



Advisory Council Meeting- December
Southgate Community Center
12125 Pinecrest Rd, Reston, VA 20191

Minutes – April 13, 2021 Meeting (meeting held at 6:30pm via ZOOM)

Council Members Present:

Jan Bradshaw, Gerald Padmore, Amer Bayoumi, Kathy Jones, Maryam Ovissi, Andy Sigle, Kelsey Myers, Darlena Ricks, Carol Ann Bradley, Syazana Durrani, Anthony Aviles

Community and Staff Present:

Richard Cabellos, Gwenn Minton, Brandi Horita, Lisa Sechrest-Ehrhardt

Meeting Call to Order: Jan Bradshaw at 6:32pm.

Tonight’s Agenda: Reviewed and approved after motion by Maryam Ovissi and second by Kathy Jones.

Past Meeting Minutes: Reviewed and approved.

Treasurer’s Report (Gerald Padmore): Final balance as of April 13 is \$8,040.67.

See Treasurer’s report for more detail.

Estimated debits perhaps for trash cans and other items for new courts.

Discussed opportunity to provide financial assistance to tour de Hunter Mill bike riders.

Reston Police Department Report (Officer Brandi Horita):

Bike team at reduced capacity – one officer injured while on duty.

Spanish language scam and fraud information. Information gathered from various sources and can be distributed.

Working group for Glade and Pinecrest – reviewing the area in preparation for meetings.

Doing lots of community outreach.

National drug take back day is April 24. Partnering with Reston Hospital as place to drop off.

Drugs taken to DEA for proper disposal.

VA is now a driving hands-free of phone state – friendly reminder.

No new updates on Winterthur homicide.

Chairman’s Report (Jan Bradshaw):

Southgate Community Center Advisory Council Nominating Committee report:

Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary and Treasurer are positions available.

Slate of candidates –

Chairperson: Jan Bradshaw and Darlena Ricks

Vice Chair: Kelsey Meyers

2019-2021 Council GOALS

Progress Workplan including:

- i. Increase balance in Advisory Fund to enhance capability to support SGCC programming efforts
- ii. Have all Council members involved in a minimum of 15 hours of service at SGCC
- iii. Have all Council positions filled
- iv. Support SGCC staff to increase outreach and programming to our adult communities



Secretary – TBD
Treasurer – Gerald Padmore
Candidate presentations and vote at May meeting.
Marketing Committee report:
Deferred to May meeting.
Next meeting time – 6:30pm on May 11.
The meeting will be done via Zoom.

SGCC Director’s Report (Ricardo Cabellos):

Ricardo Cabellos presented Director’s report.
Still doing virtual programming.
Interviewing candidates for summer job opportunities. Will decide on candidates by May 3.
Doing a summer camp – Camp Fairfax/SAC. Teen Center will be working out of Southgate. Maximum of 15-20 teens. Therefore, the camp will be at Dogwood Elementary. Cost will be at a sliding scale to allow for affordability.
Spring camp was a success – 9 kids.
Appointments from adults playing pickleball are now occurring.
Reconstruction of existing courts underway.
There may be a Southgate basketball team started during the summer that can use the new courts.
Doing outreach for vaccine clinics at Southgate. Vaccines being administered by Safeway.
Ricardo got his first dose vaccine last week.
Mobile food market – about 250 people received food distribution.
Looking forward to Pinecrest/Glade working group meetings that begin April 28.
See attached Director’s report for more detail.

Cornerstones Report (no representative present):

Reston Association (RA) Report (no representative present):

Old Business: None.
New Business: None.
Executive Session: See separate minutes.

Adjourn: Motion made by Darlena Ricks and was seconded by Gerald Padmore. Meeting adjourned at 7:54pm.

Friends 501c3 Meeting: Discussion about using some funds to pay for trash bins for new courts. Use of up to \$1,200 recommended. Motion made by Gerald Padmore and seconded by Kelsey Meyers. Motion approved.

Adjourn: Motion made by Darlena Ricks and seconded by Kelsey Meyers.