GERMANTOWN PUBLIC SAFETY EDUCATION COMMISSION June 7, 2010 minutes

The June 7, 2010 meeting of the Germantown Public Safety Education Commission was called to order by Lillie Kay Mitchell, Chairperson, at 5:35 PM in the Administrative Conference Room.

Members who signed in were: Lillie Kay Mitchell, Ron Roberson, Nikki Gast, Charles Baker, Susan Kingston, Susan Hirsch, Lt. Angie Lewis, Assistant Fire Marshall Granville Alpha attending on behalf of Fire Marshall Jody Dwyer, John Arth, and Suzanne Jackson. Alderman Mark Billingsley was present. Guests included: Jonathan Smith, Geoff Pratt, and Monica Carson

The May minutes were corrected to include John Arth as present at the May meeting.

REPORTS: Hirsch: waiting for feedback which places of worship will implement "*I'm Ready*" *Sunday Communication Kits*, (weekend of September 11 and 12); board members will be contacted after Safety City about participation in the Speakers Bureau. Lewis: in August there will be information about proper disposal of prescription drugs. Smith: studies being done about which buildings meet safety requirements as emergency shelter; schedule of roadwork.

OLD BUSINESS: Robinson and Mitchell: we have 127 students registered for Safety City; a video will be produced and then shown at the final session; we have two new buildings, lots of sponsors and 55 volunteers. Everything is in place.

Geoff Pratt, AARP Safe Driving Program Instructor led a discussion about how to promote safety for bicyclists through education of drivers and cyclists. A meeting for drivers and cyclists, presenting rules of the road and safety responsibilities is being considered.

Charles Baker and Monica Carson presented Operation Lifesaver, a program that provide information about railroads and relates the facts to public safety.

Commissioners were reminded that details of their reports will appear in the addendum to the minutes if they send them to Susan Hirsch.

Lillie Kay reminded us there is no PSEC meeting in July.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:57 pm.

Susan Hirsch Recording Secretary

ADDENDUM

From Lillie Kay Mitchell:

Here are the 2010 Safety City sponsors.

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