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**MEETING MINUTES**  
**Monthly Community and Board Meeting**

Date: April 4, 2019

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: GPHC Offices, 2823 Fairfax Street, Denver, CO 80207

Board Member Attendees: Heather Shockey, Bernadette Kelly, Justin Petaccio, Matthew Bradford, Geneva Goldsby, Kevin Wiegand, Louis Plachowski, James King, Nam Henderson, Ryan Hunter, Stephanie Ceccato, Lynn Kalinauskas, Jon Bowman and Jeanette Fedele

Item No.	Discussion	Action Items/Responsibility
1	Introductions	
2	<p><u>D2 Report:</u></p> <p>Generally crimes occur with open garage doors, unlocked doors of homes and vehicles. These are crimes of opportunity! <b>LOCK YOUR VEHICLES, HOMES AND GARAGE DOORS; DO NOT LEAVE VALUABLES IN YOUR CAR.</b></p> <p>No Puffers! Do not leave your car running to warm-up unattended.</p> <p>Community Officer, Sharon Avendano: most crime is down except for auto theft from 'puffers' (see above).</p> <p>City Wide Curfew kicking off next week – for minors Sun-Th is 11 pm, Friday and Saturday is midnight</p> <p>33<sup>rd</sup> and Hudson – homicide, same gang members, suspect has been caught</p>	<p>Report any suspicious activity to District 2 at the non-emergency dispatch number: 720-913-2000.</p> <p>Reserve 9-1-1 for crimes in progress so that you are not tying up the line for real emergencies.</p> <p>Twitter: follow @DenverPolice</p> <p>No longer monitoring Next Door – use pocketgov.org to connect with D2 Police</p>
3	<p><b>ANNOUNCEMENT:</b> Lana Cordes has been selected as the new Executive Director. Sierra Fleenor, the previous Executive Director, resigned in February 2019.</p>	
4	<p>Community and Organization Update - Lana Cordes, GPHC Executive Director</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Emergency Food Pantry</li> <li>• Weekend Food Program</li> <li>• Sustainability Programs             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Free Chaff Giveaway – Saturday at Pauline Robinson Library at 11 am</li> <li>○ Learn how to harvest rainwater for your garden</li> <li>○ Seed Saving Workshops at Park Hill Library – also have a seed library</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• OVER THE HILL Greater Park Hill 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Street Fair</li> <li>○ Food Vendors</li> <li>○ Volunteers needed day of event</li> <li>○ 'I Am Denver' interviewing long time Park Hill residents for the party – rolling video will play during party</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Garden in a Box – May 18<sup>th</sup>, 4'x4' garden, giveaway to Park Hill Residents</li> <li>• Park Hill Garden Walk – Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> – volunteers needed, tickets are available online</li> <li>• Park Hill Home Tour – in need of 2 or 3 more homes</li> </ul>	
5	<p>Denver Health's Gipson Eastside Family Health Center - Olga Garcia</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Renovation – interior and exterior, new solar panels, to be completed by September</li> <li>• 26<sup>th</sup> and Washington</li> </ul>	
6	<p>Park Hill Safe Routes to School, Matt Bradford</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Public Works, Utilities, Sidewalk at City Park Golf Course</li> <li>• Grant for crosswalk at Kearney and 23<sup>rd</sup></li> <li>• Share your ideas about traffic calming, your concerns about areas – no sidewalk, no crosswalk, stop signs, etc.</li> <li>• Will have to prioritize based on budget provided for traffic safety and mobility in our neighborhood</li> <li>• Walk Audit: If you would like to participate, contact Lana</li> </ul>	
7	<p>Fairfax Park:  <b>Open House 4: <u>April 25, 2019</u></b>  <b><u>5:30-7:30PM   Stedman Elementary</u></b>  Join Denver Parks &amp; Recreation and the Stakeholder Design Committee for the FINAL open house regarding plans for the park at 29th &amp; Fairfax. All are welcome!  This Saturday – pop-up session on Fairfax Street from 1-3 pm  Current survey closes on April 12<sup>th</sup>:  <a href="http://www.surveymoz.com/s3/4893067/the-park-at-29th-fairfax-preferred-site-alternative">http://www.surveymoz.com/s3/4893067/the-park-at-29th-fairfax-preferred-site-alternative</a></p>	
8	<p>This Saturday! "Into the Neighborhood": A One-Day Conference on Outreach and the Registered Neighborhood Organization, 10a.m.-3p.m.  The event takes place this Saturday, April 6, 2019, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m, at Counterpath, 7935 East 14th Avenue in Denver. Free and open to the public, with a catered free lunch.</p>	
9	<p>Group Cycling, meet at Spinelli's on April 14<sup>th</sup>, 3 pm, group ride around Park Hill</p>	
10	<p>Conflict Resolution Workshop – Park Hill Library (rescheduled from March)  Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:30-8 pm</p>	
11	<p>Kearney Street – old movie theater is under renovation for new tenants, goal of opening in June</p>	
12	<p>Pauline Robinson Library – Party for the Paper  Wednesday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 6:30-7:30 pm</p>	
<b>13</b>	<p><b><u>Denver Municipal Elections: May 7<sup>th</sup>, ballots mailed April 15<sup>th</sup></u></b>  <b><u>MAYOR</u></b>  <b><u>ALL 13 CITY COUNCIL SEATS</u></b>  <b><u>CLERK &amp; RECORDER</u></b></p>	

	<b>VOTE VOTE VOTE VOTE VOTE!!!</b> Or, eat an old shoe covered in mustard	
14	Approval of March Minutes Approved <b>12 Ayes</b> ; 2 Abstain	

End of Minutes

**Next Meeting is Thursday, May 2nd, 2019**