:00 AM as part of "Make a Difference Day." Cookies, soda, ice, will be bought for around 20 people. Gretchen will get, and Trinnie will bring the stuff.

d. The Fall potluck will be dropped, in favor of possible sock hop for the kids, Cross country skiing, or Mardi Gras.

e. Wine Tasting: Fri., Jan. 17, at Wine Premiere.

5. New Business

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- a. Neighborhood sign: A landscaping plan, close to Cass and Monroe, was distributed. The sign is 3'x5', best. The cost of the plants, scrubs, and flowers would be about \$300. Seymour and Tank were done at about \$800 planted. We'd like to get it done yet this fall, if possible.
 - b. Street signs Update: no information. If to be put in next spring, we have to now request DPW to install
 - c. Problem list for Police: Were we too extensive with the e-mailed list? Many of these items are more ordinance/inspection items. Tony has been working to get the garbage truck drivers to note early garbage, etc., systematically. We'll keep publicizing the Beat Cop, Alderman, Inspections, and Neighborhood Services phone numbers and articles in the ANA newsletters.
 - d. Goals for neighborhood: pass on to Cheryl. Decorative lighting, minor improvements.

6. Adjourn, 9:05 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Pastor Paul Schleis, secretary