

**North Shoal Creek Neighborhood Association  
General Membership Meeting  
May 3, 2011  
Pillow Elementary School**

NSCNA President, Chip Rosenthal, called the meeting to order at 6:36 pm.

Motion to adopt the agenda made by Thomas Rodriguez; seconded and adopted by consent.

Speaker was Special Police Officer, Billy Simoneaux of the Austin Police Department. He is our neighborhood's new APD District Representative and can be contacted at 512-974-5598.

Our neighborhood is in Region 2 Adam District:

- Crime is low in our neighborhood although there are some traffic occurrences.
- Crime often increases in the summer. Here are a few tips:
  - Lock your car and keep it free of visible items
  - Get to know your neighbors
  - Keep your bushes trimmed and your gates locked
- CrimeViewer on the APD website will allow you to check the crime in our area. <http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/police/crimeinformation.htm>
- CopLogic is a new program that allows you to file reports online. It's on the APD website. <http://www.cityofaustin.org/police/reporting/default.htm>

You may call or e-mail Billy Simoneaux directly with general neighborhood issues but call 911 or 311 for emergencies or suspicious occurrences.

Motion to approve the March 1, 2011 General Meeting Minutes made by Dallas Maham. Seconded. Approved by consent.

### **President's Report**

- There will be no meeting in July due to the Fourth of July parade.
- At our General Meeting in September, a Nominating Committee will be elected to make recommendations for the 2012 Board.
- On Thursday April 28, between 6:30pm and 6:30am, approximately 16-20 NSCNA yard signs were removed. A theft report has been filed with the police. If you have any information, please let Chip or another Board member know.

### **Committee Reports**

#### **Traffic Committee:**

Jon Menegay, the Traffic Chair, is currently working on the NPP sidewalk project. The committee needs to make a recommendation for sidewalk repair locations. There is a Traffic Committee meeting on May 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm at Jon's house, 8009 Rockwood, to discuss the locations for final sidewalk repairs and traffic calming issues.

Another project being monitored by the Committee is the bicycle lane project at 360 and 183. A 12 foot sidewalk is being built to ease bicycle access from Jollyville to our side of MoPac.

Scott, a neighbor on Rockwood, emailed the Transportation Department with the City and arranged for “No Truck” signs at Anderson & Rockwood and Burnet & Rockwood.

**Beautification Committee:**

NSCNA received an Urban Forest Grant from the City. An arborist was hired to identify dead trees for removal and prospective locations for new trees to be planted. A final report from the arborist should be completed by May 7<sup>th</sup>. The Committee will request the arborist come to the next Beautification Committee meeting to present the information for discussion.

**Social Committee:**

Amelia Cobb, Chair of the Social Committee, announced that the NSCNA Annual Garage Sale will be held on Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup> from 8:00am to 1:00pm. Please email Amelia for more information or to volunteer.

The next Social Committee Meeting is on Thursday, May 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm at Amelia’s house, 2808A Thrushwood. The garage sale, July 4<sup>th</sup> parade and upcoming fall activities will be discussed.

A motion was made by Dallas Maham to adjourn the meeting. At 7:40 the meeting was adjourned by consent of the members.

Submitted by Cheri Hartman (filling in for Donna Eagar, Secretary)

Approved at NSCNA General Membership Meeting on September 6, 2011