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**Neighborhood Advisory Board (NAB)
MINUTES**

Thurs. June 15, 2017 @ 6:00PM
City Hall Conf. Rm. 337

200 West Fifth Street
Greenville, NC 27835-7207

BOARD MEMBERS AND ALTERNATE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Attendance is denoted by an “*” and absentees are denoted by an “x”

NEIGHBORHOOD ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERS			
NAME	DISTRICT	NAME	DISTRICT
Carolyn Glast - *	1	Charlotte Smith -x	1
Betty Hines, Chair - *	2	Joyce Williams - *	2
Ann Maxwell - *	3	Ann Hamze - *	3
Blythe Tennent Vice Chair - x	4	Judy Bernhardt - *	4
Sharon Stang - *	5	Brenda Diggs - *	5
NEIGHBORHOOD ADVISORY BOARD ALTERNATE MEMBERS			
NAME	DISTRICT	NAME	DISTRICT
Margaret Hrushesky - x	1	Jim Brown - *	4
David Douglas - *	2	Misun Hur - x	5
Laura McKenna - x	3		

City Staff Present: *Community Development Department:* Christi Williamson and Gwen Turnage

1. **Call to Order** – Betty Hines, Chair
2. **Roll Call** – Gwen Turnage
3. **MOTION TO APPROVE THE AGENDA**

Motion: Ann Maxwell Second: Judy Bernhardt

Motion approved as noted below

Ann Maxwell made a motion to remove Sustainability Committee and instead of having old business, have new business to discuss the Race Workshop.

All in favor

4. **MOTION TO APPROVE THE MAY 18, 2017 MINUTES**

Motion: Brenda Diggs Second: Sharon Stang

Motion approved

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5. Public Comments – Limit 3 minutes each

- THREE (3) MINUTES ALLOTTED PER SPEAKER
- FIFTEEN (15) MINUTES ALLOTTED FOR THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

No public comments

6. **NEW BUSINESS**

- Race Workshop

Chairperson Betty Hines, shared information with Ann Maxwell that she received while attending an exhibition at the Museum of National Science History in Raleigh, NC. Ann provided a brief synopsis about the museum's history. The museum has an award winning display that opens on April 22, 2017 and runs through October. The museum has information on race to include the science and history of race. Ann noted that a key component of the exhibition is cultural conversations led by experienced local facilitators, with cultural conversations to include a 90 minute guided discussions. This discussion assist visitors with reflecting on their experiences concerning race as a factor in their lives and communities. This process has been successful with resolution for visitors to enhance their race exhibition experience. These conversations are held on Saturdays and Sundays through September 3, 2017.

Several board members agreed that they would be interested in visiting the museum and participating in the discussion on a Saturday. A city vehicle to transport board members is requested. Additionally, Ann requested that Christi ask the new City Manager, Ann Wall to attend the trip with board members.

**MOTION TO PROCEED WITH PLANS TO ATTEND THE RACE WORKSHOP
DISCUSSION GROUP AT THE NATURAL SCIENCE MUSEUM IN RALEIGH**

Motion: Judy Bernhardt Second: Ann Hamze

Motion Passed

Discussion:

This exhibit travels to various cities. Once board members attend and find that it educational for the Greenville community, they may ask for the exhibit to come to Greenville. Christi Williamson will research providing city transportation for this trip. Ann Maxwell would like the Human Relations Council's City staff person to be involved with this endeavor.

7. 2017/2018 Strategic Work Plan Meeting

The Neighborhood Ombudsman, Christi Williamson will facilitate the 2017/2018 Strategic Work Plan Meeting. Christi emailed board members the neighborhood advisory board import session and responses from the district meetings. The goals for the 2017/2018 FY will be based the input session. If board members have additional information. They would like to add, please email Christi at cwilliamson@greenvillenc.gov or call @ 252.329.4228. A signup sheet is being provided tonight for the interest of those wanting to serve on various committees. A description of each committee will be included on the signup sheet. Goals and objectives will be set by committee members. Committees are asked to meet with` establish attainable goals, and add additional concerns based upon the handouts provided tonight. Each committee should meet prior to the August NAB meeting in accordance with the "Open Meetings Law" and be prepared to provide updates during the August NAB meeting. Members of an established neighborhood association may serve on the various committees. Members can be on more than one committee.

NAB Chair Betty Hines noted that NAB members are making a huge difference in the community and should keep this in mind as they establish their goals. The work of the committees will be observed by citizens recognizing the efforts of the NAB committees.

8. Announcements

MOTION TO cancel the July 2017 meeting

Motion: Ann Maxwell Second: Carolyn Glast

Motion Passed

- 2017/18 Chair and Vice Chair Elections September 21, 2017
- Love a Sea Turtle Organization has a goal to stencil all man holes within the City of Greenville to remind people what goes into the holes, goes into the river. There is a kit at public work with instructions for this project.
- Christi Williamson provided an announcement from Code Enforcement Officer AJ Basile that he has a program through his church to take care of yard work detail for the elderly or injured. He can be contacted through Christi Williamson.

9. ADJOURN

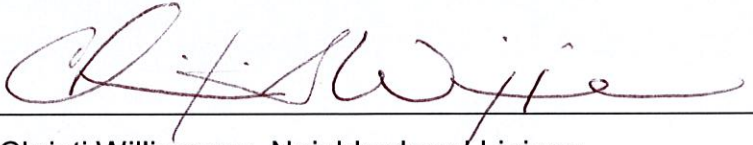
MOTION TO ADJOURN

Motion: Carolyn Glast Second: Ann Hamze

Motion Passed

Having no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:52PM.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Christi Williamson", written over a horizontal line.

Christi Williamson, Neighborhood Liaison

CW/gt