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WELCOME! HOUSEKEEPING AND MEETING CONDUCT

- Welcome to the general membership monthly meeting of the Grant Park Neighborhood Association (GPNA). The GPNA meets the third Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m. in the Coca-Cola World Studio of the Activity Resource Center (ARC) building in Zoo Atlanta. Enter through the C5 gate located at the southeast corner of the Cherokee Av. parking lots.
To be eligible to vote, you must attend one (1) GPNA meeting, register, be 18 years or older, and reside or work in a business located in the official boundaries of the Grant Park neighborhood. You are then eligible to vote from your second meeting forward as long as you remain a resident or business employee. All neighbors that are eligible to vote can also make motions or second them.
We loosely or informally follow Robert's Rules of Order for our proceedings in order to keep discussions moving along in the interest of valuing everyone's time.
Please DO NOT arbitrarily interject comments or questions aloud. Instead, please wait to be recognized of your entitlement to the floor before speaking to the membership. And then ask/make one, and only one, question/comment before allowing others to have a turn.
Please reserve your comments not directly related to the agenda items for Open Floor.
Please take all side conversations all the way into the lobby and close the doors behind you.
Please use the acronym sheet and neighborhood map provided on the lobby tables to follow along with the discussions.

CALL TO ORDER - 7:30 P.M.

OFFICER REPORTS

President

- Welcome and thanks again to Zoo Atlanta for the use of their space!
Please read/review the Housekeeping and Meeting Conduct points above.
Welcome to new members: Name, Street and profession; hobby; burning question?
Elected Officials SHORT Update (if any are present)
Historic Oakland Cemetery
Master Plan Survey - David Moore, Executive Director
Arts At Oakland - Besty Trope, Manager of Special Events
Tunes from the Tombs - Besty Trope, Manager of Special Events
Headband Bonanza 2016 5K race - Sunday, March 5, 2017 from 8:30 a.m. to ?
Grant Park Conservancy
Grant Park Parent Network Update - Amy Klenc, Community Outreach Chair
Grant Park Schools
Genesis Innovation Academy - Dr. Gavin Samms, Head of Schools
Trestle Tree Village Presentation - Marie Mower (MGPMower@yahoo.com, 404-434-6022)
2017 Proposed Budget

Vice-President

- Please check in. Please sign in if you're a new member.
Committee Sign-up Sheet; Committee Chair contact info on left

Secretary - November, December and January Minutes

Treasurer - GPNA is a 501(c)(3). All donations are tax deductible!

- Report of 2016 GPNA donations and accomplishments



COMMITTEE REPORTS

Public Safety

- Public officials/neighborhood update
 - ⚙ Zone 6 APD update
 - ⚙ Zone 6 Community Prosecutor: Keith Lamar, keith.lamar@fultoncountyga.gov, 404 612-7012
 - ⚙ Neighborhood Watch Update

Technology

- Sign up at gpna.org and follow us on Facebook (info below)
- Kroger Rewards & Amazon Smile

Economic Development

- Now in charge of Sunbursts
- Grant Park Gathering Coming Soon! – Location TBD

Fundraising

- Tour of Homes is May 20 and 21 this year
 - ⚙ Volunteers need to contact Michelle K. or Heidi Reis at TourOfHomes@GPNA.org
- Mothball 2017
 - ⚙ Volunteers need to contact Nikkia or Homer Hammonds at Mothball@GPNA.org

Homes & History

- Historic Design Regulation Rewrite Update
- New Certificates of Appropriateness (COAs)
- Tip of the Month

Land Use and Zoning (including Transportation and Transit)

- Update
- Atlanta Streets Alive, Sunday, April 23, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Philanthropic – No Report

NEW BUSINESS/OPEN FLOOR

Adjourn – 8:30pm

UPCOMING GPNA MEETINGS:

- Joint NPU-W & GPNA Public Safety Committees: Every Fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Village Church of East Atlanta
- Technology Committee: Every Fourth Tuesday, 8:00 p.m., 393 Ormond St.
- Land Use & Zoning (including Transit & Transportation) Committee: Every First Thursday, 7:00 p.m., Zoo Atlanta, ARC Building, Tech Lab
- Homes & History Committee: Every Third Monday, 7:00 p.m., Atlanta Preservation Center
- GPNA General Monthly Membership Meeting: Every Third Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., Zoo Atlanta, ARC Building, Coca-Cola World Studio

UPCOMING NPU-W MEETINGS (@VILLAGE CHURCH OF EAST ATLANTA)

- Joint NPU-W & GPNA Public Safety Committees: Every Fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Village Church of East Atlanta
- NPU-W Transportation Committee: Every Fourth Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Village Church of East Atlanta
- NPU-W General Meeting: Every Fourth Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Village Church of East Atlanta

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- When contacting police: Dial 911 FIRST; call the Zone 6 precinct second at 404.371.5002.
- To report City service related issues dial 311.
- Help fund Grant Park Security Patrol (GPSP) patrol hours: www.grantparksecuritypatrol.org
- Submit articles for publication in *The Porch Press* | Email Word format documents to gpeditor@theporchpress.com
- Sunburst for your home: \$75.00 | Purchase: www.gpna.org/sunburst
- Like us on Facebook (QR Code); Twitter @GrantParkGPNA
- Create account at www.gpna.org to receive neighborhood news and security alerts
- Local Business Directory: www.gpna.org/directory/partners