

CHERRYWOOD NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION
STEERING COMMITTEE MINUTES
08 DECEMBER 2010

1. Welcome, call to order, introductions, meeting minutes. (6:40)
 - SC present: Robin Peebles, Girard Kinney, Aaron Choate, Chris Wilson, Mark Schiff
 - Non SC present: Chapman Shoop

2. Mailbox (Aaron)
 - No mail.

3. CHULA Update (Girard)
 - Cherrywood Art Fair needs volunteers.
 - EAST at the Vortex was very successful.
 - Yule Bazaar is coming up on December 18 and 19 from 12-6 at the Vortex.

4. Crime and Safety
 - Chris got some data that shows a 7% increase in East Austin crimes during the last month.
 - Issues with gunshots and drugs at Chicas Bonitas.
 - A representative at APD did not acknowledge a lack of resources applied to this area.
 - There has been a 50% increase in transients (according to whom and over what period, i'm not sure).
 - Chris has met with Cheryl Cole and is speaking at City Council tomorrow.
 - More people need to contact the city because the higher the volume, the more likely Cherrywood is to be allocated more resources.

4. FRoG Update (Girard)
 - Planted 2 orange trees in the orchard, and the persimmons were good. Needs some regular waterers.
 - Willowbrook Reach workday on the 18th.

5. ANC/ANCEast Update (Girard)
 - ANC did end up voting to oppose the Imagine Austin process, however it is likely that Austin City Council will not side with ANC.
 - The service thank you cards to Lee Clippard, Mike Sullivan and George Holcombe are written and ready to go in the FLEA. Also, a tree should be planted in honor of Lee Clippard's late father in Willowbrook Reach.

6. Meeting adjourned at 7:06pm. Mind-blowing brevity.