



Minutes

February 11, 2025

President Shirley Leonard called the meeting to order at 7:05 P.M. The meeting was opened with a prayer by Mr. Miles Richardson. The January 14, 2025 minutes were read, motion to approve (Ms. Scurlock seconded by Mr. Richardson and approved as presented.

Ms. Spates provided the Treasurer's Report for January 2025. The January 2025 Registry balance trend was decreased by – 39.70 % from January 2024. The treasurer's report was approved, after a motion by Mrs. Scurlock and seconded by Mrs. Hornsby.

Guests/ New Members

None

Old Business

Update on the South Houston Concerned Citizens Annual Awards Banquet. The Banquet took place on January 25, 2025. It was a success and well attended by individuals representing the various community members and local, state and U. S. representatives. The speaker for the event was former police chief Troy Finner. Awards were given to for individual and community works.

Civic Club Meetings for 2025

There is not an update from the HPD for the availability of the HPD meeting room for the civic club meetings. S. Leonard will check for this prior to the April meeting.

Newsletter Copying. President Leonard informed the group that she made 350 copies of the newsletter at a cost of \$ 99.16. To save on cost the newsletter was again reproduced in black and white instead of in color. By next month maybe we can ask Ms. Bey to resume copying our newsletter.

Membership Drive.

The members discussed the possibility of having the Fish Fry as a membership fund raiser this Spring. Mr. Wright agreed to Check with Brentwood Church regarding the feasibility.



Volunteers will be needed to cook the fish and duties related Potential volunteers include Mr. Davenport. Richardson, Mr. Green, Mr. Lockett, Mr. Charles Reed, Mr. Davenport. Other civic club members will be needed to get supplies such as the oil, the fish, the containers, the drinks, clean up print tickets, order forms, and handle the money (Mr. Castex). The date being considered is a Friday later in April (after Easter or after Mother's Day in May). Second membership effort will be the walk the neighborhood membership drive. Plans can be to do this later after the Fish Fry.

New structure at 4827 Lotus.

The structure work continues . No new report.

Issues from the Floor/ Announcements:

Three houses in the neighborhood were selected as winners for the Christmas yard decoration winners. Pres Leonard will purchase the gift cards. Mr. Richardson will distribute them to the winners.

Several advertising yard signs still exist through the neighborhood. S. Leonard to send letters by postal to the addresses where the signs are.

A concern for the presence of the cab from an 18-wheeler on Trail Lake was discussed. No new action was identified.

2 recent deaths in our neighborhood were noted. Sympathy cards will be sent .

Action Items:

- (1) Gift cards- S. Leonard/ Mr. M. Richardson
- (2) Send yard sign restrictions letters- S. Leonard

A motion was made by Mrs. R. Castex and seconded by Ms. L. Scurlock to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 PM

Attendees: Roland Castex, Donald Davenport, Shanda Franks, Lydia Hornsby, Shirley Leonard, , Daniel Lockett, Miles Richardson, Linda Scurlock, Portia Truesdale, and Al Wright.

Minutes recorded by Shirley Leonard