

Minutes

I. Opening

- 1 Prayer by Tom Otten
- 2 Group introductions

II. Policing Action

A. CPOP

1. Target Locations: A discussion occurred concerning the four locations in our community that will be targeting for the 2009 year.
 - a. W. Liberty area and feeder streets across from Elder and Seton
 - b. Grand, Price, Chateau, Summit, Maryland and Warsaw
 - c. Warsaw, McPherson, Enright, W. 8th area
 - d. Warsaw, Purcell, Considine and Glenway (possibly Elberon)
2. Safety Walk :
 - Friday, Jan. 9; 8pm; Meet at White Castle
 - Thursday, Jan. 15; 6:30pm; Meet at Elder High School
 - Friday, Jan. 23; 8pm; Meet at Price Hill Rec. Center
 - Thursday, Jan. 29; 6:30pm; Meet at St. Lawrence
3. Focus Project on W. Liberty: Sgt Herold and Officer Katie Werner are currently working to bring tenant training groups to the area. They are also working on resident surveys along W. Liberty between Iliff and 1st.
4. Good Guy Loitering: This safety initiative will begin again in April.
5. Olden Tot Lot: It was announced to the group that the park will be receiving lighting.

B. Police Department:

1. Crime went down this month in comparison to last month.
2. District 3 received 11-13 new officers from the academy.
3. The officer raised a question about the number of bus stops and the possibility of removing or moving a few of them.

C. Hamilton County Probation: John Schwind

1. John Schwind introduced Brian Urban to the group. He is the chief of all the sub-stations.
2. Due to a recent change in laws, the probation officers have more freedom with the individuals under their supervision and are able to search more homes without as many restrictions.
3. Brian committed to making safety walks and good guy loitering a priority with his probation officers, providing an officer for at least part of the time if not the whole time.

D. Treasurer Report: Bob Greenlee

1. A total of \$212.55 is in the Safety CAT aluminum can fund.

E. Goals and Projects for 2009

1. Recruit more residents to become more involved. Ideas for recruitment included: PTA meetings, Open Houses, Flyers, and Church bulletins.
2. Find ways to raise funds for specific projects: Ideas included: split the pot and continuing to gather aluminum cans.
3. Organize two street parties during the summer months, concentrating on two of our four target areas. The group decided that the first party will be held on Purcell on

June 27 and the second party will be held at Iliff on August 1. Patti will take care of getting the street closure forms.

4. Conduct three community seminars in the fall, surrounding different neighborhoods issues. The 1st seminar will be held Sept. 23rd and will be taught by the Probation Department. The 2nd seminar will be held Oct. 14th and will be taught by Buildings and Inspections. The 3rd seminar will be held Nov. 4th and will be taught by the Cincinnati Police Department.

III. Youth Action

A. Adopt-A-Class: Kara Ray

1. We will be tutoring at Roberts Paideia on Friday, January 16th from 1:00-2:30. Everyone is welcome to join us.
2. Patti Hogan and Kara Ray will be meeting with Rees E. Price on Wednesday to discuss a possible Saturday tutoring program. More information to follow.