

FOREST HILL CIVIC ASSOCIATION
 MINUTES FROM MEETING 7/11/2007

<p>Welcome:</p>	<p>Phil Licking, President, opened the meeting with welcoming remarks.</p> <p>The minutes from 6/13/07 were read, and several corrections made. The minutes, as amended, were approved.</p>
<p>Committee Reports</p>	<p>Treasurer/Financial Report - Roger Clark reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monthly report, attached hereto. • Advertising sales did not cover the printing expenses for the most recent edition of the Flyer; the need for someone or several someones to take over ad sales was again raised. • It was suggested that the Westover Hills Merchants Association may be interested in advertising; they have expressed to David Hathcock that they do not feel they are effectively reaching the local neighborhoods. <p>Membership Committee - Vicky Hamrick reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There are currently 115 paid memberships, two of which are corporate. <p>City Council Report –Kathy Graziano and David Hathcock reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kathy advised that some West End neighborhoods are placing “speed mats” on various “cut-through” streets. The fire departments are opposed to them, but they are not on any main thoroughfares. This would not work on Forest Hill Avenue, however, which is a commuter route, but might be considered for some side streets used as short cuts. • The council is still working on tax relief for the elderly. • David advised that an officer from 3rd Precinct has died in an accident, and they may later ask for a donation from the association in his memory. • Complaints about the condition of 4109 Forest Hill Avenue have been forwarded to the appropriate city departments, and in general the city is more aggressively pursuing blighted properties. It was suggested that citizens go to the city’s website section called “Citizen Request” or call 646-0999. • It was suggested that there be information or an article in a future edition of the Flyer regarding property maintenance responsibilities.

	<p>Forest Hill House Tour Committee - Susan Winiecki reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No report given
	<p>Communications Committee – Brent Tenefoss reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The most recent Flyer inadvertently omitted the promotions for the 43rd Street Festival, so a September newsletter will go out; deadline for submissions is 8/10/07. • Brent will be stepping down as editor as of 2008.
	<p>Social Committee - Grace LeRose reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The July Music in the Park event was hot but successful. • The new t-shirt sold well. • They are considering additional concerts for 2008. They are also looking into procuring a larger stage. • David Hathcock suggested somehow combining the 2008 Sunday In the Park with a Music In the Park event.
	<p>Safety Committee - Luke McCall reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No report given, however, it was mentioned that a sex offender was living in the neighborhood and had been caught behaving suspiciously at Stony Point shopping center. • David Hathcock reported a concern that crimes were being committed but not making it to the Crime Watch list; Kathy Graziano requests that we report any crimes to her office, as well as to the police.
	<p>Friends of Forest Hill Park – Monica Rumsey reported the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The marker for the tot lot has been installed and will be unveiled at Sunday in the Park with Friends on July 15. • The newly restored park sign will also go up and be unveiled that day. • The Valentine Museum is reconstructing the trolley route, and will host a tour of Forest Hill on 10/20 that pets (on leashes) are invited to.
<p>New/Other Business</p>	<p>NONE</p>
<p>Old Business</p>	<p>NONE</p>
<p>MEETING ADJOURNED</p>	