

Zilker Neighborhood Association

Quarterly General Membership Meeting
6:30 to 8:45 Monday, February 23, 2009
Zilker Elementary School Cafeteria, 1900 Bluebonnet

6:30 Meet and Greet half hour community social

7:00 Business Meeting

Introductions and announcements

- Little Zilker
 - It's My Park Day, March 7, and other park volunteer sign-up (Kim McKnight)
 - RSVP littlezilker@gmail.com
 - Mulch all the trees
 - New playscape coming
- Friends of Barton Spring Pool, Steve Barnick
 - Organizing cleaning efforts this Saturday (with Friends..) and next Saturday (It's My Park Day)

7:10 City of Austin Parks and Recreation Department, Director Sara Hensley
A conversation about the PARD budget and planning in South Austin

7:40 Community Policing and Crime Update, Officer Dwayne Kinley

- Always walk the neighborhood with a phone
- Most crime happens in the daytime
- Kinley's number: 512-974-4281; Call if you see something suspicious

7:55 Zoning Updates

- Mary Lee Foundation, 1330 Lamar Square, conditional use permit, congregate living at the Willows
 - Should be approved by the planning commission tomorrow night
 - 64 unit affordable housing for residents of the MLF rehabilitation center
 - **MOTION: For ZNA to support the conditional use permit for the Mary Lee Foundation at the Willows. (Gardner)**
 - **Seconded: Bobby**
 - **MOTION CARRIES**
- 1303 Robert E. Lee, subdivision into 6 lots, application filed Feb. 18, demolition application filed Feb. 23
- 1717 Toomey Rd., site plan revisions in review
 - New plan submitted at end of last year
- 1713 Bluebonnet Ln, site plan revisions in review
 - 6 units

8:05 Formation of Zilker Sidewalk Committee, to update ZNA's 2000 sidewalk plan and submit priority list to ZNA executive committee on March 2

- Did inventory a few years ago of all our sidewalks (of which we have few) and made a list of what we'd like to see
- Might be opportunities to get sidewalk money soon
- Called for volunteers

8:10 Ongoing Business

Environmental and City Council Issues

- Water Treatment Plant #4, Bill Bunch of SOS, asking City Council to delay the plant while Austin prepares its comprehensive plan, focusing on conservation, reuse, and updating infrastructure
- Jeff Jack, in support of Save Town Lake campaign to reinstate the 1986 Waterfront Overlay
 - Grayco PUD
 - Jeff asks everyone to send City Council a message to tell them to enforce the 1986 60' height restrictions

8:45 Adjourn