**Mapleton-Fall Creek Neighborhood Association**

Minutes for September 9, 2021

New Circle Church

6:35 P.M. Meeting called to order by Travis Tatlock, President

6:35 P.M. Review of minutes from August and approval of the minutes

6:36 P.M. Treasurer’s Report

* Chase Account - $3,142.95
* Prudential Account - $9,357.30

6:38 P.M. KIB Project Greenspace Grant

* We were awarded this grant to create green space in New Circle Church area, in corner of their property.
* We’ll continue to fundraise with New Circle Church, build plan this winter, and start building in the spring.
* 3 year partnership with KIB – goal is to help build the park/green space and then also help sustain it

6:41 P.M. Membership

* September is last month to join in order to vote in elections in December

6:42 P.M. Neighborhood Partners

* IMPD
  + No aggravated assaults reports this month
  + Still no homicides this year in MFC
  + Only one robbery reported in the last month, but there were some burglaries in the last month. Most of the burglaries are happening during the day. Potential suspect drives blue truck.
  + Working to address homelessness issues along Fall Creek
  + Recovered stolen vehicle from under the bridge along Fall Creek
  + North District is leading foot patrols in districts compared to other districts
  + Relay app is no longer in use
* Marion County Prosecutor’s Office
  + Launched hate crimes hot line last month
    - Non-emergency line
    - 317-327-5314
* Friends of 38th Street & the National
  + Recently had Blues & BBQ, seemed to be successful; they scheduled another for next summer
* The Children’s Museum
  + They are reinstating the mask mandate indoors.
  + Haunted House Frightful Frontier – tickets on sale September 13
  + Indy Night Market
* Freewheelin’ Bikes
  + Nancy’s Ride was this past Monday
  + Start programs next Tuesday for kids
  + They will be having camps during IPS fall breaks.

6:51 P.M. Other updates from the floor/open discussion

* Famers Market at Broadway UMC – last Saturday is 9/25, 9 am – 1 pm
* Future Events – September Movie Night (Friday, 6:30, 9/24)
* 33rd block of College – neighbor reached out about a house there due to number of people living there and number of police runs; Health Dept. and IMPD are looking into this
* DPW program for pedestrian walk-ways – paint design on one cross walk in neighborhood to draw attention to it to help draw attention to pedestrians crossing
  + Potentially 34th and Fairfield, 34th and Washington Blvd., 34th and Guilford, or near Monon or Fall Creek Trail
* Monumental Marathon – 11/6/21
  + Possible clean up in neighborhood associated with marathon
* Two art galleries recently opened in neighborhood
  + Travis discussed working with Newfields to do neighborhood level events. Newfields hasn’t jumped on this yet.
* 34th and Fall Creek construction
  + Neighbor asked about reports of cracks/damages to homes in the area. A couple neighbors have noticed this. Contact Citizens.
* Some carjacking reported on 38th St, specifically east of Fall Creek
* Other concerns or questions

7:25 P.M. Call for motion to adjourn