

Kennedy Heights Community Council

Meeting of the Council
January 16, 2007 7:30p.m.-8:50p.m.

Welcome and review of preliminary agenda by Ernie Barbeau. Minutes of the December Board meeting and Minutes of the November Council meeting were distributed by Michelle Dillingham. MOTION PASSED to approve the Council's minutes.

Treasurer's Report was provided by Kevin Holt. Current Financial Report was distributed.

President's Report: Ernie presented the Board's proposed rules of engagement at meetings of the Community Council. MOTION PASSED to accept the rules.

Natalie Boyer, Vice-President for Administration, reported on plans for creating a fundraising, communications, and an outreach committee, and to have a greeter at the Council Meetings. Anyone interested in offering input on the KH website, please contact her.

Jenn Hackman, Vice President for Planning, led the presentation of several reports which included:

- Community Asset: Presentation about Ballet Tech Cincinnati, by Ms. Marvel Gentry Davis, Executive Producer.

- Police Department Report was given by Lt. Williams and Officer Whitehead.

- Status of The Beverage Cave was given by Noel Morgan, Immediate Past President.

- Ce and Duane Holm of the Education Committee announced a special neighborhood meeting for Saturday, February 10, at the KH Presbyterian Church's Fellowship Hall, re: Woodford School's Community Learning Center.

- Jenn reported on the Kennedy Heights Business Corridor, street vendors, and that the Kalomeres family partnership has decided to sell their Kennedy-Montgomery property.

- Chuck Dragma of the Commercial and Office Development Committee offered a progress report on the Kennedy Connector. Work will begin in the Spring, and is slated to finish in Fall, '08.

- Amy Krings Barnes reported on our CPOP and Citizens on Patrol. She introduced Brian Muhammed, a streetworker assigned to Kennedy Heights. His # is 344-5907.

- Jenn presented the City of Cincinnati's Community Priority Recommendations for '07-'08 Biennial Budget. Note: Only 36 of 93 requests were fully or partially recommended for funding. KHCC's request for preparation and installation of gateway and signage for \$30,000 was approved; and \$150,000 was approved to repave Drake Park's road. The upgrade of Zinsle Tot Lot was not approved.

- There is a neighborhood-wide conference about our Comprehensive Plan Review planned for Saturday, May 12.

Meeting adjourned at 8:50pm
Michelle Dillingham, Secretary