

Woodlea/Melrose Neighborhood Association
Meeting Notes 12/13/2007
7pm Copper Star Coffee

New Business

A volunteer committee was assembled regarding Melrose Point issues.

Todd Bradford volunteered to be the Chairperson (602) 377-2553
Connie Thornton (602) 222-9686
Suzanne Price (602) 277-1028
Beth Lazare (302) 628-0595

Suzanne Price motioned to rescind the previous Woodlea/Melrose vote regarding the Melrose point project. 5 people voted for it. Motion was denied.
The following people volunteered to write the Grant for Woodlea/Melrose
Connie Thornton, Pam stated that Cathi O'Donnell would also like to join in helping with the Grant.

Reports

Steve Szczepkowski regarding crime: neighborhood is averaging 2-3 burglaries per week. 42 incidents in the past few months. Need to work on making the existing block watch a strong program. Suzanne Price added that getting to know your neighbors, and proper lighting are good deterrents. You can contact her to be a block watch captain. The following people volunteered to assist as block watch captains:

Lucia Kisel	Roma	279-6329
Mark Frank	Mackenzie	277-5722
JoAnne Miller	Mackenzie	277-1028
Roy Stewart	Turney	279-5219

Steve Szczepkowski added to be on the lookout for a tall, thin, African American male riding a black bicycle. It was reported that he was stealing UPS packages from peoples front doors.

Elections

Cori Anderson gave an update of what each board position is responsible for and also the responsibility of a street representative.

All board members were re-elected to hold their positions for 2007.

Becci Scott was nominated to be the new block watch coordinator.

The following people volunteered to be streets reps:

Connie Thornton	Glenrosa
Mark Frank	Mackenzie
Todd Bradford	9 th Ave
Roy Stewart	Turney
Al Moya & Debbie Fredericksen	Heatherbrae
Aanya Rispoli	Montecito

Misc.

The suggestion to increase dues from \$10 to \$20 was presented. Lucia Kisel motioned to table the issue to see if everyone can bring a neighbor to the next meeting to be involved as opposed to making the people that are already involved pay more. The issue will be tabled until the next meeting.

A request was made that the newsletter provide more specific information on the crime that goes on in the neighborhood.

We thanked Bill Sandweg of Copper Star Coffee for allowing us to hold our meetings in his shop since it opened by giving him a poinsettia.

Luminaries were distributed

50/50 raffle was drawn, Cheryl Szczepkowski was the winner.