**Mapleton-Fall Creek Neighborhood Association**

Minutes for 8/13//2020

Meeting called to order by President, Travis Tatlock

* Meeting was held at the lawn behind Tabernacle Presbyterian Church

Review of Minutes from March

* Minutes approved

Treasurer’s Report by Chuck Madden

* Chase - $2,000.75
* Prudential - $7,398.70

Mapleton Fall Creek Development Corporation

* 2802 N. Delaware Ave
  + Selling this property to Journey Engineering for their headquarters
  + Slated to open in 2022
* Committee development for continued focus on housing projects
* Ongoing support for those renting from MFCDC during COVID-19
* Some of the pocket parks owned by CDC will be getting some updates via a grant

Renew Indianapolis – house plans in MFC from Full Circle Development

* 2912 N. New Jersey Street and 2932 N. New Jersey Street
* Requests from group that they do something about the sidewalks
* Comments that homes from this development seem to be decent quality

Freewheelin’ Community Bikes

* MFCNA is now a supporting sponsor
* They are opened back up to their full hours

MFC House Placards Discussion

* Discussion of proposed Design - durable steel cutout of logo
* Cost - $75; if you are a member placard would be $70
* Can be mounted near front door or placed in a window
* Concerns from the group
  + Visibility from road
    - Some neighborhoods have larger signs
  + Materials
    - Other neighborhoods use plastic signs or street sign materials – cheaper, so could make larger sign and/or make signs available at lower costs to neighborhood
    - Some neighbors preferred steel due to quality and fact that it could be painted individually
    - Discussion of painting/colors and how it may match with homes

Neighborhood Partners

* IMPD
  + Change of neighborhood borders for North District
  + Body cameras will be on officers
    - Cameras go back 30 seconds from when they are turned on
    - Triggers inside holsters that turn camera on as well
  + Violent crime is down, but vehicle break ins are up
  + 38th and Fall Creek – a lot of arrests over there for trespassing on business’ property; making progress in that area, but still a challenge
  + 38th and Meridian homicide – no updated information; no arrest made yet
  + 34th and Park Ave carjacking
  + Lots of car accidents recently at busy intersections
  + Illegal dumping at 29th and Central – what can neighbors do? Call police right away and get license plate
* Children’s Museum, Shaina Martin
  + They are open, reduced capacity
  + Feedback from visitors that it feels safe and clean
  + Mid North Promise program recruiting - focus is college and career readiness
  + Free membership for neighborhood for 1 year and then have to renew, but would be free each year
  + Applying for COVID relief
    - Funds would be for devices for kids, internet connectivity
  + Census – rescheduled date
  + Looking to partner with MLK and other organizations to do some voter registration
* Midtown Indy – Tom Healy
  + Mid North Quality of Life Plan
    - Interest expressed in rekindling this/updating it
    - They are in early stages of gauging interest
    - Feedback -- too many goals before, make it more focused this time around
  + 38th Street
    - Renewed interest in 38th Street Corridor idea
    - Launched “Friends of 38th” last year – make it safer for people
    - City has released a request for proposal and selected a firm to do a corridor analysis
      * Firm said it can’t get good numbers though because of COVID
      * Discussions with DPW to deal with increased traffic that may go along with Crew Carwash

Call for motion to adjourn​