

The Northland Community Council

General Meeting: November 2017

Meeting Minutes & Attendance Report

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Met requirements for Quorum: Yes

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Attendance Report

2017 Perfect Attendance	12/25	Suspended From Voting	2/25
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2017 GENERAL MEETING ATTENDANCE

MEMBER	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Albany Park	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Asherton Grove	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Blendon Chase	X	X	X	X	1	X	1	X	X	X	1	
Blendon Park	3	4	X	X	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Blendon Woods	1	X	X	1	X	1	X	1	X	1	X	
Clinton Estates	X	X	X	X	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Cooper Woods	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Forest Park	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Friendship Village	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	1	X	X	X	
Karmel Woodward Pk	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Lee & Ulry	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	X	1	X	X	1	
Maize Morse Tri-Area	X	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	1	
Minerva Park	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
NSHAC	X	X	X	X	X	X	1	X	X	X	1	
Northland Alliance	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	1	X	
NABA	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Parkshire Commons	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Preston Commons	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
The Village of Preston Woods	X	X	1	2	3	4	X	1	2	3	4	
Rolling Ridge	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Salem	X	X	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Sharon Woods	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Strawberry Farms	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Waltham	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Woodstream East	X	1	X	X	1	X	1	2	X	X	X	

KEY	SUSPENDED & MISSED	SUSPENDED & ATTENDED	GOOD STANDING	NUMBERS DENOTE CONSECUTIVE MISSES
	SUSPENSION (voting privileges forfeiture)	A MEMBER IN GREEN HAS PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR THE YEAR		A MEMBER IN RED TEXT HAS BEEN NOTIFIED OF EXPULSION ELIGIBILITY

Meeting Minutes

Meeting Called to Order: 7:00 PM

<p>Roll Call</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Roll was taken. See above chart for details.
<p>Liaison Reports</p>	
<p>Columbus Fire Department Station 24</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No report
<p>Columbus Police Department Officer Scott Clinger CRT Officer Bill Marshall</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New change for 6th precinct will be getting a new liaison, Eric Jones. He is an existing liaison coming from the 13th precinct. Coordinators meeting in December, going to meet at a restaurant again this year, Officer Clinger will make an announcement. Reported issue with parking on sidewalk along Vining Drive (over by Cleveland Avenue), especially in the evening. Ramada Inn was purchased by U-Haul, going to use existing structure for storage. Bill Sperlazza has a meeting with them on 11/9, meeting with Salem Civic on 11/28. U-Haul has been invited to attend NCC Dev Committee December meeting to present. The operator is reported to be a resident of the Northland area. Introduction of new CRT Officer Bill Marshall, will be taking over for Officer Ortega. QUESTION - Issues with truck parking behind WesBanco building, anything to be done? ANSWER – That is private property and police cannot do anything with the trucks. The property owner is responsible.
<p>City Attorney’s Office Bill Sperlazza</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No report
<p>City of Columbus Community Liaison Chris Suel</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chris has been in contact with representatives regarding issues from last month. Reported issue with Sharron Woods neighborhood sign actually in Devonshire (on Alpine Drive west of Karl Road). It’s on the wrong side of Karl Road, how to go about getting it moved. Chris will look into it.
<p>FACT & Consider Biking David Roseman</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dave noticed in the study to use the grass shoulder between access road and SRS 161 for a shared bike path and then a sidewalk on the other side. Columbus Recreation and Parks have excess River Birch trees and would like to plant them in Columbus area parks, let them or David know.
<p>Columbus Public Library Liaison Andrea Villanueva (Northern Lights Branch Manager)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Both Northern Lights and Karl Road Branches are the highest for reading buddies and homework help for kids. The Columbus Metropolitan Library Foundation just had their 25th anniversary “Celebration of Learning” event and raised over \$750,000. Northern Lights Branch changed hours temporarily, closing at 8:00 PM instead of 9:00 PM due to security issues, seems to have helped but not sure if it will be permanent or not. QUESTION Do you and Karl Road carry the Northland News? ANSWER Yes we do, but not sure how many copies though.
<p>Northland Area Business Association Dave Cooper</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year-end meeting will be 2nd Tuesday (12th) of December; will have the installation of officers, a quest speaker and a Christmas gathering at Day’s Inn. Meetings with George, Emmanuel and others regarding 161 Task Force. Had to cancel last cleanup due to weather. But we accomplished a lot this year and Keep Columbus Beautiful was happy with what got done this year.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lot of activity in the community regarding property selling and new tenants.
Selected Discussions	
<p>Round Table Discussion COTA CMAX presentation Danni Palmore Matt Selhorst Jack Sandidge</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CMAX is opening Jan 1st 2018, working to button up new shelters, some are already done, but working to finish the rest. • The first week will feature free fares. • There will be some Grand Opening Ceremony events <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jan 6th, COTA will be having family fun day, not sure where the location will be. ○ Jan 17th, Grand Opening Ceremony at the new transit center on Cleveland off 161. • COTA will be doing some extensive outreach with the communities to let them know what is going on. • Will be new park and ride lot near Northern Lights area. • QUESTION Is COTA asking for fare increase? ANSWER It is being discussed. • Issue with new bus stop on Cleveland Avenue at Blendon Woods, reflecting car headlights from southbound traffic causing an issue with traffic trying to pull out. • It would be nice if there could be more special event mass transportation involvement for things like the marathon that takes place earlier in the day so that people could take a bus to the event instead of having to drive.
NCC Officer Reports	
<p>Treasurer Felix Quachey</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Report as distributed. • QUESTION How many associations have not paid their dues? ANSWER Think it's two, but will check.
<p>Secretary Roger Davidson</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No report
<p>Vice President Alicia Ward</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holiday meeting restaurant options: Dec 5th at 6:30 PM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jeddo Kabab - buffet for \$17 per person – 6 votes ○ Udipi Cafe at Beechcroft - 15% discount, vegan – 1 vote ○ Fujiyama Steak House of Japan - 30% discount – 10 votes ○ El Ranchero Alegre on Cleveland Ave, no discount. • Fujiyama Steak House of Japan (5755 Cleveland Avenue) won the vote, meeting will be there Dec 5th at 6:30 PM.
<p>President Emmanuel Remy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunity to meet with Steve Francis, Chief Diversity Officer for the City of Columbus and discussed his role and opportunities to make the departments more diverse. • Presentation for affordable housing committee to the Columbus Realtors about what is going on in Northland as it relates to what is going on in affordable housing. • Fran Ryan was inducted into Columbus Hall of Fame early last month. • Opportunity to attend Battelle first responder meeting at their West Jefferson facility. • Met with CEA (Columbus Education Association) President Tracy Johnson about opportunity to pick a new superintendent, very unlikely they will be able to fill that role mid-year, so will probably have an interim superintendent. • Will be speaking tomorrow at the open house at Huntington Gateway Center (old Meijer store along Cleveland Avenue). • Working with Morgan Hughes regarding “Save the Crew”, asked Ken Gilbert to draft a letter of support for this effort. Steve Winiecki motioned and John Kirkpatrick seconded a motion to endorse a letter of support which passed. • Town Hall meeting Nov 16th at 7:00 PM at the Crew Stadium.

NCC Committee Reports	
Nominating Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No report
Banquet Committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No report
Independence Day Parade Committee Web site is northlandparade.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Going to have wrap up / kick off for 2018 meeting.
Development Committee Dave Paul, Chair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We are not meeting in November, pushed back to Dec 6th due to the holidays. Report as distributed via email. QUESTION Is there anything happening with South Beach property? ANSWER Current owner is thought to be in prison, but lights have been seen in the building, so something might be occurring, we just don't know.
Graphics and Code Task Force Bill Logan, Coordinator	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Report as distributed via email. Thanks to Bill, seeing all the signs in other areas of the city makes us realize the good work he is doing to remove illegal signs.
Additional Discussions	
Other Old Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No report
Other New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> George Schmidt's presentation regarding 161 Task Force. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thanks to the civics of Northland and NCC, have had over 300 people attend the 5 cleanups this year. We cleaned up 880,000 square feet of space (3.3 miles) and 22 landscape boxes, Taskforce meets once a month. 18 businesses have donated over \$24,000 dollars for mowing and restaurants have donated breakfast. We are asking the City of Columbus for a \$15,000 grant to move the Taskforce forward to organize and bring landlords and business together. Asking for a letter of support from the NCC for this grant, already have received one from NABA. Going to meet with COTA regarding a bus stop at SR 161 and Satinwood Drive that we feel is dangerous and will be asking COTA to put a trash bin there as well. Ken Gilbert moved, Dave Cooper seconded a motion that the NCC send a letter of support for the request of grant money.
Open Forum Comments, Announcements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Councilmember Michael Stinziano will hold Community Hours on 11 Nov at Tim Horton's, 955 E. Dublin Granville Road from 10:00 AM to 11:30 PM. Sharon Woods has started a new welcoming committee, spreading word about rules / regulations and enrollment form as well as welcoming packet (fridge magnet, goodies and such).

Meeting Adjourned: 8:30 PM

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