**The October Stated Meeting of the North Kenwood Neighborhood Association**

**Tuesday, October 19, 2021, Flying Boat Brewery Garden**

Neighborhood Members Present: Stephen Murray, James Brownlee, Steven Herzfeld, Joan Finch, Julie DiP, Deidre Kurnett, Joe Z, Wilmer Vergara, Rachel Dugas, Brittany Philips, Bianca Ankoh, Ankur Sarup, Alaina Bible, Darius Ali, Alexandra Spolestra

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 p.m. by Steven Herzfeld.

The minutes for June were unanimously approved.

**Police Department Update**: NKNA has a new covering CSO, Lauren Pilkenton. The Officer did the report for this month. Our neighborhood had very low crime numbers. Noted were 1 residential burglary and 4 vehicle burglaries. There were 3 auto thefts. Lock doors and do not leave car running unattended.

**Treasurers Report:** We currently have $1545.86 in our account.

**Guest Speakers** Shopapalooza. Michele Northrup highlighted this annual St Pete event for shopping local. It is Saturday and Sunday on November 27 and 28 at Vinoy Park. Our next speaker and NK resident, Alaina Bible spoke on project she did on city’s reclaimed water highlighting how so little of city residents use it and how it has been past funded. Opportunity to have much more persons added and direct more funds to it.

**Old Business** Mural Project, the location/building on 13th Ave N near overpass is approved. Volunteers at Halloween on Central will cover large portion of cost coupled with matching grant from city.

**New Business** Halloween on Central is October 31 from noon to 5pm and will encumber 22 city blocks of Central Ave being temporary pedestrian event. Association will be present with activities such as costume contests/face painting, marketing, and fund raising/ 50-50 Raffle.

Elections for 2022-23 around the corner. Some officers are continuing current roles, interested persons should make it known which office or directorship they have interest in.

The meeting was adjourned at 752 p.m. by Steven Herzfeld.

Respectfully Submitted,

James Brownlee

North Kenwood Neighborhood Association Secretary