

June 2025 Board Meeting Minutes

Date: June 11, 2025 Time: 4:00 - 6:00 PM EST Location: The Senior Friendship Center in the Caregiver Resource Center Room located at **1820 Brother Geenen Way**

In attendance: Alan Pariser, Gary Hansell, Holly Barbour, Fred Sassen, Linda Villardo, Karen Pariser

4:00 : 5 minutes

- <u>Call to Order</u> : Alan Pariser, SPPNA President, at 4:07 PM.
- <u>Establish a quorum</u> : Alan Pariser, SPPNA President.
- Approval of Minutes & Agenda :
 - May 2025 Minutes <u>5.14.2025 Minutes</u> Quorum established and meeting was convened at 4:07 PM. Motion to accept the minutes and Agenda made by Holly Barbour and unanimously accepted.
 - June 11, 2025 Agenda Unanimously Accepted

Board Of Directors Reports :

4:05 <u>President Report</u> :

- Presented by : Alan Pariser, SPPNA President
 - <u>President's Report June 2025.docx</u>. Discussed upcoming meeting with Mayor Liz Alpert in regards to proposed cost sharing proposal for new street lights.

4:15 <u>Vice President / CCNA Report</u> : Holly Barbour, SPPNA Vice President

- June 2025 CCNA Meeting Report
- CCNA meeting was primarily about three topics: Hurricane preparedness, stormwater management and air quality

- Hurricane Preparedness tips trim vegetation in yard prior to storm, fill bathtubs with fresh water, freeze jugs of water(only ³/₄ full) to help keep freezer cold in event of power loss.
- The City and County are merging resources to manage stormwater and drainage. This refers to rain runoff, not storm surge.
- Air Quality this mainly referred to pollutants adjacent to residential areas near the U.S. Recycling plant on 17th st.

4:15 <u>Treasurer Report</u> :

- Presented by : Gary Hansell, Treasurer
 - <u>FY 25 / 26 Budget</u>
 - Current bank balance approximately \$28,000.00
 - Filed Sunbiz annual report; cost of \$61.25 only May expense or revenue item.
 - Planning to set up an interest bearing account and credit card once the signature acceptance process is complete.
 - Annual revenue stayed under \$25,000 threshold allowing short form application/filings

4:25 <u>Member-At-Large Report</u> :

• Under current By Laws, Member-at-Large is a voting member of the Board. Shall we consider Appointing Street Captain Committee Head and Complete Streets Committee Head as Members-at-Large to allow them to count towards quorum & vote? <u>Board agreed to table this</u> <u>discussion and readdress within the scope of the revised Bylaws being</u> <u>considered.</u>

Committee Reports

4:35 Governance Report :

- <u>ByLaw update</u> Presented by:Linda Vilardo
 - Reviewed highlights of the current draft
 - ByLaw Revision Draft #7
 - Discussed keeping 4 elected board member and allowing 3 appointed directors
 - Discussed changing fiscal year. Current year ends May 31st which is unusual. <u>Deferred changing the fiscal year for now, but agreed</u> to determine that annual voluntary dues will apply to the

calendar year. Changing Fiscal year to calendar year will be a future action.

 Generally agreed to minimize the number of member levels and limit to Voting & non Voting members, without necessarily different levels of voluntary membership payments. Also suggested that no specific voluntary dues \$\$ should be established.

4:50 Social Media / Website Report :

- General Discussion topic
 - Discussed how to enlist a media chair person to maintain Instagram & Facebook
 - No current plan
 - Discussed maybe a community teenager to assist; association can provide documentation for community service/volunteering to help build resume/college applications

4:55 Complete Streets Report :

- Presented by : Karen Pariser, Committee Chair
 - <u>Complete Streets Report June 2025</u>
 - Anne Horowitz to chair this project; 3 fire hydrants are missing on streets in our community, Tulip, Honeysuckle, and Oleander. Vern Hall and Scott Woodward are the city officials to contact regarding this matter
 - Street lights ongoing negotiation

5:05 Grants Report :

- Presented by: Linda Vilardo, Committee Chair
 - Grants Report June 2025
 - We received full amount from last request
 - Deadline for new 2 Request is August 2025 and January 2026
 - \$2,000 available for events and \$250 for food. <u>However, we need</u> to define in some reasonable level of detail what the money will be spent on; i.e. a general outline of the event will be needed.

5:10 <u>Street Captains Report</u> :

- Presented by Terry Iacono, Street Captain Committee Chair
 - Sponsor program
 - Sponsor letter
 - Sponsor List

- Terry will be stepping down as Street Captain Committee Chair. She has provided tremendous value to the neighborhood and we all are so grateful for all of her hard work.
- Fred will coordinate with Terry about sponsor program and New Resident Welcoming Committee

5:25 Old Business :

- Little Library A. Pariser need to select desired location. Construction to start in Fall. No update
- New Resident Welcome Committee Fred Sassen Fred will Discuss with Terry

5:30 <u>New Business</u> : 2025 Priorities and Projects - Alan Pariser

- <u>2025 -26 Priorities Updated from prior meeting</u> updates shown in red. Not discussed, defer to July meeting.
- Review Street Light Program Status. June 2025 Cost Estimate indicates up to 30% increase. Meeting with the Mayor scheduled for 6/17 to discuss the proposal.

5:50 <u>Meeting Adjournment</u> :

- Confirm next board meeting Schedule & Location:
 - Wednesday, July 9 , 2025 4:00 6:00 PM
 - Senior Friendship Center, Caregiver Resource Room
- Motion to Adjourn confirmed at 6:07 PM

Action Items and Follow-Up :

Governance Committee

- Need to discuss membership annual dues collections, since there has been no communication as yet of the agreed \$50 suggested donation for FY 25 -26.
- All Committee Goals and Objectives need to be updated for 2024-2025 so that we can send a group email to all members to encourage participation in committees.
- ByLaws to be revised and sent for review for the July Board Meeting

Membership Committee

- Establish Committee and process for FY 25 26.
- New Resident Welcome Bags
 - Karen secured several Stroll Magazines and flyers for securing Southside Elementary School Memorial Pavers

- We can use extra Centennial Swag Bags
- Jamie suggested reaching out to Sponsors for coupons
- Lighted SPPNA Keychains?
- Insert door hangers?
- Insert paper Member Applications

<u>Fred Sassen</u>

• Create plan for new resident welcome packages