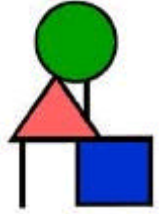


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AGENDA April 5, 2004
PROGRAM Tax Watch Budget Review
 featuring John Doran and a cast
 of thousands \$\$\$
 Neighborhoods Conference Revisited
 Was the sequel as good as the original?
 Can the third installment be even better?



Learning how to "pass the buck" at Neighborhoods Conference



By golly, it is easier to identify problems than it is to solve them. Mr. Bates is right!



Conference attendees agonize over "Problem Identification" as relates to menu choices (Hot dog, hamburger, or both?)



CNC MAN , SUPERHERO!

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Our May meeting will be devoted to Neighborhood Issues. Bring your issues & problems to CNC to discuss and ACT ON, before it's too late.

We want CNC Man to be your first and foremost resource for neighborhood issues.

When & Where CNC meeting
Monday, April 5, 2004 7:00 P.M.
 Long Center Boardroom—Upstairs
 1501 Belcher Road ——Clearwater

MINUTES OF MARCH 1, 2004 MEETING

*Have your directors
names or addresses
changed?*

*Notify Rich
Glasgow (791-
9317) to ensure that
you promptly receive
this newsletter.*

*Ever think about nominating
your neighborhood for the
Neighborhood of the Quar-
ter?*

*E--mail or call Janis Smith
at 562-4665*

*Doesn't your neighborhood
deserve the recognition?*

1. President Doug Williams called the meeting to order and introduced guests.
2. Commissioner Bill Jonson mentioned the Commission meeting this week and spoke briefly on the enforcement of the 30-day rental ordinance to be discussed.
3. Minutes of the February 2, 2004 meeting were approved as published.
4. John Doran, Treasurer, gave his report. Our 2/29/04 total assets are \$ 3,091.14, with \$ 1,777.88 designated to the Conference fund.
5. **OLD BUSINESS**
The Election Forum at Morningside Recreation Center is Wednesday, March 3, at 7 P.M. Charter proposals are also to be discussed.
Conference report 47 evaluation forms were received, with most areas evaluated as very good or better. Presenters were rated the best, with the Police Community Response Team, panel discussion, and morning session rated in that order. Future conferences were suggested to address neighborhood problems, Code enforcement, and traffic involvement.
Discussion on future conference ideas expressed a desire to eliminate the CRT and problem identification area and possibly model towards the Lakeland areas neighborhood involvement ideas. Possible sites to hold a future conference were discussed and included the Ross Norton complex, Harborview Center, SPJC, CCC and Clearwater High School.
May 14, 2005 was designated as a tentative conference date.
Sandy expressed a need for help with agenda, location and sponsors and several volunteered their services for the Conference Committee.
6. **NEW BUSINESS**
Bill Jonson spoke regarding designation of the Courtney Campbell Causeway for a scenic highway. We endorsed this endeavor in 2000, and now that the eligibility has been approved, a new management plan is needed. This will not cost the City anything. ***Elizabeth France made a motion to reaffirm our support for the Courtney Campbell Causeway scenic highway designation effort. Lucile Casey seconded the motion, which passed.***
We were notified of the CHIP (Community Homeless Intervention Project) Gala in October chaired by Mrs. Brian Aungst. She is looking for volunteers to help organize this fundraising event to benefit the homeless.
7. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**
Neighborhood Services (Jan Smith) They have a new staff member, Curt, who was at our Conference. Grant applications for the current year are available on the City website myClearwater.com. Workshops are being held this month, prior to the April 19 application deadline, with the last workshop on April 8th. March 29 is the start of Neighborhoods Week, with Neighborhoods Day and block parties on April 3.

Tax Watch (John Doran) No report.
Membership (Rich Glasgow) Call lists were passed out to members attending for placing calls prior to the April meeting, to encourage attendance and update our contact information. John Doran noted that for those listed as paid on the Treasurer's report, we already have the current information. Rich is still trying to get the current City's neighborhood contact list from Neighborhood Services.
Chamber (Doug Williams) PSTA will connect to Clearwater Beach over the new bridge. Chamber is looking to fill a position manning their front desk (\$ 7 per hour)
Upcoming events--St Patrick's Day and Paint Your Heart Out.

April 1, 2004 Minutes continued

Government Liaison (Lucile Casey) Lucile encourages all of us to find out who our representatives are in local, state and federal government. Bill Jonson spoke briefly on the State passing on court costs to the City and the trust fund for affordable housing.

City Code Bill Jonson advised us that the proposed changes in regulations for signs has not been finalized.

8. Announcements Skycrest is having a garden stroll on Saturday morning May 1. The cost is \$ 5.00 to attend.

9. Meeting adjourned. 8:35 P.M.

Respectfully submitted, Rich Glasgow, Secretary

CNC Membership Application

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 contact _____

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

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THE PURPOSE OF THE COALITION AS STATED IN OUR BY-LAWS

- A. To provide a forum to gather and exchange information concerning common and unique goals and problems of member associations, and to use the combined strength to achieve mutually agreed objectives.
- B. To promote desirable development in association areas and to support civic and legislative efforts to effect such development.
- C. To assist public authority in policing and maintaining proper behavior within member association areas.
- D. To monitor and make recommendations on governmental services to member association areas.
- E. To engage in such other activities as may be of benefit to the associations which comprise this COALITION.

How Do You Contact Us?

Coalition Officers 2004
 Doug Williams President 725-3345
 Bill Murray Vice Pres. 531-0667
 Rich Glasgow Secretary 791-9317
 John Doran Treasurer 447-9570

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Membership	Rich Glasgow	791-9317
Tax Watch	John Doran	447-9570
Chamber	Doug Williams	725-3345
Gov. Liaison	Lucile Casey	726-5279
Environment	Norma Carlough	443-3630
City Code	Dave Campbell	725-1276
Publicity/PR	Jim Goins	442-6689
Communications/Webmaster	Dave Campbell	725-1276



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