



## July 7, 2020 Meeting Minutes

2020 GENERAL MEETING ATTENDANCE												
MEMBER	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Albany Park	X	X	X		X	X	X					
Asherton Grove	X	X	X		X	X	X					
Blendon Chase	X	X	X		X	X	X					
Blendon Woods	0	X	X									
Clinton Estates	X	1	X			X	X					
Cooperwoods	X	X	X			X	X					
Devonshire	X	X	X	X	X	X	X					
Elevate Northland			X		X	X	X					
Forest Park	X	X	X		X	X	X					
Friendship Village	X	X	X		X	X	X					
Karmel Woodward Pk	X	X	X		X	X						
Lee & Ulry	1	X	X		X	X	X					
Maize Morse Tri-Area	X	X	X		X	X						
Minerva Park	X	X	X		X	X	X					
Northland Alliance	X	X	X		X	X	X					
NABA	X	X	X				X					
Parkshire Commons	X	X	X		X	X	X					
Preston Commons	X	X	X		X	X	X					
Rolling Ridge	X	X	X			X	X					
Salem	X	X	X			X	X					
Sharon Woods	X	X	X		X		X					
Strawberry Farms	X	X	X		X	X	X					
Woodstream East	X	X	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

<b>Roll Call</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alice Foeller</li> </ul>
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Liaison Reports	
<b>Columbus Police</b> Larry Geiss and Scott Clinger	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There's been a spike in violent crime. Be careful out there.</li> <li>We've started coming back to the neighborhoods and looking at complaints</li> <li>Officer Jones had not only a head injury but also a shoulder and wrist injury from the protests when a brick and rocks were hurled at him.</li> <li>Number One substation is finished up north and we would be happy to give you a tour</li> <li>There was an assault behind Iron Pony on the path of a woman with a child under the bridge on the bike path</li> </ul>

<p><b>City Attorney</b>  <b>Sarah Pomeroy</b>  <b>614-645-8619, scpomeroy@columbus.gov</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Code enforcement is coming back online. The court schedule is back on after three months off.</li> <li>• Please feel free to contact Sarah if something comes up</li> </ul>
<p><b>FACT &amp; Consider Biking</b>  David Roseman</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No report</li> </ul>
<p><b>Columbus Public Library Liaison</b>  Keith Hanson</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No report</li> </ul>
<p><b>Northland Area Business Association</b>  Dave Cooper</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The city mowed the median and came back and mowed the shoulders as well. It has stayed pretty short after that because of hot weather.</li> <li>• July 11 is the next clean up, 9 to noon behind Jiffy Lube, bring your own supplies</li> </ul>
<p><b>City of Columbus Community Liaison</b>  Alfred Akainyah aaakainyah@columbus.gov</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 311 is back up and running as usual. If you have an older</li> <li>• Public health: We are asking everyone to do what they can to mitigate mosquitoes because there are a lot of problems with mosquitoes. Eliminate standing water.</li> <li>• Also we are still working on flooding issues that we have had complaints about</li> <li>• Felix: It seems like there should not be so much standing water in the streets in Forest Park. We had the response that there wasn't much that could be done, but residents are sustaining thousands of dollars of mitigation each time we get a hard rain. It's obvious that our city sewers are not in good shape. It's too much to ask our residents to shoulder this burden when they are already struggling. Please keep making noise to city council about this.  Alicia said residents can also help by sweeping debris out of the curb and gutters to keep debris out. Also we know some storm drains have actually collapsed and need to be fixed.</li> <li>• Margaret: Who should I call, because we have a lot of standing water and it breeds mosquitoes. I've talked to water and sewers and the city engineer and also the health department. Alfred advised calling 311 and sending an email to Alfred with the complaint number.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Sandra R. López</b>  Division of Community Engagement  srlopez@columbus.gov</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We are hosting online forums. We are having discussion around re-imagining the role of the police. Council Member Liz Brown hosted a forum that went on for six hours, but I didn't hear any testimony from anyone in Northland, and I think it's important that your voices are heard. Wanted to make sure you are welcome to join.</li> <li>• Council Member Shayla Favor is hosting the next one. You can also submit testimony in writing. We are hearing mostly from one group of people, so we want to make sure we hear your feedback. What would you like to see more of, as far as public safety. Northland is a big area, and you represent a lot of folks and it's important that you are at the table.</li> <li>• As far as the flooding – we are having this issue in North Linden as well. We are trying to have an internal meeting to figure out what we can do. We as your liaisons are frustrated to because we don't have a lot of information to work from.</li> </ul>
<b>Selected Discussions</b>	
<p><b>Round Table Discussion</b></p>	<p><b>Best Practices: What's working in your neighborhood!</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alice: I thought there would be more participation at meetings because they are virtual, but we have just had the same handful.</li> </ul>

	<p>(Suggestions are to put it prominently on the website, turn on the Waiting Room and share the link more freely but screen participants, or put it on a sign deeper in the neighborhood)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Margaret: Our neighborhood has never been good at setting up meetings. We have an activity almost every other week where we get a food truck or something. We are active on Facebook. I'm thinking about trying it. We will give it a shot.</li> <li>• Denise: What happened with paying the dues ... I don't think we (Cooperwoods) has paid.</li> <li>• Felix listed off the communities that have paid. We also might have missed getting to the PO Box, too, although Dave Paul said we haven't gotten any mail.</li> <li>• Jared – we made our payments but the check hasn't been cashed. Requested them to check into it.</li> <li>• Mary Walker reported mail theft from her mail that she dropped off at the exterior box at Maple Canyon.</li> <li>• Food Trucks – There's a central website for all the food trucks and you sign up. You say which food vendor you want and you can also go see where the food trucks are all over the city. You give them a ballpark of what your customer count will be. A lot of the places you can pre-order and set your pickup time, too, to minimize the lines. They even give you a text confirmation when your order is ready. They will pull up in front of someone's house who has enough space for street parking. We usually do a set time. GreatFoodFinder.com???? CentralOhioFoodTrucks. Booking sites don't have a minimum. If you call them individually, they will try to get you to agree to a minimum order, but they won't if you use the website.</li> </ul>
<b>NCC Officer Reports</b>	
<p><b>Treasurer</b> Felix Quachey</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Felix shared the financial report on the Zoom screen and explained all of the expenses.</li> <li>• There was discussion on the payment processing</li> </ul>
<p><b>Secretary</b> Alice Foeller</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes from June accepted into the record</li> <li>• Attendance this meeting will count</li> <li>• Little Turtle has applied for membership – request the exec committee stay on the call to discuss the new application</li> </ul>
<p><b>Vice President</b> Roger Davidson</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No report</li> </ul>
<p><b>President</b> Alicia Ward</p>	<p>Alicia has been serving on the small business committee with the City of Columbus. Elevate Northland has created an online marketplace – local vendors are invited to participate by contacting us or applying on <a href="http://elevatenorthland.org">elevatenorthland.org</a>. People and stores can list items for sale online at our online store.</p>

<b>NCC Committee Reports</b>	
<b>Independence Day Parade Committee</b> Web site is <a href="http://northlandparade.org">northlandparade.org</a>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>We voted at the May meeting to cancel the parade.</li> </ul>
<b>Development Committee</b> Dave Paul, Chair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A medical center at Hamilton and 161 asked to amend graphics code to match the city's language (wall sign to roof sign). The committee recommended approval.</li> <li>Chipotle on Morse road is creating a pickup lane (not a drive-thru where you can place an order) and to accommodate that, they wanted to change the language in their zoning to allow the fence to remain as-is although it is non-conforming. We agreed with a change that they would need to leave the trees or change the language if they don't. We approved it with that change.</li> <li>The Mid-Ohio Food Collective is interested in creating a new location on Morse Road. They are looking at a property but we cannot disclose which property, although we have been interested in repurposing this site. You will hear more about that at our next Development Committee meeting.</li> </ul>
<b>Graphics and Code Task Force</b> Bill Logan, Coordinator	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No report</li> </ul>
<b>Additional Discussions</b>	
<b>Other Old Business</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>n/a</li> </ul>
<b>Other New Business</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Banquet Assessment – Alicia: We feel we should return the banquet fees already collected and not collect anymore this year.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jared: We in Preston Commons want you to keep it and record who paid and book it for next year. We don't need it back. Credit us for next year.</li> <li>Brad: Lee &amp; Ulry would have a harder time processing it back so we'd rather you keep it. We'd prefer not to get it back.</li> <li>Dave Slowbe: Roll it over to next year. Now the civic will have the budget to buy tickets for more people when next year comes around.</li> <li>Alicia: If you want to donate it for something else NCC related such as the parade, we need a letter from your association giving us permission for that.</li> <li>Felix agreed and it is easy to keep a list of who paid, and there is a separate account for the banquet fees. Next year we will be sure not to bill those associations.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Alicia presented a statement from NCC regarding racial justice. Members were invited to comment. Brad moved and Jill seconded the motion. During a roll call vote all voted unanimously in favor to issue this statement.</li> <li>Dave Paul: Many phone calls have been coming in from people asking if you want to sell your house. Seniors are being targeted. One person in Columbus was actually thinking about selling and so he spoke with the person. They sent a person to their home and had him sign something he didn't understand and they said they need him out of the house in a week. So this may be more serious.</li> <li>John Kirkpatrick mentioned his civic was publishing in its newsletter about the scams.</li> <li>The picnic – We have to cancel the picnic this year.</li> </ul>
<b>Open Forum</b> Comments, Announcements	
<b>President</b> Alicia Ward (Cooper Woods)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="mailto:mrsaward@yahoo.com">mrsaward@yahoo.com</a></li> <li>614.634.0623</li> </ul>
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