



Advisory Council Meeting- December  
Southgate Community Center  
12125 Pinecrest Rd, Reston, VA 20191

**Minutes – January 12, 2021 Meeting (meeting held at 6:30pm via ZOOM)**

**Council Members Present:**

Jan Bradshaw, Andy Sigle, Gerald Padmore, Carol Ann Bradley, Darlena Ricks, Kelsey Myer, Alexandra Rossi, Kathy Jones

**Community and Staff Present:**

Supervisor Walter Alcorn, Richard Cabellos, Ha Brock, Gwenn Minton, Jennae Duarte, Lisa Seacrest-Erhardt, Brandi Horita, Amer Bayoumi

**Meeting Call to Order:** Jan Bradshaw at 6:37pm.

**Tonight's Agenda:** Reviewed and approved after motion by Gerald Padmore and second by Kelsey Myer.

**Past Meeting Minutes:** Reviewed and approved after motion by Kelsey Meyer and second by Andy Sigle.

**Discussion with Supervisor Alcorn:** Personal introductions by council members and guests.

Amer Bayoumi nomination to Council to be approved on January 26.

COVID update: attended testing event at SGCC.

Vaccination registration system challenged by heavy demand and will be resolved by end of the week.

Coat Closet continues this season with help of volunteers. Strong demand for coats.

Reston Comprehensive Plan Task Force: thanks to Jan and Ricardo for participation.

Pinecrest and Glade intersection issue: near SGCC. Task force to be established.

Police Bike Patrol: did a tour with the patrol.

Fundraising: happy to help/put information in newsletter.

Capital items: put together the wish list – define what the need is and justify it.

County has a process and happy to advocate for capital improvements for SGCC.

There are current budget constraints due to the pandemic. Also, some projects can take years to complete.

Questions asked:

- COVID vaccination moving to phase 1c? Not known.
- How SGCCAC can help spread word about vaccine? Will share information from Health Department when available.
- When will children receive vaccine? Not for a while.

**2019-2021 Council GOALS**

Progress Workplan including:

- i. Increase balance in Advisory Fund to enhance capability to support SGCC programming efforts
- ii. Have all Council members involved in a minimum of 15 hours of service at SGCC
- iii. Have all Council positions filled
- iv. Support SGCC staff to increase outreach and programming to our adult communities



- Can Southgate be a test location for solar panels? RCC is test site but will check.
- INOVA will be vaccinating FCPS staff.

**Treasurer's Report (Gerald Padmore):** Final balance as of January 12 is \$6,858.79.

Received 4 donations. \$300 in gift cards not purchased.

**See Treasurer's report for more detail.**

**Reston Police Department Report (Officer Brandi Horita):**

Police can assist with public safety issues. Officer Katy Defoe has "CPTED – crime prevention through environmental design".

No resolution on recent Hunters Woods murder.

Can assist with working with youth and help them display courage during the pandemic.

**Chairman's Report (Jan Bradshaw):**

Next meeting time - 6:30pm on February 9.

The meeting will be done via Zoom.

**SGCC Director's Report (Ricardo Cabellos):**

Ricardo presented Director's report including detailed discussion about capital improvement needs.

Also discussed program activities.

Popularity of pickle ball discussed.

**See attached Director's report for more detail.**

**Cornerstones Report (representative not present):**

No report.

**Reston Association (RA) Report (Ha Brock):**

MLK Day event next week. There will be several service projects for volunteers. Will adhere to public health guidelines and have a maximum of 10 volunteers for each project. Projects include packing lunches and toiletries for the homeless.

Alexandra will revise fundraising letter.

**Old Business:**

**New Business:**

None.

**Adjourn:**

Motion made by Gerald Padmore and was seconded by Kathy Jones. Meeting adjourned at 8:52pm.