

**Minutes of the General Membership Meeting of the Pullman Civic Organization
June 19, 2019**

Convened at 7:38 pm.

Judge Bates inducted the new board.

Presentations: Colin Devereaux of NPCA on *Pullman by Train* program and Tom McMahon on PCO Cantigny trip 7/20.

Minutes of May and June Executive meetings were read. Minutes of May General Membership meeting were read and approved, with correction to add opening and closing balances to treasurer's report.

Treasurer's report:

Opening balance as of May 1: \$45,578.96 Closing balance as of May 31: \$43,215.33
Operating balance - \$19,189.51 Facade program - \$18,512.15
Kirschner fund - \$4,083.20 Savings - \$3,431.44
May expenses \$550, income \$186.37

Committee reports:

- No reports from Membership, Hospitality, Community Improvement, Flyer, Welcome
- Education (Cheryl Briscoe): LSC meeting 7/20.
- House Tour (Cindy McMahon): few houses still needed, volunteers welcome. Next meeting 6/26 6:30 pm.
- Safety (Carol Lagadinos): clarified that the recent double overdose incident happened on 115th.

Affiliate group reports:

- Garden Club (Mike McMahon): Garden Walk 6/22 10 am - 4 pm.
- Greenstone Church (Luther Mason): announced: positive news from National Fund for Sacred Places for grant as well as ongoing work with Landmarks Illinois, National Trust and the city; the Boy Scouts program, organ concert on July 3 and other activities.
- Choir (Tony Dzik): glorious past concert, but declining national offers.
- PullmanArts (Ann Alspaugh): seeking story-tellers for Life Out Loud event 7/13.
- HPF (Mike Shymanski): Kelly lecture successful, copies of Edge of Anarchy available. Voices of Calumet exhibit 6/28.
- PSHS (John Cwenkala): IDNR has hired Martin Tuohy as new site person.
- Coop-Op (Viviana Fernandez-Pelion): working with ChiCity Foods to grow produce for food pantries, continuing cleanup, and offering CSA boxes \$100/10 weeks. Volunteers welcome.
- NPS (Kathy Schneider): Park now fully staffed, working on Labor Day event and invited new involvement; KS retires 9/3.

Old business: next Park Advisory meeting 7/16 at 5:30 pm at Palmer Park Field House.

New business: **Motion** to dissolve Labor ad hoc committee m/s/p

Raffle held for May memberships (prizes donated).

Meeting adjourned 8:33 pm.

Submitted,
Lorraine Brochu, Secretary