

Neartown Association Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, April 27, 2010

Meeting Minutes

23 in attendance

7:05 p.m. called to order

-Saturday, May 15, the Neartown Forum will be at St. Stephen's, 9:00a.m.-1:00p.m., as a follow up to the one we had last year. Breakfast courtesy of the Empire Cafe, and lunch courtesy of HEB.

-David talked with the Director of Planning at the Conference in New Orleans

-we all gave our introductions

-METRO is having money crunch, like all of us
Rail on Richmond may be delayed up to 2 years
the University Line is the "lynch pin" to the whole system

-HEB "seems" willing to work with neighborhoods and says it wants our input, re the proposed store on Dunlavy & W. Alabama

-Kris from the Montrose Land Defense Coalition talked
showed a rendering of possible layout

green space, 2-level parking, pond, dog park, save trees
fill in ditches & use Alabama & Dunlavy for parking

there is a sign up for a Request for Variance

MLDC is having an event in May

May 15 Marie will meet with Scott McClellan of HEB

HEB will be at the May forum

discussion re the proposed store ensued

MLDC will present drawing to HEB & Planning Commission this Thursday

-6:30 Thursday at Montrose Counseling Center Wanda Adams will have Town Hall Meeting

-David talked about who will be at the Forum & where to put them

-Officer Pate gave the PIP report - Grafitti will be the topic

-Adjourn 8:48 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Julie Young
Secretary