

November 22, 2022 TGHNA monthly meeting: via Zoom

7:16 Welcome

Greeting and intro from Jennifer Florida, 2022 TGHNA President. Intro of other Board members.

SLMPD Neighborhood Liaison's report : Officer Walker: Please continue to be cautious. We still have Catalytic Converter thefts and also license tag thefts. Get a \$10 Club to protect your car and also a #10 license plate cover. Be careful with your deliveries. More thefts during the holiday season. There will be overtime patrols during the holiday season as well. Light up the exterior of your home. Use motion lights and trim bushes and trees. Be careful while walking and at gas stations. Be aware of your surroundings.

Some arrests have been made with recent burglaries. The 2nd District police station is still under construction. Please email her with questions.

Question: Which number for phone? Answer: 0107

15th Ward Alderperson Megan Green's report: NA. No word on why she didn't attend.

Neighborhood Improvement Specialist: we have a new NIS. He is Christian Saller.

Guest Speaker: Ellen Wilson, TGH resident:

This is the 19th year that our neighborhood has been giving to the 100 Neediest cases. This year, the TGHNA Board selected two families; both with a lot of children. There will be a flyer distributed by the Block Captains and also an article in the Gazette.

To donate, make checks out to TGHNA or use PayPal on the TGHNA website. The drop-off date for gifts on Ellen's porch is December 16th. The annual wrapping party will be Saturday the 17th at 10 AM at Ellen's house. The presents will be dropped off on Monday, December 19th. Gustime Market has a collection jar and they will match the amount collected!

Question: Do you need wrapping materials?

Answer: Yes, drop them off at Ellen's house.

President's Report: Jennifer Florida: We plan to meet again in person beginning in January, 2023.

The Matt the Cat award is going to 38xx Juniata residents Carolyn Swift and Dani Brooke who closed off their block for Halloween and invited the whole neighborhood.

Heights Night in December: Sunday December 18th you are welcome to place luminarias on your block to light up our neighborhood! Then join your neighbors at the Blackthorn from 5 PM on.

The elections for Board members for 2023 are uncontested and nominations have been open since October. We had a request for a confidential vote but were not able to make it happen with existing technology.

Treasurer Report: Rick Stein: In October we spent \$338.85 on printing the Buzz Book, \$150 on Gazette layout, \$474.97 on cameras for our ongoing camera initiative, \$404 on renewing our P.O. Box, and \$12.45 on PayPal fees. We took in \$175 in membership dues, and \$0.04 in interest. Our net worth as of 10/31/22 was \$7,879.49.

Membership report: Jean Iezzi: There are 400 members.

Social Committee: Sharon Angle: We will have Heights Night at the Blackthorn on Sunday December 18, beginning at 5 PM and continuing til whenever. Drop in anytime. We still need a Social Committee Chair on Co-Chair for 2023! Please volunteer.

Block Captain report: Debra Knox Deierman: The BCs met again and brainstormed about the idea for the luminarias on December 18th.

Communication Committee: Debra Knox Deierman: We have 759 on Mail Chimp email. Good open rates.

Safety Committee Report: Erica Westbrooks: The alley light survey is complete. Our NIS will report it to the City. We will have the New Year's Eve Anti-gun Campaign again. We need volunteers to put door hangers on doors. The problem property in the 38xx block of Juniata is much improved. We are continuing with our camera program which was begun a few years ago by former TGHNA President Ryan Barry. Thanks to volunteer Adam Murray for installing our cameras. Next year we will begin a Convex Mirror program.

The Safety Committee meets every 2nd Monday of the month. All are welcome! We still need a Safety Committee Chair for next year!

Old Business: NA

New Business: 2023 TGHNA Executive Board Elections:

President Elect: nomination is Joyce Reese. Jennifer Florida moved to elect and the 2nd was Sharon Angle. There was a show of hands and Ayes. The motion is approved. Joyce Reese is President Elect for 2023.

Treasurer: Rick Stein: Jennifer Florida moved to elect and the 2nd was Sharon Angle. There was a show of hands and Ayes. The motion is approved. Rick Stein is Treasurer for 2023.

Recording Secretary: Sharon Angle: Jennifer Florida moved to elect and the 2nd was Rick Stein. There was a show of hands and Ayes. The motion is approved. Sharon Angle is Recording Secretary for 2023.

Membership Secretary: Jean Iezzi: Jennifer Florida moved to elect and the 2nd was Sharon Angle. There was a show of hands and Ayes. The motion is approved. Jean Iezzi is Membership Secretary for 2023.

Upcoming dates: next meeting is Tuesday January 24th at 7:15 PM in person.

Adjourn: 7:57 PM

Submitted by Sharon Angle