



LAVACA NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

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Lavaca Neighborhood Association Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, January 15, 2020, 6:30 pm

Beethoven Maennerchor

422 Pereida St.

Officers and Directors	
Cherise Rohr-Allegrini, President	Laurel Smyth, Membership Director
Sarah Sorenson, Vice President	VACANT, Transportation & Public Safety
Kat Doucette, Secretary	Billy Lambert, Southtown Business Owner
Vik Gudi, Treasurer	Darryl Ohlenbusch, Zoning & Historic Pres.
Nick Melde, Planning	Ashlee Conrad, Fundraising Coordinator
Douglas Mendizabal, Communications Dir.	Nataly Jennings, At Large

Board Members Present: Cherise Rohr-Allegrini, Kat Doucette, Vik Gudi, Nick Melde, Laurel Smyth, Darryl Ohlenbusch, Ashlee Conrad, Sarah Sorenson, Billy Lambert, Douglas Mendizabal

Board Members Absent: Nataly Jennings

Meeting Called to order at 7:10 pm

1. 2019 Board	- Thanks to the 2019 Board
2. 2019 Year in Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - D1 Candidate Forum - Schools, Property Taxes and State Legislation Discussion - Fiesta Medals & T-Shirts - Parking Plan Implemented - Labor St. Park – a portion of the land is owned by SAHA and is leased to Parks & Rec. Goal is to meet with developer to discuss amenities built in the park. - Art in the Park - SA Tomorrow Plan –passed by the City in December 2019. - Zoning, Planning, and HDRC – the board works with developers when issues come up in the neighborhood.
2. 2019 Financial Summary	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Opening Balance on Jan. 1, 2019 = \$13,839 - Expenses \$3,285 - Operations \$1,237 - Fundraising \$2,047

	Revenues \$3,718 - Memberships \$1339 - Fundraising \$2,379 Net Income for 2019 \$433 Total = \$14,272
3. Bylaws	Items that have changed: - Nonresident Membership - Election of officers - Replacement
4. Board Candidates	Vacant Positions: - Transportation & Public Safety - Communications - Historic Preservation and Planning – we need more participants
5. Guest Speaker from Tier One	Cynthia Spielman - people in the neighborhood should have a voice about the things that are happening around them Their Focus: 1. Advocate for neighborhood friendly policies 2. Education 3. Support
6. Art in the Park	- tentative Saturday, April 4, 2020
7. Medals	- design presented
8. 2020 Meeting Dates	- March 17 - Local business night (St. Patty's Day) - May 19 - July 16 – tentative - September 15 - Nov. 17
9. SA Tomorrow Plan	https://downtown.sacomplan.com/
10. Representatives	Congressman Doggett's Office - They help with Social Security, VA Issues Senator Jose Menedez's Office - Mail went out where you can share ideas for next legislative session. - If you need free legal assistance, call 210-733-6604 to get information or RSVP for Clinic. Councilman Trevino's Office - Creating a commission solely of renters. - Call (210) 207-0900 to join the mailing list. - Text 22828 to join the mailing list.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:55 pm

Kat McColley Doucette, Secretary