

# Clifton Heights Neighborhood Association Minutes (CHNA)

## July 22, 2019

The meeting was called to order by President Ed Niethe. Present were Vice President Steve Cavin, Debbie Layne Treasurer, and Sue Van Rees Secretary.

**Treasurer's report:** Beginning **\$2666.50**: \$137.50 postage, ending balance **\$2529.00**.

**Public Officials:** The city budget was passed. Overtime pay for police officers was a big issue. Money was allocated for the "**Cure Violence Program**" a national program to attack violence using a holistic approach. A **Criminal Justice Coordinating Council** has been created to assist this process. Lobbyist are now off the floor during board meetings but citizens can sit in the gallery without special permission. Construction has started on the **Nature Playscape** in Forest Park. Discussion is underway for developing zoning for the installation of medical marijuana dispensaries.

**Old Business-** A cease and desist order has been sent to the landlord concerning the problems on Bennet Ct.

Shredder-It will be here on Sept. 12<sup>th</sup> between 6&7pm. They will be in Clifton Park. Bring no more than 5 Boxes and no magazines, just paper.

**New Business:** We will celebrate **National Night Out** on August 6, 2019 from 5:30 to 8:30 in Clifton Park. Neighbor Greg Nelson is leading this effort. The association donated \$75.00.

**Clifton Park Lake** is being drained to fix a sewer line underneath. Benches are also being replaced. Neighbors asked if they can be part of decisions on the park.

**Upcoming events: Party in the Park on Sept. 28<sup>th</sup>** help wanted. Please let any board member know if you have ideas for who should be approached for auction donations.

**July 23<sup>rd</sup>- 2<sup>nd</sup>** District meeting with Captain Deeba.

**August 6- National Night Out** (for Clifton Heights anyway)

**August 17<sup>th</sup>** -Am Vets bar b que fund raiser starting at noon. The golf cart raffle continues.

**September 12<sup>th</sup> -6pm to 7pm shredding event.**

**October 12<sup>th</sup>- Movie Night** – Feature TBA

**Neighborhood Yard Sale - October19.**

**For the Good of the Neighborhood:** Flyers are available for the **Martha Rybinski Scholarship**. The recipient can be the child or grandchild of a neighborhood resident and can be used for college or technical school. Submissions are open from July 1 to Sept. 11. 2019.

**Next Meeting- August 26, 2019 at 7pm at Mason School**