

Minutes of Park Springs Neighborhood Association Board Meeting, -- April 8, 2014

7 PM at 19221 Lockwood Rd.

Members present: Tom, Maura, John, Sharon, Claud, Vicki Absent: Stacy, Rod

- I Call to order – the meeting was called to order at 7:15pm.
- !! Minutes of previous meeting – were not available for review.
Treasurer’s report – balance as of March 31, 2014 - \$2,737.85 and membership report - PSNA ended 2013 with 57 paid members. 60 paid members in 2012. 2014 membership envelopes will be mailed separate from newsletter.
- III Discussion and possible action
May Membership Meeting –Tuesday, May 6 at 7pm at Crowe’s Nest Farm
Speakers committed – confirmation - Speakers who have been scheduled include Lori who works for the hydroponic farm on Hogeeye Road and Tera Welles the communication director for LCRA who will talk about “the drought”. John will contact MISD to see if a representative can present information about the bond election.
Newsletter and publicity—including dues with return envelope – stories due to Vicki by Fri. April 18 and newsletter will be mailed on April 25. Candidate responses due to Vicki by April 15. The candidate responses will be separate from the April newsletter. Candidate responses and newsletter will also be emailed to Denise at Blackland Reporter.
Election statements from candidates – see above for publication date
How can we increase membership and participation? It was noted that the past 2 PSNA meetings have had about 20 people in attendance. What can we do to increase participation? Perhaps send notes home with Blake Manor Elementary students? This won’t help us for the August 5th meeting since school ends June 5. Perhaps we could send notes home for the Tuesday, November 4 meeting? Perhaps we could have “corner signs” made that say “Come to the Meeting” and have them posted in member driveways to generate more interest. More discussion at this at the June board meeting.
- IV Reports:
Roadway activity – Preparations have started for the 4-way stop. Manor Expressway to be finished soon.
May 10 election – the MISD Administration building will host early voting -
Subdivision developments – Bell Farms has opened a new section. Shadow Glen has requested approval Presidential Heights has submitted a concept plan for 169 acres. Stonewater has submitted a concept plan for 196 acres.
- V Old Business - None
- VI New Business – We need to start thinking about the Tuesday, August 5 guest speaker – perhaps Sharon can invite Jeremiah? Election of officers for the May 6 meeting and designate nominations committee. Come up with more ideas to encourage meeting participation prior to the June Board meeting.
- VII Adjourn – the meeting was adjourned at 8:45pm.

Minutes compiled by
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