

Meeting: **Monday, September 23, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. - The Victor, 1 Market Street, Caruso Room**  
**6:45 PM-** Food and drinks from Market Street Pizza @ the Victor  
**7:00 PM-** Meeting starts

- Agenda:
1. Call to Order and Introductions at 7:05. 20 people in attendance.
  2. Minutes of the Previous Meeting were distributed by
  3. Treasurer's Report
    - a. Collection of voluntary contributions
    - b. Monthly Report – opening balance \$35,802.02. Donations included \$75 block party donations. Debits included \$385.75 to purchase food & supplies for the blockparty. Ending balance was \$35,491.27. \$55 collected at this meeting. Cost of food was \$53.91.
  4. Communications
    - a. Others included below
  5. Old Business:
    - a. Neighborhood Flags/Banners – Bryon shared that a mock-up has been installed on a lamp post outside Gallery ElevenOne at Front & Linden Streets. Looking for donations to create and install more banners at approx. \$150 per banner. Perhaps seek corporate sponsors with donor info on the banner.
  6. New Business
    - a. Frank Fulbrook Memorial – Suggestions included Harris-Fulbrook park between Linden & Penn, Fulbrook Avenue or Street around park, brass or stone plaque in sidewalk outside 211-A Penn Street, pavilion in Harris Memorial Park, electronic barcode link to historic info., Fulbrook day of service.
    - b. Development Committee Report
      - i. Phase 1 closeout – Bill Hoag working on a couple outstanding items looking to resolve.
      - ii. Phase 2 environmental remediation – Ongoing effort by the CRA.
      - iii. NRTC planning grant application – application submitted to the Wells Fargo Foundation. A site visit will occur in a couple weeks with the team. Question asked if neighborhood could organize plan.
    - c. Neighborhood clean-up, Saturday October 12<sup>th</sup> from 9a-11a. - Coincides with Rutgers Homecoming, will take place on Linden Street (which will be closed from Delaware to Second that day). Look for volunteers from local organizations to help out. Barrel factory lot will be mowed by Rutgers soon.
    - d. Upcoming City Elections Forum – Suggestion to host a forum. CCOP is hosting one. Possibly locate at 101 Cooper. Gail will look into it.
    - e. CGNA officer elections will take place at next month's October CGNA meeting. Current officers are Jonathan Latko, President; Frank Fulbrook, Vice-President; Sandy Newhall, Treasurer; Bryon Yoder, Secretary. All are welcome and encouraged to participate/run. Duties of board members were explained.
    - f. Neighborhood flyers produced by Rutgers and distributed to the neighborhood. If you know any homes with students, let us know and we'll pass additional flyers along.
  7. Announcements
    - a. Want neighborhood updates/announcements via email? Please e-mail [secretary@coopergrant.org](mailto:secretary@coopergrant.org) with your name and address
    - b. Next CGNA Meeting – Monday October 28<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. - The Victor, 1 Market St.
    - c. Pizza & Poetry – September 25<sup>th</sup>, 7pm @ Little Slice of NY on Third Street.

- d. Rutgers Homecoming on Linden Street from 2<sup>nd</sup> Street to Delaware, October 12<sup>th</sup>.
  - e. Camden City Garden Club Mobile Food Market every Tuesday from 5-7pm & Greensgrow on Thursdays from 4-7 at Friends & Penn.
  - f. Street Sweeping Signs/Parking restrictions in Cooper-Grant Wednesdays and Fridays.
  - g. Soccer Sundays at the Rutgers Fields, every Sunday from 4-6pm.
  - h. Trash pickup resumes once a week starting in October, Tuesday night/Wednesday morning.
  - i. Witnesses to Hunger exhibit at Gallery Eleven One last week Wednesday thru Thursday, documented days in the life of women and their families in Camden. Looking for additional space more permanent in the neighborhood for additional artist work/exhibit space.
  - j. Pottery Class 6:30-9pm at Third & Benson.
8. Adjournment at 8:50pm.