

APPROVED
Village of Wesley Chapel
Safety Committee Minutes

June 5, 2013

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

Attendance: Marty Kohlmeier, Becky Plyler, Jim Dale, Tess Morris and Chauncey Bowers

Absent: Carol Mullis, Hank Pressley and Karl Schneeberger

Guests: None

Minutes:

1. With a quorum present, the meeting was called to order at 7:09pm by Tess Morris. The meeting agenda was adjusted to accommodate AJ's schedule which accounts for the slight change in the format of these minutes.
2. Minutes from the April 3, 2013 meeting were reviewed.
 - a. Chauncey raised a question about comments in the April 3rd minutes (2F) regarding response times of emergency services due to a reduction in force. Tess explained that the comment was attributed to AJ Maneiro's discussion about retirements and new [personnel in the Sheriff's department.
 - b. A motion was made by Jim Dale to approve the May 1st minutes and seconded by Chauncey, noting the correction that Jim Dale was in attendance and Chauncey Bowers absent.
3. National Night Out (NNO)
 - a. Becky reported that the fire department function at NNO will be the same as last year. They have donated the tables and chairs; help will be needed to unload/load the items. The fire department will be doing the stop, drop and roll presentation.
 - b. Becky also reported that she contacted the new McDonald's manager about their participation. The manager agreed to meet with Becky the first of August to discuss. The manager explained that she was overwhelmed by the number of requests from other organizations in the community.
 - c. Tess asked Marty about his contacts with Petsmart and the bicycle shop. Marty reported that he made contact with the Petsmart manager on May

6th and explained NNO to him. James replied that he would look into it and get back with him. Nothing further has been heard. Contact was made with the bicycle shop owner on May 7th. He also said he would be in touch but no response has been received to date.

- d. Tess reported that she has been trying to arrange a meeting with John, Target's new Loss Prevention Manager. She will continue her efforts.
- e. Tess advised that we are currently not registered for NNO. She will complete the registration form and submit it.
- f. Tess submitted a letter of the NNO agenda to the NNO organization.
- g. Becky volunteered to contact AJ about child identification kits, talk to Sheriff Cathy and have the placards engraved.
- h. The Committee agreed to purchase pencils and tattoos to hand out during the NNO event.
- i. Tess confirmed the participation of the ice cream vendor
- j. Tess recommended inviting the Parks and Town Hall committees as well as the Youth organization for participation. Becky is going to follow up.
- k. Butch Plyler will need help transporting and handling 50 chairs and 20 tables. Jim volunteered and it was also noted that there will be plenty of other help.
- l. Marty advised that he will not be able to attend NNO; Fran is joining him so we are down one face painter. Jim will speak with his wife and mother-in-law to assist.

4. Contract Deputy

- a. AJ did not attend the meeting. He was to provide the Committee with a more precise accounting of his time spent handling incidents at local businesses. Becky will attempt to get the necessary statistics.
- b. Becky reported that groups of youths are still congregating at local businesses, particularly the Target parking lot and McDonald's.
- c. Chauncey also brought up that the Committee should ask for information on the amount of time AJ spends on calls outside of Wesley Chapel.
- d. A question was raised about AJ attending the Safety Committee meetings while on duty. Consensus of members was that he should be able to attend. The policy, however, is not known.

5. New Business

- a. Tess asked Marty about NC DOT contact about the 35mph speed limit in Wesley Chapel. Sean Epperson of the Albemarle office has made it very clear that the current speed limits conform to NC DOT standards and is adamant about not making any further changes in the area of Highway 84 and Waxhaw Indian Trail Road. This despite Weddington, Waxhaw, Marvin, Indian Trail and Stallings having significant stretches of road ways with 35 mph limits.
- b. The 2013 regularly scheduled Safety Committee meetings are currently scheduled to be held July 10, 2013; September 11, 2013 and November

6, 2013. All will start at 7:00pm and are currently scheduled to be conducted at Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church.

6. The next meeting will be July 10, 2013 at 7:00pm at Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church.
7. Motion to adjourn made by Marty Kohlmeier at 8:25pm and seconded by Jim Dale.

Respectfully Submitted,

Karl Schneeberger
Recording Secretary
As Transcribed from Marty Kohlmeier's Notes