

WCA July 15, 2004 minutes

Opening thanks from our president to those whom helped with production and delivery of the newsletter. Also a special thanks to Lynda Adamson for updating the WCA Directory.

Election timing

Elections will be held in April for all offices according to the WCA Constitution and By-Laws. Nominations will be taken at the January 2005 meeting.

Neighborhood Conservation Plan update from Amy Millen

Arlington Co. adopted the Urban Forest Master Plan. The plan is used for planting and maintaining of trees.

Neighborhood Conservation plan may need to be updated. Funding is available for items in the plan.

Amy asked for volunteers to be considered for an Alternate to the Conservation Plan Committee. This would need to be an elected position.

There was a consensus to have a Labor Day picnic.

Announcements

- 1) The County approved an initiative to add 5 new traffic light intersections. One million dollars is available for these projects. Nominations from neighborhood associations are due by Sept. 30, 2004.
- 2) Arlingtonians for a clean environment are having a free seminar at Gulf Branch Nature Center July 17, 2004
- 3) A plan was presented that has delegates and alternates to the Civic Federation sharing attendance of the meetings and monitoring the individual committees of the Federation.
- 4) Tickets for a raffle by Arlington Heritage Alliance to purchase a cannon for Fort CF Smith were passed out.
- 5) Zoning for 2825 Lorcum. A hearing was held July 13, 2004 requesting more building on a previous variance. Thirty-four neighbors signed a petition against the variance. WCA voted to support the opposition. The decision of the Co. is not known at this time.
- 6) There was a concern that the speed bumps on 24th Street were not slowing the traffic sufficiently. A request was made to see if bigger or more bumps could be added.

Meeting Adjourned