

Coronado Neighborhood Association

General Meeting Minutes

August 4, 2022 | 7:00 PM | Zoom and Incito Schools

Board Member Attendance:

- Becky Santiago, President
- Tina Hawkins, Vice President
- Kayla Clark, Treasurer
- Beth Johnson, Secretary
- Brian Johnson, Director
- Dan Clark, Director
- Kirsten Keane, Director
- Brandin Bear, Director

<p>Call to Order</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Membership<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ 552● Treasurer Report:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Checking – \$8,366.59○ Savings – \$56,329.64○ PayPal – \$880.04● Budget Overview (Treasurer):<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ No longer the community center rent - first full year without this expense○ Moving to a new online membership portal○ Block Watch Grant was awarded this year!<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ For Dispatch specifically; will use the funds to print it○ Not having Home Tour has placed us in a deficit so we're excited to have this happen again!○ Projected Expenses labeled Giving<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ We'll talk about this more in an upcoming meeting<ul style="list-style-type: none">● How you can request funds from the CNA to help the neighborhood● What types of programs/projects we want to fund○ We'll do quarterly check-ins to see how we're doing on our goal<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Ideally want to hit 90% but need to hit at least 70% of our goal
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Welcome Back to School Coffee Recap<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Free coffee for caregivers and teachers○ Great pop-up event and had a great turnout!○ We provided some shade tents and chairs
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Membership Dues Survey<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ We want your feedback!○ Sent out a week ago to CNA members○ Had about 60 responses so we're extending the 'response by date' by one more week
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Call for Dispatch Articles<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Received the Block Watch Grant for the Dispatch○ If you have an article or story to tell, let us know!○ Email President@thecoronadoneighborhood.com○ Would like to send out end of September<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Goes out twice/year
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Wild Apricot Updates<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ New online membership portal is in motion; we got our payment in!○ Member-based and will help track memberships easily

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ We can also link membership to events with a QR code○ Please be patient as we roll this out!○ Emails should go out in 2-4 weeks with login information○ PayPal is a recurring payment so you'll need to re-enter your payment information upon your next renewal<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ The CNA can take cash and input the paid membership manually as an alternative
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Community Events: Mark your calendars and spread the word!!<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Yardsale - Saturday, October 8th<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ We will collect your information if you'd like to participate and will send out a map■ Email President@thecoronadoneighborhood.com○ Halloween Bike Ride - Friday, October 28th○ Kickball - date TBD
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Guest: Ed Drummond - McDowell Miracle Mile Merchants Association (virtual)<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Member since 2014○ City of Phoenix has a grant study and will be asking for feedback<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Figure out how to make McDowell more walkable■ Covers 7th Street to the 51○ Previous ask was to reduce width which was too big of an ask○ Development is starting to pop<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Old Sears building renovation○ Now is the time to give feedback on what we want to see!<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Ed is asking what the community wants to see happen; wants our voices to be heard■ Someone in our community said they would rather take Thomas versus McDowell due to poor lighting - the City needs to know this!○ Meeting with the City is the last week of August - hopes to have an update by our next CNA meeting (in September)● Any Questions?<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Where can we find out more info?<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ The City of Phoenix has a link on their website but will send it to Becky so she can distribute○ Are you looking for neighbor feedback?<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ From a business standpoint, what would look good (more trees, lights), or do you know a merchant that would do great there?■ What would you like to see more of that would bring you to that area?○ Recommendations:<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Bike racks, lots of shade● Becky will send info to our members if he can't join our next meeting
<p>GUEST: Kesha Hodge; Running for Phoenix City Council - District 8; November 8th ballot</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Former Assistant Attorney General● Wants to get homeless people off the street and into decent housing with access to needed services● Wants more police officers to meet demands of our growing city● Wants to keep Phoenix affordable by bringing in more housing options and higher-wage jobs● Any comments/concerns, she wants to hear from us!<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Email Kesha@keshaforphoenix.com

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- Open Discussion:
 - WayneFest - Date TBD, likely in November
 - Joey: Wants to plan an NEV (Neighborhood Electric Vehicles) Rally
 - Date TBD, preferably Saturday daytime
 - Once it's nice when nothing major isn't happening
 - Scavenger Hunt, Parade
 - Will need to talk to the City
 - Interested in feedback, can the CNA help support
 - Doesn't want to make money but doesn't want to lose money
 - No Cars

Meeting Closed