

# Germantown Neighborhood Preservation Commission

Thursday, April 21, 2022, 5:30 p.m.

City Hall, Lawton Conference Room, 1930 S. Germantown Road

Call to order 5:34 p.m.

Establishment of quorum – Those present included Laura Meanwell, Scott Balentine, Ellen Bernstein, Carol Dickinson-Russell, Brian Everson, Peter Ganavazos, Matthew May, Daniel Oppenheim, Marissa Rogers, Gerald Wilson, Adrienne Pakis-Gillon, Cheron Allbright, Mary Anne Gibson, Stacey Crockett and Erinn Figg.

New members introduced themselves.

Consideration of minutes – February minutes were approved as written.

Chairman's report – Chairman Meanwell thanked everyone for their hard work to make the Neighborhood Summit a huge success. Next year the commission will review vendors in order to prevent any issues with political groups.

## Reports

Tree Board – Gerald Wilson provided an overview of the Living Legacy Tree Program.

Environmental Commission – Amnesty Dumpster Day is scheduled for Saturday, April 23.

## Project updates

Neighborhood Summit – Erinn Figg provided a report on feedback from participants and vendors. Member suggestions for opportunities for improvement for next year included printing nametags in advance and organizing a competition between neighborhoods.

Tour of Remodeled Homes and Landscapes – This event will take place on Sunday, September 25, from 2 to 5 p.m. We hope to feature five homes on the tour. Anyone who has suggestions for participating homeowners, please provide contact information to Ellen Bernstein. A reception will take place the evening before the tour and commission members and participating homeowners will be invited to tour the homes. Sponsors are needed. There was some discussion about having the visitors vote for their favorite home/project.

Adjournment – 6:29 p.m.