

## RUMSEY ISLAND RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION MEETING MINUTES

RIRA February 20, 2020

The monthly RIRA meeting was called to order at 7:25 pm on Thursday, February 20, 2020 by Walt.

The treasurer's report was given by Anita. We currently have a balance of \$5,838.88. Please check to see if you are up to date on your yearly dues.

At the April meeting we will hold officer's elections. Please think about who you would like to nominate for any of those positions or consider holding one of them yourselves. Let's all get involved!

Each meeting there will be a white board set up to list all events for the coming year, to help everyone be aware and keep track. Also, the names of those in the community who volunteer for jobs will be included. This year, Laura Holbein has once again agreed to organize the yearly spring yard sale. It will be held the first Saturday in May - details to follow.

April 25<sup>th</sup> will be the spring yard waste pick-up. Ralph will confirm this with the collection company. Thank you, Ralph.

The River Keepers would like to attend one of our meetings to do a presentation. Walt will contact them to schedule a time.

Walt will contact Vincent to see about publishing the newsletter for us. This provides us all with good information about things happening in the neighborhood.

It was suggested that the neighborhood invest in pet stations around the Island that would provide baggies and receptacles for dogs, to encourage those who walk them to clean up after their pets. This is important for all of us! Walt asked that the request be written up as a proposal and sent to the board for consideration

Walt thanked everyone who has tended the garden areas around the Island signs. It adds a nice touch to the areas.

It was suggested that we look into having regular street sweeping done in the neighborhood to keep it clean and to keep too much debris from entering the storm drains, and the canals.

Dion suggested that we finish painting the bridge in the spring.

It was also suggested that we form a committee of volunteers to coordinate the Click it - Fix it service that the county provides to address any areas of concern. This service is usually very prompt to respond to requests for fixing things in the neighborhood.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 pm.

Submitted by **Judy Gonzalez** Secretary  
Rumsey Island Residents Association