

## **Northwest Neighborhood Association of Citrus Heights - Area 1**

Round Table Pizza 7873 Lichen Dr, Citrus Heights 95621 (NEW LOCATION) Minutes: Monday, March 24, 2025 at 6:30 p.m.

- 1. Called to order: 6:35 PM by President Elyjah Wilbur
- 2. Welcome & Introductions of any special guests
- 3. City and Community Business- Time for CHPD, City, City Partners or other community organizations:
  - a. CHPD Representative- CHPD Officer Eisenberg in place of Shawn Gualco
    - i. Fireworks- needs to be seen by the police or recorded by the reporting party
    - ii. Update related to mental health-only calls due to removal of officer immunity around use of force following new case law; still employing crisis unit or firefighters to engage mental health needs
    - iii. 2 POP officers back on and working beautification crew; planning to hire two more POP officers
    - iv. Reminder of see-click-fix to report blight
  - b. Republic Services- Annah Rulon (RP) and Mary (City of Citrus Heights)
    - i. Three clean-ups per year with an assigned day versus calling in.
    - ii. Spoke about neighborhood cleanup process and update to enforcing the 48 hour timeline with putting out items to minimize blight; May 1st fines begin for piles placed out before 48 hr window
    - iii. Compost and Sand:
      - 1. City Hall currently still has free sand for sandbags; Beginning 5/1 they will be offering free compost
      - 2. Additional free compost sites include Miller Ace Hardware and Sylvan Community Garden

## 4. Administrative Action

- a. Potential new meeting location Lichen K-8
  - i. President is recommending use of school for meetings beginning June; will follow up with school site to confirm summer accessibility
  - ii. meeting members expressed unanimous agreement in use of school for area meetings

- 5. Event/Project Update: (Moved from January Meeting)
  - a. Elect a Director at Large to oversee planning for Tupelo Clean up
- 6. Discussions
  - a. New District 1 Council Representative Town Hall
    - i. Likely scheduling for summer (hoping for June; potentially first meeting at new location of Lichen k-8)
  - b. Board Openings (Moved from March Meeting)
    - i. Unanimously voted Linda Milani to the board of directors, member at large
- 7. Board Reports, Announcements and Reminders
  - a. REACH Updates
    - i. Community Dinner Report-
      - 1. President and Secretary Attended
      - Our Neighborhood Area donated a raffle basket, we received donations from Martha's Tacqueria and Honey Donuts and purchased gift cards to Dutch Brothers and Kiki's Chicken (\$50 was approved by BoD)
    - ii. Street lights conversation -
      - 1. Mary spoke about the concern for street lighting & the City looking into various options including SMUD Contractor Network
      - 2. President to follow up with speakers to discuss further
    - iii. Ethan Conrad Updates
      - 1. Regarding Sunrise Specific Plan
      - 2. President will notify the mailing list when on the council docket
    - iv. NA Financials
      - President of REACH (Kathy Morris) is looking into how to best support Neighborhood Areas regarding financials and financial reporting.
      - 2. \$492 currently in the bank
      - 3. Interested in Charleston Wrap fundraiser again. VP to setup and notify group
- 8. Upcoming Meetings:
  - a. Next Neighborhood Area Meeting
    - Future Meetings
      - 1. April 21, 2025
      - 2. May 19, 2025
      - 3. June 16, 2025
      - 4. July 21, 2025
      - 5. August 18, 2025
      - 6. September 15, 2025
      - 7. October 20, 2025

- 9. Public Comment- Discussion of any non-agenda items:
  - a. Mary (City of Citrus Heights) shared out some upcoming info:
    - i. May 8th will be the "Tools of the Trade" event via Public Works at Van Maren Park 2-5pm
    - ii. Free Popcorn and Icees
    - iii. Streets and Safety Improvement projects happening in Area 1 (will come out to speak more in the future)
- 10. Adjournment 7:40pm

## **Attendees**

Area Members: Walt and Cricket W.; Linda M.; Sandy M; Cynda R.; Tamara H. Community Members: CHPD Officer Eisenberg; Annah Rulon; Mary Poole

Board Members: Elyjah W.; Micheal H.; Laura W.; Linda M.