

APPROVED
Village of Wesley Chapel
Safety Committee Minutes

June 12, 2012

Meeting Location: Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church
120 Potter Road
Wesley Chapel, North Carolina 28110

Attendance: Carol Mullis, Becky Plyler, Jim Dale, Hank Pressley and Tess Morris

Absent: Chauncey Bowers, Marty Kohlmeier, Karl Schneeberger

Guests: Deputy AJ Mainero, Scouts Harris and Wells Bringforth, Councilman Howard Brotton

Minutes:

1. With a quorum present, the meeting was called to order at 7:05pm.
2. Minutes from the April 10, 2012 were approved.
3. Committee Members
 - a) Nothing new to report.
4. National Night Out Follow-Up
 - a) Donations need to be made and in by July 15th.
 - b) Deputy Mainero advised that the Explorer group will be attending and will set up their table.
 - c) Deputy Mainero was also asked to give a short speech about safety and he advised that he might also bring the Bike Rodeo.
 - d) Registration and rewards were denied because the fee was not sent to the National Night Out organization in order to renew for Wesley Chapel. Becky will check to see why this was not done and will follow-up to ensure the check is sent to the NNO organization.
5. Special Project Discussions - Contract Deputy
 - a) Deputy Mainero presented a compiled crime report that was discussed at length. The report that was presented is not available thru the Union County Sheriff's website.
 - b) AJ advised he will be very happy to work with the Safety Committee and the council in order to compile any information we require/request.

6. Special Projects Discussion - Gun Ordinances
 - a) Deputy Mainero was asked about reported incidents pertaining to gun ordinances. He has responded to a few calls regarding target shooting and shots being fired in some areas. His suggestion is to review the ordinances penned by Waxhaw, Weddington and Mineral Springs for comparison with that of Wesley Chapel.
 - b) Councilman Howard Brotton spoke with the Committee about the gun ordinance and asked that we look further into the matter because he has received comments from residents of Wesley Chapel.
 - c) Councilman Brotton also commented that our gun ordinance may need some revisions and he suggested that we look into a National Rifle Association program grant for availability. Councilwoman Becky Plyler informed all that she already has free material that was made available thru the NRA and same was distributed at National Night Out.

7. Special Projects Discussion - Dogwood Acres Park
 - a) Councilman Brotton was questioned regarding the role of the employee at Dogwood Acres Park. The employee will only be for maintenance, not security.

8. Safety Committee Charter
 - a) The Safety Committee Charter was sent to Council on June 11, 2012 for approval.

9. New Business
 - a) A traffic study is still under investigation for the intersection of Antioch Church Road and Weddington Road/Highway 84.
 - b) Property for EMS. Discussed again the feasibility of the property behind Lowe's Foods. Tess will reach out to Scott Shew and Carol Mullis will reach out to Jerry Simpson to facilitate a meeting with Scott. It was mentioned that we will need the building dimensions and information on the needed resources before we can move forward.
 - c) The Committee agreed that due to scheduling conflicts the next meeting will be changed from July 10, 2012 to July 16, 2012.

10. The next meeting will be July 16, 2012 at 7:00pm at Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church.

11. Meeting adjourned at 9:05pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Carol Mullis
Fill-in Recording Secretary

Respectfully Submitted after Reformatting and Rescinding,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Karl R. Schneeberger", followed by a horizontal line extending to the right.

Karl R. Schneeberger
Recording Secretary