

GERMANTOWN PUBLIC SAFETY EDUCATION COMMISSION

November 1, 2010 minutes

The November 1, 2010 meeting of the Germantown Public Safety Education Commission was called to order by Lillie Kay Mitchell, Chairperson, at 5:30 pm in the Administrative Conference Room.

Attending were: Lillie Kay Mitchell, Ron Roberson, Charles Baker, Susan Kingston, Jonathan Smith, Lt. Angie Lewis, Susan Hirsch, John Arth, Dot Stagich, Fire Marshall Jody Dwyer, Jonathan Frase and Suzanne Jackson.

The October minutes were approved as distributed.

REPORTS:

- Speakers Bureau Report – again, Susan Hirsch and Dot Stagich reported our commission and our speakers bureau information have not been posted on the Germantown website.
- Police Report – Angie Lewis detailed the inspection process and the resulting plans that comprise Safety Surveys.
- Fire Report – Fire Marshall Dwyer reported on Fire Month, and commented there were more people involved this year.
- Traffic Engineer – Jonathan Smith reported on current and upcoming road construction, turn lanes and signals
- Motorcycle Safety Special Committee Report – Susan Kingston reported the committee had their initial meeting and will report additional progress at the next meeting

OLD BUSINESS

- Germantown Night Out – the safety characters were a hit and events were well attended
- Adult Bicycle Safety & Education Campaign – meeting has been postponed
- Look Twice Save a Life campaign – when the educational program is approved, the committee will recommend using 20 signs

NEW BUSINESS

- Each Commission is to submit an annual report to the city. If you have chaired a project, please send a report about that project to Susan Hirsch, Secretary, before the December meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Please fill out your application for Commission assignments for next year.

Please remember to RSVP for the Annual Commission Dinner on Thursday, November 11

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

The meeting was adjourned at 6:02.

Susan Hirsch
Recording Secretary

ADDENDUM TO NOVEMBER 1 PSEC MEETING

From Susan Kingston, Chair, Motorcycle Safety (Special) Committee

- Initial meeting to determine what needs to be done
- Time line established for implementation is May which is Motorcycle Month
- Will need to flesh out all the details about working with AARP, schools and any other interested organizations
- Will have a working session with the BMA to obtain approvals
- A blog and speakers (through our speakers bureau) may be possible if we incorporate motorcycles, bicycles, and three wheelers.