

TLNA Annual Membership Meeting December 10, 2020 at 7:00 PM on Zoom

Present: Tyler Lark, Michael Donnelly, Patty Prime, Marta Staple, Pat Kelly, Meghan Conlin, Maddie Kasper, Ann Sullivan, Nick Crowley, Bob Klebba, Johnny Hunter, Richard Linster, David Staple, Alexa, Stefan Davis, Peter Beeson, Patrick Heck, Tim Stumm, Eleanor Stumm, Nick and Cheryl Balazs, Paul and Shelby, Eric Grodsky, Rose Staden, David Waugh, Anthonny Brylski, Janet Reschke, Shelby Ellison, Bret Schluederberg

Agenda

Welcome and Introductions

Approval of agenda

Richard Linster makes a motion to approve.
Meghan seconds.
Motion passes in unanimous vote.

Chair reports on 2020

- Meghan (development) - 12 N. Few St. development: steering committee meeting on December 12.
- Marta (events) - A lot of great new event ideas and returning events that didn't happen this year. Hoping that by summer we can hold some events. Hoping for Party in the Park in June. Hopefully Taste of Tenney will happen in the fall.
- Bob (transportation) - Last year we did a neighborhood-wide review of traffic calming priorities. A few traffic calming issues around Lapham school, which have temporarily been addressed by the construction and COVID. Pedestrian, speed limit etc on E. Wash. Still reviewing changes on E. Mifflin.
- Pat (parks) - Expanding edible food project at Reynolds park. A few new trees planted by the parks dept. Dogs are now allowed in most parks. James Madison gardens maintained. Tenney Park - Operation Fresh Start did some maintenance work, including removing plants around the building at Tenney designed by architect George Farley. Hoping to refurbish the building next year.
- Maddie (secretary) - Reminds people that we have t-shirts!
- Patty (communication/membership) - Online renewing this year helps us to keep up our memberships. Went from 4 newsletters to 3.
- Tyler (vice president) - Ash trees will be up for adoption again this spring or summer. Will need to decide whether we want to continue funding this effort.
- Jonny (president) - New restaurant on Johnson and Blount.

Nominations for the TLNA 2021 council

President: Jonny Hunter
Vice President: Tyler Lark
Secretary: Maddie Kasper
Treasurer: Nick Crowley
Development: Meghan Conlin
Housing and Newsletter: Keith Wessel
Communication: Stefan Davis
Events: Marta Staple
Parks: Pat Kelly
Transportation Safety: Bob Klebba
Mutual Aid Coordinator: Julia Levine
Area Rep: Rose Staden
Area Rep: Evelyn Atkinson
Area Rep: Michael Donnelly
Area Rep: Ann Sullivan

Jonny offers a few words, thanking outgoing council and welcoming the nominated members.

No nominations from the floor

Michael makes a motion to approve the slate of candidates.

Pat Kelly seconds

Motion passes in unanimous vote.

Elected official Alder Patrick Heck report

Patrick - Thanks council about the work they do, such as for parks, traffic safety.

- December 7 - Alcohol licence application for new business on Johnson St.
- Bike boulevard - People are interested in making the shared streets program more permanent. It is TBD as to what can happen and when it can happen. BRT plan is throwing a wrench into things because currently Metro is proposing disallowing all left turns into the neighborhood from Paterson and Baldwin (stations might go in the middle of e wash). Doesn't have to be done but that is what they are thinking about. Just starting to talk to the city about it. Banning left turns at Paterson would result in people turning at other intersections instead. Might change thinking regarding barriers on E. Mifflin. Blair, Paterson and Baldwin.
- Tenney - Filter will be installed next summer. Could keep beaches open at all times.

Jonny notes that Patrick has been a great source of information for the council.

Jonny thanks everyone for participating in the meeting.

Adjourn

Pat moves to adjourn.

Michael seconds.