



# HCPNA Board Meeting

November 7, 2007

## Historic College Park Neighborhood Association Board Meeting Tom Fulkerson's home

*Board members present:* Tom Fulkerson, Robert Golden, Leslie Haskin, Noel Mayeske, Eileen Murphy, Phyllis Ray, Jane Randolph

*Board members present:* Terry Lawler

1. Tom reported he'd paid \$580 recently for HCPNA's insurance premium. He will be reimbursed by HCPNA for that.
2. At the 11/13/07 HCPNA meeting, Starlite Cantina will provide food.
3. 12/2/07 – HCPNA Holiday Party, 6:00-8:00 p.m. at Feed Store. Last year we spent about \$1,300 at the Manchester Arms party.
4. There'll be no HCPNA mtg in December, but there'll be a board mtg Wed. Dec. 5.
5. Jennifer Cardinelli will talk about the College Park PTA at the next HCPNA mtg.
6. *Dogwoods & Sidewalks* is expected to go out in December. We should use this as the vehicle to seek membership renewals.
7. Eileen and Tom have both recently updated HCPNA calling post information.
8. College Park LCI study – Tom attended a mtg for it recently. Jane said College Park had been involved in streetscape improvements along Main Street, but that got canceled when East Point backed out.
9. Jane talked about the Main Street Subway owner holding up a streetscape improvement program in that area because he's unwilling to give up a parking spot for the improvements. She suggested us doing a letter-writing campaign to the building owner to help convince him to give up the parking space. Maybe pressure the franchisee as well.
10. Eileen discussed membership and budgeting. How many members do we need to be able to pay expenditures? Robert – or, how many expenditures can we have with the income we have? Eileen – we have about 200 members if everyone renews. Tom – next year, we need to have more food and make more money at the Arts Festival. Leslie – let's put a small notice in *Dogwoods & Sidewalks* saying advertising is available, as a way to bring in funds. Tom – the recent jazz concert in Barrett Park wasn't well-attended, and should probably be eliminated next year unless it's tied in with something else.

11. Eileen discussed her and Leslie reaching out to Woodward families in the neighborhood to get them involved in HCPNA.
12. Discussion ensued about creating block captains for HCPNA, to help canvas the neighborhood for new members.
13. Tom – the Trees Atlanta planting this year was very successful, maybe we should do it again next year? Or if the drought continues, it may not be practical to do it.

Submitted 11/11/07 by Noel Mayeske, secretary.