

Mechanicsville Civic Association Meeting

July 7th, 2020

6:30 PM – 7:45 PM

Present:

Dr. Jane Ridley, President

Jason Dozier, Vice President

DeMicha Luster, Secretary & Youth Committee Chair

Ocie Fulford, Parliamentarian

David Holder, Treasurer

Queen Evelyn, Chaplain

- Roll Call (Logged by Jason Dozier)
- Prayer (Queen Evelyn)
- Approve minutes:
 - 12 yes
 - 0 no
 - 0 abstention

- Elected Officials
 - Mitsah Henry (Commissioner Marvin Arrington)
 - Community requested to know balance of 10 million dollar community fund
 - She is unsure but the BOC meeting THIS Wednesday will discuss.
 - COVID 19 Testing in Fulton county
 - <https://www.fultoncountyga.gov/covid-19/covid-testing-sites>
 - Community question: Can we still have our community sprayed for mosquitos?
 - Yes, email edward.smith@fultoncountyga.gov - Environmental Health and CC: Marvin Arrington & Mitsah Henry
 - Community question: Have animal services reopened?
 - She is unsure. She will email us with that information
 - Early voting starts this month:
 - www.fultoncountyga.gov/.../voting-and-.../early-voting-locations
 - Cleta Winslow (6:57PM)
 - Secoriea Turner lives in Mechancsville
 - \$10,000 shooter reward
 - Will get Dr. Ridley in contact with the mom

- Question: Text Amendment on 8 Can't Wait measures
 - Yes
 - Question: Dog Park Committee met last week. Are there exceptions to the City rules for dog parks? We need at least an acre of land and needing a water fountain.
 - She will put him in contact with Alvin Dotson(?) - The Director of Parks
 - Question: Garibaldi Sinkhole is back AGAIN! What are the options for our street?
 - She will ask

- Community Updates:
 - Jason:
 - CHRIS 180 has an emergency assistance
 - Pittsburgh Food & PPE Giveaway
 - NPU V Meeting 7/13
 - David:
 - Off-leash dog Park Committee
 - Met last week, was able to ask Clela supporting questions today
 - DeMicha:
 - NPU V List of Demands
 - David & Micha will be meeting with an accountant next week to fix our taxes
 - Peace walk/balloon release for Secoriea Turner
 - Secoriea Turner will be buried by Murray Brothers Funeral Home on Cascade (behind McDonalds).
 - Ocie:
 - Towers being installed in Mechanicsville?
 - 5 G towers
 - Queen Evelyn:
 - Join her for church in parking lot
 - Dr. Ridley:
 - Alex (who owns BP) wants to expand his parking lot.
 - Money from community land sales in our community to go directly to us
 - Supporting Secoriea Turner
 - Motion to give \$500 to family:
 - Yes 10
 - No 2
 - Abstain 5