

Greater Park Hill Community, Inc.

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## MEETING MINUTES Monthly Community and Board Meeting

Date: August 4, 2022

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: hybrid meeting - virtual (ZOOM) and in person (GPHC)

Board Member Attendees: Amy Harris, Bernadette Kelly, Heather Shockey, Tracey MacDermott, Rick Medrick, Leslie Twarogowski, Sandy Robnett, Jacqui Shumway, Nam Henderson, Maria Flora, Colette Carey, Harry Doby, Phoebe Lassiter, and Brenda Morrison

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1	Introductions by Tracey MacDermott	
2	<ul> <li>D2 Police Report – Officer Heidi Lewis</li> <li>New Crime mapping system</li> <li>Back to School – providing school supplies</li> <li>Community Academy – Wednesday evenings in August and September</li> <li>Public Safety Recruiting</li> <li>Child Care Resources – contact Officer Lewis for information via Volunteers of America</li> </ul>	Report any suspicious activity to District 2 at the non-emergency dispatch number: 720-913-2000. Reserve 9-1-1 for crimes in progress so that you are not tying up the line for real emergencies. Twitter: follow @DenverPolice No longer monitoring Next Door – use pocketgov.org to connect with D2 Police Officer Heidi Lewis
3	<ul> <li>Community Update, Amy Harris:</li> <li>Park Hill Home Tour, Sunday September 25<sup>th</sup> – visit our website for information and to sign up to volunteer; not known if Home Tour will allow participants to tour interior of homes (tbd)</li> <li>Free Farm Stand – Monday from 10 am to 1 pm through October; food from East High Farmers Market and neighborhood donations; open to all</li> <li>Emergency Food Pantry – check website for current needs of non-perishables, fresh food can be donated on days of food pantry operation; personal care items and pet food are also needed</li> <li>Lana has resigned as Executive Director and we are in the process of hiring her replacement; still accepting applications – please spread the word!!</li> <li>City of Denver Waste Services – recycling will be weekly instead of biweekly. Trash will now be fee based, not 'free'. Check denvergov.org for further information. Compost services will be available citywide at no additional cost.</li> </ul>	

	Park Hill Golf Course - Large Development Review (LDR)	
	<ul> <li>Wednesday, September 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 – 8 pm at the Club</li> </ul>	
	House at the golf course, hosted by Westside Investment Partners	
	<ul> <li>You can review the draft plan ahead of the September 7<sup>th</sup> meeting</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>August 23<sup>rd</sup> is next Steering Committee meeting for the Golf Course</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>GPHC September meeting is Thursday, September 1st</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Email list – sign up for monthly GPHC and newspaper updates</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Follow GPHC on Facebook</li> </ul>	
	Applied for Micro-Grant to increase distribution of Greater Park Hill	
	News in northeast Park Hill where we have blocks without coverage.	
	Monica Martinez, The Fax Partnership, East Colfax District Designation	
	<ul> <li>East Colfax Cultural District Updates – Monaco to Yosemite as an</li> </ul>	
	international community; recommendation out of East Area Plan	
	• Taking survey about the name of the district – check their website to	
	give input	
	Working on Mission Statement and also want community input	
	• Treasure Mapping Process – what places are special to community	
	members and also where there are issues such as pedestrian safety	
	<ul> <li>Applying for Neighborhood Activation Grant - \$20K to \$200K</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Signage, lighting, branding – how would community members</li> </ul>	
	like the grant funds to be spent	
4	Darrell Watson, Candidate for City Council District 9	www.watsonfordenver.com
	<ul> <li>Park Hill in its entirety will not be in one district, District 9 will include north and south Park Hill</li> </ul>	
	Whittier RNO President	
	<ul> <li>Office of Housing Stability – Chair of Board</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Denver Parks and Rec Advisory Board</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Focus on</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Housing</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Safety – crime</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Healthy City – 30 years strategic plan; tree canopy, parks,</li> </ul>	
	waterways	
	June Minutes – do not have quorum to vote to approve minutes; minutes	
	were not provided prior to meeting. Maria Flora, Community Engagement Event at Axum Park	
	<ul> <li>Inaugural Fall Festival – October 9<sup>th</sup> 2-5 pm</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Looking for sponsorships for face painter, bubble machine, food and drink</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Estimating \$1,000 budget for trash, portalet – services required for permit</li> </ul>	