



CITY OF CROSSGATE

PO Box 6423 Louisville, KY 40206

Meeting Minutes City of Crossgate

Thomas Jefferson Unitarian Church Annex
March 26th, 2020 7:00 p.m.

1. Opening Ceremonies: Pledge of Allegiance
2. Roll call conducted by Recorder at 7:02 p.m.

Commissioners Present:

- ✓ Mayor Kirk Hilbrecht
- NP Commissioner Jamie Gerrish
- ✓ Commissioner Larry Kirschenbaum
- ✓ Commissioner Megan Dohn
- ✓ Commissioner Chas Krish

Quorum present: ✓ Yes / ___No

Mayor Hilbrecht called the City Commission Meeting to order at: 7:03 p.m.

Others Present:

- ✓ Treasurer Joanie Allgeier
- ✓ Residents/Guests

3. Approval of the Crossgate Commission Meeting of Monday, February 10th, 2020.

Comments: none

Motion introduced by Commissioner Dohn
Second by Commissioner Kirschenbaum

Discussion: None

VOTE:

- Y - Commissioner Chas Krish
- Y - Commissioner Larry Kirschenbaum
- Y - Commissioner Megan Dohn

All in favor: ✓ Yes / ___ No
Minutes approved: ✓ Yes / ___ No

4. Old Business

A. Commissioner and Committee Reports

i. Treasurer’s Report –*Ms. Joanie Allgeier*

SUBMISSION TREASURER’S REPORT

Comments:

- First reading of budget will be next month. Commissioners to submit recommendations this week.

Motion introduced by Commissioner Kirschenbaum
Second by Commissioner Krish

Discussion: None

VOTE:

- Y - Commissioner Chas Krish
- Y - Commissioner Megan Dohn
- Y - Commissioner Larry Kirschenbaum

All in favor: ✓ Yes / ___ No
Minutes approved: ✓ Yes / ___ No

ii. Commissioner’s report – *Commissioner Kirschenbaum*

Street Parking Task Force

Other Committees: Neighborhood Welcome, Road Signs and Neighborhood Directory Committees

Comments:

- 2020 will be the year for neighborhood Directory update.
- City streets are looking rough with the tarring of the cracks. Recommend not using the same company again. (Mayor) Ask Commissioner Gerrish to get bids for quick coat quote by the April meeting.

iii. Commissioner’s report – *Commissioner Dohn*

Good Neighbor Task Force

Other Committees: Neighborhood Activities, Communications and Neighborhood Online Channels Committees (website, social channels)

Comments:

- The Easter Egg is cancelled, and looking at alternative ways to celebrate as a community within the health safety parameters. Ideas include virtual engagement, Easter parade, etc.
- If possible, the surplus from 2019-2020 event budget can be used for tree removal.

iv. Commissioner's report – ***Commissioner Gerrish***
Road Safety/Speeding Task Force

Other Committees: Contracts, Neighborhood Storage and Road Services Committees

Comments:

- No report

v. Commissioner's report – ***Commissioner Krish***
Short Term/Temporary Rental Policies Task Force
Other Committees: Ordinance Review Committee

Comments:

- Talked with KABA regarding their land for sale. There has been no interest on the land so far. Artis property is the same, status quo and no movement.
- Spoke with Commissioner Gerrish to get quotes on removing the dead trees.
- (Mayor) Requesting Commissioner Krish to lead the process of Annexation of the Artis property. Mike Yaeger and John Sigler to be a part of the team.

B. Mayor's Report – ***Mayor Hilbrecht***
Neighborhood Walk / "Good Will Patrol" Task Force

Other Committees: VA Hospital and Kinman Property Guidance Committees/Projects

Comments:

- Will possibly have ordinance next month to allow City of Crossgate to put city news and updates in the mailboxes. Working with the U.S. Postmaster to accomplish.
- Commissioner Krish to head up the Annexation process of the Artis property.
- VA UPDATE: We are halfway through the 90-day waiting period. Strobo-Barkley is still actively working on the case. There is a 130-page document submitted as the City of Crossgate's grievance. Depending on the health safety status of the courts by the end of the waiting period, the Judge will then make a ruling whether or not there will be full lawsuit proceedings. Discussion ensued regarding traffic studies, experts used, and the reminder that the VA has admitted to not following their own rules and processes. Basically, the City of Crossgate is in waiting mode.

5. New Business

Comments:

- (Mayor) The kids re going around the neighborhood counting rainbows. Encouraging everyone to adopt the idea of teddy bears in the windows so they can go on “bear hunts.”

6. Open Forum.

NOTE: Neighbors/Guests wishing to speak at the meeting must sign in at the beginning of the meeting. Neighbors/Guests will be limited to approximately 5 minutes of meeting time.

Comments:

- (Irene Yaeger) Does anyone know why there were so many ambulance lights recently? (Mayor) Peggy English was taken to the hospital.
- (Joanie) Is there something in place where we can officially notify a resident about the condition of their house – if it needs to be cleaned up or paint refreshed? (Mayor will talk with the resident prior to addressing anything in Commissioner-official capacity).

7. Announcements

Comments: None

8. Adjournment

Comments: None

Motion introduced by Commissioner Kirschenbaum
Second by Commissioner Krish

Discussion: None

VOTE:

- Y - Commissioner Chas Krish
- Y - Commissioner Megan Dohn
- Y - Commissioner Larry Kirschenbaum

All in favor: Yes / No

Meeting adjourned at: 7:45 p.m.

9. Next meeting – Monday, April 13th, 2020, 7:00 p.m.