

Kenny Neighborhood Association Annual Meeting and Celebration

April 17, 2018

Minutes compiled by: Carol Martinson

Board Members Present:

Jason Cronister, Anil Reddy, Stu Nostdahl, Rick Oknick, Craig Anderson, Emma Moreau, Kevin Eisen, Nancy Hoyt Taff, Carol Martinson

Newly Elected – Chuck Ott

Guests:

Ruth Olson; Nicki Friederich – Park; Laura Hoffman – Commissioner Green’s Office; Inspector Kathy Waite and CPS Jennifer Waisanen – 5th Precinct; State Senator Scott Dibble; Casey Carl – Minneapolis City Clerk; Andrea Brennan – City of Minneapolis Director of Housing Policy and Development

List of attendees from the neighborhood forwarded to Ruth. Total of 17 people signed in.

Handouts for attendees:

Agenda, 2017 Accomplishments, List of upcoming events; board member bios; materials from City Clerk’s office on voting; State senate updates from Sen. Dibble; notice of Comp2040 meeting from Council member Linnea Palmisano, crime statistics from 5th Precinct for Kenny neighborhood.

Community and Legislative Updates:

- Senator Dibble provided an update on issues at the state legislature
- Inspector Kathy Waite – provided update on crime stats for Kenny. Asked that everyone take ownership of city and if you see something, say something and call 911. Also reminded everyone to lock cars and garage doors, take valuables out of cars and report any issues. All incidents are reviewed weekly and patrols adjusted based on reports.

Neighborhood Update and KNA Board Elections

Volunteer recognition:

- Kathy Engen for her years of service on the KNA Board
- Andy Fried for his continued support of the website
- Mary Arneson and Laurie Anderson for their work on the newsletter
- Rick Oknick for supplying the chips and salsa for the annual meeting

KNA Board Elections:

- **On-going members:** Jason Cronister, Kevin Eisen, Jenel Farrell, Carol Martinson, Nancy Hoyt Taff
- **Members up for re-election:** Stu Nostdahl, Rick Oknick
- **Incoming Members:** Craig Anderson, Anil Reddy, Emma Moreau (1 year)
- **Nominated from the floor:** Chuck Ott

All members elected by vote of the attendees.

Presentations:

Casey Carl – upcoming elections and processes around registering, working on election day, and new technology.

Andrea Brennan – Affordable Housing; City of Minneapolis Director of Housing Policy and Development

Meeting concluded at 8:00 PM.

Nancy Hoyt Taff, President

Carol Martinson, Secretary