

MT. LOOKOUT COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

October 21, 2013 - 6:30 pm

Location: Cincinnati Observatory Center (3489 Observatory Place)

BOARD ATTENDANCE

MLCC Board Members (2013)	Role	Attending (Y/N)
John Brannock	President	Y
Eric Flamme	Vice President	Y
Matt Johnson	Treasurer	Y
Mark Costello	Secretary/Membership	Y
Tracie Hoffman	Director at Large	Y
Cara Lacerenza	Director at Large	Y
Chris Lacerenza	Director at Large	Y
Isabelle Lafosse-Marin	Director at Large	Y
Kim Rice	Director at Large	Y
Maryann Ries	Director at Large	N
Brian Spitler	Director at Large	N

MOTION ITEM (S):

Motion Description	Yea	Nay	Passage
Approve minutes from September 18, 2013 meeting.	9	0	Y
Wimberg Landscaping Design for Mt. Lookout Square	9	0	Y

Public Meeting

MLCC President Update – John Brannock

³⁵₁₇ Lunken Airport update

- Allegiant Air went to Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport (CVG) in lieu of Lunken Airport (LUK).
 - Roxanne Qualls canceled a scheduled meeting due to Allegiant Air’s decision.
 - Laure Quinlivan stated she has a motion before city council to stop spending tax dollars to investigate the options for Lunken Airport expansion.
- A Facebook page has been established on September 28, 2013 called “Citizens for Oversight of Lunken Airport”. www.facebook.com/LunkenNeighbors
 - Resident from Linwood Community Council spoke about the need for participants in the Citizens Oversight Board.

Fire Department Update

³⁵₁₇ Report from Lt. Snowden, Oakley Fire Station.

³⁵₁₇ Working on Fire Protection with schools in the area.

³⁵₁₇ A total of (149) total fire & emergency runs to date.

³⁵₁₇ Safety reminders:

- Space heaters to keep the area around the heater clear.
- Service the furnace of your home.
- Change the batteries in the smoke detectors

- Red Cross donated smoke detectors for those who cannot afford them.

Police Department Update

³⁵₁₇ Report from Officer Dawson, District 2 Police Station.

³⁵₁₇ See attached crime report.

Cincinnati Recreation Commission (CRC) Update

³⁵₁₇ No report.

MLCC Treasurer Update – Matt Johnson

³⁵₁₇ Financial report provided. Email info@mtlookout.org for specific questions.

- Year to date revenue: \$12,677.50
- Year to date expenses: \$15,214.37
- Balance: \$8,319.41

³⁵₁₇ Luminaria 2013 is underway and is the largest fund raising event for the MLCC.

- To participate email info@mtlookout.org
- We need residents to volunteer to be “Street Captains”

Guest Speakers

³⁵₁₇ Chris Habel, co-chair capital campaign for Christ The King expansion.

- Mr. Habel is a civil engineer and volunteered for CTK to solve the site & sewer problems on the CTK property and the project includes additions and renovations.
- The project is being presented to the MLCC because a zoning change will be required to complete the project.
- For additional information about the project, visit the CTK web site:
 - <http://www.ourlordchristtheking.org/index.php/a-city-on-the-hill/>

³⁵₁₇ Bryan Williams & Melissa McVay, Department of Transportation and Engineering, Delta Avenue re-striping.

- The proposed plan is referred to as a “road-diet” and this term can be searched on the internet for examples of how this has worked in other areas.
- Several members of the Mt. Lookout community and Columbia Tusculum community were in attendance. A lengthy discussion about the re-striping plan took place. Most seemed to be in support of the plan while some were not in favor of the plan.
- The city has a web site <http://www.cincinnati-oh.gov/bikes/news/delta-avenue-restriping-project/>. NOTE: This site has a form to allow community members to provide feedback on the proposed resurfacing.
 - Most feedback received on the city’s web site so far has been positive.

³⁵₁₇ Candidate(s) to speak to the MLCC at public meeting.

- School Board Candidates spoke:
 - Elisa Hoffman
 - Sally O’Callaghan
- Cincinnati Zoo Tax Levy, Dave Jenikine

Miscellaneous

³⁵₁₇ Candidates Night

The **MLCC Public Meeting** was adjourned at 9:30 pm. The next **MLCC Public Meeting** will be held at 7:30 pm on **December 16, 2013**, at Christ The King Church Parish Center (3223 Linwood Avenue).

Respectfully submitted,

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Mark T. Costello
Secretary, MLCC