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| <p>MINUTES OF THE FOREST HILL NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION MEETING 21 Jan 2025</p> | <p>Held at the Forest Hill Presbyterian Church 4401 Forest Hill Avenue, Richmond, Virginia</p> <hr/> <p>Minutes written by Stan Wisseman</p> |
| <p>MINUTES</p> <p>“... the minutes should contain mainly a record of what was done at the meeting, not what was said by the members.”</p> <p>p. 468, Robert’s Rules of Order, Newly Revised, 11th Edition</p> | <p>Call to Order President Somerville called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.</p> <p>Reports and Updates</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Richmond Police Department Report Lieutenant Cindy Marlow, representing Lieutenant Warren Andorfer of the 3rd Precinct, presented a report comparing year-over-year crime rates and data from the past 28 days. Assistant Commonwealth’s Attorney Update Elizabeth Linka reintroduced herself, provided an update on crime prosecutions in the city, and offered to speak at future FHNA meetings. 4th District Update Sarah Abubaker, City Council representative, shared updates for the 4th District. She announced the first district meeting will take place on February 5 at Abacus (6782 Forest Hill Avenue) from 6:00 to 7:00 PM. The meeting will include an in-depth presentation on the 311 system. <p>Minutes Approval Minutes from the November 19, 2024, meeting were reviewed and approved without changes.</p> <p>Memorial for Anne Shelton Ronda Ford proposed ideas to honor Anne Shelton’s memory, suggesting a bench, tree, and plaque. Further discussion will occur at the next meeting.</p> |



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| | <p>Treasurer’s Report</p> <p>Sarah Champine reviewed the FHNA 2024 budget and actual expenditures, noting a \$2K surplus from last year. She proposed an increase in charitable contributions for the 2025 budget, subject to Board consideration.</p> <p>Membership and Communication Improvements</p> <p>A request was made to enhance the membership renewal process and email communication. Greg will bring these recommendations to the Board.</p> <p>Playground Upgrades</p> <p>An update was provided on the planned upgrades to the Forest Hill playground.</p> <p>Upcoming Event</p> <p>The "Run for the Hills" 5K will be held on March 15, with a rain date scheduled for March 22.</p> <p>Adjournment</p> <p>With no objections, President Somerville adjourned the meeting at 8:00 PM.</p> |
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