

*"Your link to a better neighborhood"*

Clearwater

Neighborhoods

Coalition

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# NEWSLETTER

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## **Next Clearwater Neighborhoods Coalition Meeting**

Tuesday—February 6, 2007

7:00 PM

Long Center—UPARC Cafeteria

1501 Belcher Road—Clearwater

### **Guest Speaker**

**Frank Hibbard—Mayor—City of Clearwater**

**Downtown Boat Slip Referendum**



### Agenda

- Minutes & Correspondence
- Treasurer's report
- Old Business
- New Business
- Committee Reports

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We will be back to our regular first Monday of the Month meetings starting on March 5th. The speaker for that meeting will be Chuck Warrington from the Clearwater Gas Department. Also speaking will be Todd Peterie on why it makes sense to remove the exemption from the Reclaimed Water Ordinance.

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*Your attendance at the Coalition meetings are very important.  
We need to hear your concerns and ways in which you have found  
solutions to your neighborhood issues.*

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## **Minutes of January 9, 2007**

Meeting called to order 7:10 PM

### Correspondence:

Pinellas Living Green (a group formed from our sister organization in St. Pete) asked us to participate in their Living Green Expo. Ric Ortega volunteered to go to their next meeting and come back with a report for us to determine if we want to participate in the Expo this Spring.

Treasurer's report approved.

### Conference-The Insurance Crisis- How we got there, and where we are going!

Discussion of where to hold the seminar.

Facilities suggested were

St. Pete College

Clearwater Christian College

Clearwater High School

Main Library

Doug Williams to check and see which ones are available on April 28th and the cost if any.

Clearwater Gas and Progress Energy have given verbal commitments to be sponsors.

Conference Committee contacting possible speakers.

February meeting to be held Tues. Feb. 6th- Mayor Hibbard will discuss the Boats Slips issue Downtown.

Joe asked the question what does CNC want to accomplish this coming year and what direction are we going, what issues do we want to discuss. Some issues suggested were reclaimed water, and Policing issues on the new East West Trail. It was also suggested that once a quarter a workshop be held, on issues. Make it a venue for engagement and dialogues with city departments on pertinent issues.

It was suggested at the March meeting we have a speaker from the City to discuss the Reclaimed Water issue of removing the exemption for well owners from being charged for reclaimed water.


Meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm

### THE PURPOSE OF THE COALITION

The Clearwater Neighborhoods Coalition has been part of the community since 1981, and its ongoing purpose is to provide a forum for neighborhood associations to voice their concerns about neighborhood issues and to use our combined resources to address those issues effectively.

Issues may include:

- Code enforcement
- Traffic Calming
- Short Term Rentals
- Street Lights and Signs
- No Solicitation Ordinance
- Crime



#### Change in Association Officers

Please forward names of current officers for your association to JoAnna Siskin, Secretary at [siskinj@aol.com](mailto:siskinj@aol.com).

Use the form below.

#### Dues Reminder:

Please use the form below to remit your dues and to update current association officers.

Association Name \_\_\_\_\_ #homes/condos \_\_\_\_\_

Association Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

President \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

CNC Rep. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Rep. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail contact \_\_\_\_\_ Fax # \_\_\_\_\_

Annual dues: Individual—\$25; up to 25 homeowners—\$25  
more than 25 homeowners—\$40  
Payable to CNC, P.O. Box 8204, Clearwater, FL 33758



### Home and Neighborhood of the Quarter

Does your home or neighborhood qualify for the honor?

Contact Becky Melendez, Manager of Neighborhood Services at 562-4585 to obtain information.

### Homes of the Quarter (Winter 2006-2007)

- 10 N. Lake Ave.—Ed and Linda Clark
- 1626 Cleveland Street—James Ponticelli
- 1637 Cleveland Street—James Strickland and Elizabeth Cruickshank
- 2472 Burnice Drive—Michael Sobota

### Neighborhood of the Quarter (Winter 2006-2007)

- Harbor Oaks

Please send comments, opinions, suggestions regarding the Clearwater Neighborhoods Coalition to any of the officers listed below.

Your input is important to having a consensus on issues and solutions.

### Contact Us

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