

RPCL Meeting – June 2015

In Attendance: Chris McSherry, Laura Grier, Bob Connors, Dan Motz, Steve Grantz, Ian MacFarlane, Trish Carroll - no quorum

No Treasurer's Report

No Minutes for Review

Introduction of Dan and Bob as our new board members.

Chris shared Nigel Sequeria's report on Centennial Park clean up effort that was undertaken by neighbors near there.

Cara Kohler offered to coordinate with city to get dumpsters for September clean up – no date was selected.

July 4th – parade as usual permit is already in place. Looking for volunteers to help.

Bike Meeting regarding cycle track will be held at RPEMS on June 11th, 2015

Chris reviewed the Annual Meeting

Roland Avenue Repaving

Bob raised question about where we are regarding road/curb level issue that was raised at Annual Meeting. Chris said that we are working with the city on resolving but no resolution yet. She is requesting that Director inspect the curbs before the project is completed.

Police Report

Officer Gibson from Northern District Police reported violent crimes are up 3% and property crime up 8%. He also noted that residential burglaries and commercial robberies are both up in the city and county. Homicides have risen from 7 to 8 and Shootings from 7 to 10.

Police have reintroduced "posts" so one officer will be assigned to our neighborhood and following up on local crime. A question about Safe Streets was asked and the answer was that in our district that was only implemented currently in Park Heights.

RP Website

Web-site update from Steve was that the RFP is out for review and we were awaiting questions.

Water Tower

Phase I is to stabilize the exterior and there is difficulty in finding someone to do this due to liability issues with installing scaffolding. Al Copp would like to step down from leading this project so we are looking for a volunteer.

Architectural Review:

Kathleen reported on rehab work being done in the neighborhood that is going well so far – working well with the contractor.

They are addressing some fencing issues as well as some unapproved paint and structures. They have sent letters to homeowners.