



# MT. WASHINGTON

Community Council

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## **Membership Meeting Minutes** **June 15, 2016** **Mt. Washington Recreation Center**

Sue Doucleff called the meeting to order at 7:05 pm. Other Board members in attendance:  
Brian Fortin, George Lehocky, Alex Linser, Marc Raab, Zak Slemmer.  
Excused absence: Greg Landsman, Bill Holzman

### **Fire Report:**

124 Runs of which 108 were medical runs  
Review of tornado awareness for residents  
Narcan use – engine 7 - 4 times in MAY  
Reminders with upcoming holiday:  
Don't allow children using matches /lighters  
Keep fireworks to professionals  
Illegal to buy, discharge fireworks within Cincinnati

### **Police Report:**

See report provided by Kevin Butler  
Responded to question about Stanbery park safety.  
Noted the reduced crime in the park since he has been in MW  
Citizens on Patrol:  
Had run last weekend; crime down

### **CRC Report:**

Summer camp: 126 kids  
Teen camp 13 teens  
Drop in free camp – free swimming lessons, walking trip per week  
Quick question about why CRC's do not have AEDs – Staff do get trained but cost is about \$1200

### **Parks Report:**

N/A

### **President's Report:**

Nothing to report

### **Treasurer's Report:**

Budget Overview Approved  
Marc looking to write letter to find out more about purchasing AED for Rec Center

### **Secretary's Report:**

Review of May Meeting Minutes – made changes  
Amendments to add more info May 19<sup>th</sup> Prevention FIRST

**Cultural Arts Report:**

Poetry Reading on June 14<sup>th</sup> at Tower Fine Wine and Champagne, began at 6:30

Attendance was 37.

Great event all around. Looking to plan another.

**EDC Report:**

Traffic Study findings/recommendations still need to be approved by sub-committee; will have one more meeting with Martha Kelley

Videographer continues to work on getting footage of the business district and getting images of local housing stock. Looking to extend work into August/September.

**Land Use and Zoning Report:**

City bulletin – Chapter 719 re: additional wording of cell towers

These are new, smaller “infill” towers to be attached to existing poles...there could be up to 30-40.

Code does not give council any advance notice of installation.

Recommendation to have MWCC send letter re: Chapter 719

Motion to approve letter and signed the Board Pres. And send to commission

Voted seconded. Approved

Jon quickly recapped what the Urban Design Overlay is since a questions was asked about it. This is taken from the text of the City’s description and used here:

*[The specific purposes of the Urban Design Overlay District are to:*

*Protect and enhance the physical character of selected business districts that have adopted Urban DesignPlans;*

*Prevent the deterioration of property and blighting conditions;*

*Encourage private investment to improve and stimulate the economic vitality and social character ofselected business districts; and*

*Ensure that infill development does not adversely affect the physical character of the area.]*

**Ranchvale Terminus Survey**

106 letters sent – 61 residents responded

14 voted for meadow

43 voted for mowed lawn

4 voted for no preference

Talks of bollards to replace guard rail

Traffic engineering to investigate removing the hydrant

Existing pole with light most likely will stay as it has light on it

Letter to Jim Burkhardt to maintain lawn as mowed lawn.

NBDIP - \$20,000 remaining of study funds

MW Parking lot project is a on the tentative shortlist for the award of \$266,000

**Membership Report:**

73 Paid Members

3 new members

**NSP Report**

Suggestion from Ilene Hayes for possible revamp for NSP funds to be equal allotments to each school and allow each school to spend as they need it.

**Good of the Order:**

CBRs – review of possible CBRs

Have until Sept. 23<sup>st</sup> to submit

Offer list to residents

Zak Slemmer to Chair CBR

2018 repaving list

Reminder that July 4th parade is on July 3<sup>rd</sup>

PreventionFIRST meeting:

Pastor Penny organized up coalition program/team

Possible drug return program

Video available on MWCC YOUTUBE channel.

Link on MWCC website.

Motion to Adjourn

7:44

Respectfully submitted by Brian Fortin, Secretary.