Neighborhood Advisory Committee Monday, January 14, 2019 Assembly Hall 3:00 p.m.



MINUTES

Committee Member Present:

Jack Farrell-Councilmember
Kay Wildt- *Doral Woods*Rosie Ruggles-*Oakmont Circle*Jackie Curley- *St. Andrews*Ed Balkovic-*Pinehurst Trace*Tom Campbell-*Monticello*Carolyn Jamison- *Pinehurst Civic Group*Beverly Reynolds-*The Woodlands (Alt.)*

Beverly Braunschiedel- Midland CC
Jan Kane- CCNC
Lee Smith-Lawn and Tennis
Cathy Harpster-Taylorhurst
Lydia Boesch-Pinewild
Lee Thomas -Clarendon Gardens

Committee Member Absent:

Susan Foster- *The Woodlands*Pilar Page- *Pinehurst No. 6*Debbie Lalor-*Downtown*Tony Elms- *Donald Ross*Charles Collini-*Old Town West*

Monica Converse- *Lake Pinehurst* Debbie Lalor-*Downtown* Clay Scott- *Village Acres*

I. Call to Order by Mayor Nancy Fiorillo

Mayor Nancy Fiorillo called the meeting to order for the Neighborhood Advisory Committee. Mayor Fiorillo introduced new members of the NAC, Lee Smith of Lawn and Tennis and Ed Balkovic of Pinehurst Trace.

II. Review notes from November 19, 2018

The committee approved the notes from the November 19, 2018 meeting.

III. 2020 US Census Information- Moore County Planning Department.

Theresa Thompson, Moore County Planning Supervisor, explained that the were asked by the Board of Commissioners to create a Complete Count Committee (CCC), which is a volunteer committee comprised of community leaders to increase awareness and participation of the 2020 Census. She asked that anyone who would like to serve on this committee join them for the 1st meeting on January 31st at 10:00am at the AG Center. The 1st meeting would be more of a brainstorming meeting to discuss various ways to get the word out to Moore County residents. The committee will meet every few months up to the Census. Also, Ms. Thompson handed out flyers which provided information on the Census Bureau hiring temporary positions to help complete the 2020 Census.

Police Department and Community Watch Program Update

New Deputy Chief Glen Webb introduced himself to the Committee. He told the members he came from Greenville Police Department and that he formerly held an elected seat on the Board.

Lee Gatling, the Community Watch Liaison, updated the Committee on the Community Watch Program. He stated they have been working with former Community Watch Chair, Doug Tuxbury, to help revamp the program. He asked that if any of the neighborhoods

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had ideas or outcomes they would like to see from the program to please share those with him. He provided members with his contact information.

Lt. Gatling also informed the committee that there had been numerous break-ins around the Lake Pinehurst area and they were able to make an arrest in the cases. Reminded everyone to be safe and lock their homes and cars.

Ed Balkovic, of Pinehurst Trace, asked Lt. Gatling. About signing up for notifications from the Community Watch Program. Village Clerk, Beth Dunn informed the committee members that they could sign up for the notices on the Village Website under the Community Watch webpage (https://www.vopnc.org/our-government/boards-and-commissions/community-watch). Beverly Reynolds asked if The Pinehurst Police Department currently had a notification system like the County uses with Nixle. Beverly shared the Nixle website information with other members.

https://www.nixle.us/county/nc/moore/ Lt. Gatling stated that is something the Police Department has been looking into.

IV. Other Business - Neighborhood Reports

- Tom Campbell of Monticello: A few pots holes have finally been repaired but still have a long
 way to go. Cut in Bridal Path circle that has been repaired and looks great. He read the letter to the
 editor about speeding on Midland Rd. He believes there needs to be more patrolling to control the
 speeding in that area.
- Lee Thomas of Clarendon Gardens: Road repairs have been completed in the neighborhood. Working with Aqua to get a generator for their neighborhood. Cross bow arrows were found in his backyard and they believe someone is hunting in the neighborhood. Police investigated but no one was found, no other instances have occurred since then. Village staff cut shrubs and trees the right of way area in his neighborhood with a chainsaw. Stated that the VOP staff needed to be trained on how to properly prune these areas and need to take some pride in their work. He put in a complaint in my VOP.
- Lydia Boesch of Pinewild: Phase V in Pinewild is stalled because Moore County is refusing to run water and sewer to the new lots because Pinewild currently owns the water infrastructure.
- Cathy Harpster of Taylorhurst: Nothing to report
- Kay Wildt of Doral Woods: Homes have sold in the neighborhood, which is a good news. She shared a story about her friend who was complaining about Village services because they didn't get a trash cart and so she pulled out her cell phone and showed them how to enter a request with the MyVOP app. The friend had her cart within 48 hours after the request was submitted, she stated what an easy and wonderful service from the Village. She also noted that the Village tree lighting ceremony was lovely.
- Jackie Curley of St. Andrews: Residents are questioning the recycling changes. The glass seems to be the biggest issue. The road is still not repaired in front of 925 and 1020 on St. Andrews. The residents are really concerned with the sewage leaks into the Lake Pinehurst.
- Ed Balkovic of Pinehurst Trace: Stated they have their annual meeting this coming Friday, January 18th. The traffic circle is always a huge talking point.
- Rosie Ruggles of Oakmont Circle: Nothing to report
- Jan Kane of CCNC: Nothing to report other than the water issues in Pinewild bring up old memories of CCNC water issues many years ago.
- Lee Smith of Lawn and Tennis: Nothing to report
- Carolyn Jamison of the Pinehurst Civic Group: Stated they finished re-paving her road today and thanked the Village.

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Beverly Reynolds of The Woodlands: She is concerned about the speeding on Morganton Rd. The Village trash trucks are leaking oil on their streets.

The next NAC meeting will be held on Monday, February 18, 2019 at 3:00 pm in the Council Conference Room.

V. Adjournment by Mayor Nancy Fiorillo at approximately 4:28 pm.

Respectively submitted by: Beth Dunn