Notes from the Fulton Finance committee meeting of May 1, 2019

Present

John Finlayson, Ruth Olson, Dave Delvoye

Calendar

Fulton Neighborhood News will be delivered the second weekend of May. Two organizations that offer housing loan programs will present information to the FNA Board: City of Lakes Community Land Trust in May and Propel in June.

Community Engagement

The first planning meeting for the Fulton Fall Festival will take place in late May or early June.

Safety

The Safety committee presented its proposal for a residential security rebate program and will seek Board approval on 5/8. The initial \$6,000 funding for the program will come from the NRP Phase 1 Safety committee strategy.

There has been one especially violent crime reported in the neighborhood this year: an aggravated robbery of person at about 10:40 p.m. on 4/11 at 53rd & Chowen involving shots fired which resulted in the arrest of one male adult and four male juveniles, the recovery of a stolen vehicle following a police chase and crash at 49th & Sheridan, and the recovery of three stolen handguns. The victim of the robbery was not injured.

Other business

A request for a zoning variance is on the agenda for the FNA meeting on 5/8.

A Board member received an insulting response from a manager at Coalition Restaurant, 3808 West 50th St, while calling to find out if the business would be open to hosting a community networking event in one of their rooms during a slow day, and which would include the purchase of some food and beverages by FNA for those who would attend. Other options will be investigated.

Ruth submitted to the City Council FNA's response to the draft Neighborhoods 2020 plan.

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