

# University Oaks Civic Club

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**Board Members:** 

Sandra Buckner Gwen Corolla Mitchell Glassman Christopher Hollins Roy Marrero, Jr. Everette Penn Dustin Windham

# **University Oaks Civic Club Board Meeting Minutes**

June 4, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 7:30pm by Everett Penn.

#### **Election of New Officers**

New officers to the Civic Club Board were nominated and approved by those present at the meeting.

- o President Everett Penn
- o Vice-President Dustin Windham
- Assistant Vice-President Gwen Corolla
- o Treasurer Chris Hollins
- Assistant Treasurer Mitch Glassman
- o Secretary Roy Marrero
- Assistant Secretary Sandra Buckner

#### Open Issues and Discussion

- Written questions/comments/suggestions were requested as another means of communication at board meetings. These questions were addressed at the meeting
  - Question: What is best way to communicate with the board? Email.
  - Question: Is there any recourse resident(s) who are unable to pay civic club dues/ penalties.
    - o Specific UO residents/owners can only be addressed in closed board meetings.
    - A meeting with the attorney regarding this and other issues is necessary
  - Question: Why are fees so high?
    - One of the things this board will consider.
      - A survey is planned for this summer
  - Question: Can renters be contacted w/o permission of land lord? TBD
    - Question: What are dues being used for? primarily used for security and deed restrictions.

## Voice vote to keep meetings in neighborhood

Jeanette Coym on Varsity volunteered to host. Date will be determined.

#### **Neighborhood Directory**

Susan Wegner requested a closure date for submitting information to be included in 2019 directory. June 30, 2018 was the date chosen. Susan is the chair of that committee

- o Compiled list and door to door check for homes on list...
- Will renters be listed in directory? No information, no directory.

### Other discussions

o U of H smokers

Need a friendlier way to discourage

- Signage at entries currently being fabricated
- Straw poll for social hour prior to board meetings
  - o social hour with a speaker 1st hour then the meeting for the 2nd hour.
  - Suggestions welcomed for future guest speakers
    - Harris County Control Board suggested as a possible speaker
  - All board meetings will be open except for executive sessions during the board meetings.
  - o Suggested to re-form architecture committee
  - Suggested environmental committee

Thanks to previous board for their service

Motion to adjourn meeting raised and seconded

Meeting adjourned at 8:22.