

RUMSEY ISLAND RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION MEETING MINUTES

RIRA May 17, 2018

Officers in Attendance: Russ Brown, President; Sharon Pry, Treasurer; Judy Gonzalez, Secretary.

Board Members in Attendance: Ron Parker, Vincent La Padula, Gordy Guay, Dion Guthrie

Absent: Michael Donoghue, Vice President; Ralph Comegna

Meeting called to order at 7:10pm

Appetizers served - paid for by 50/50 raffle

New Business

- Secretary's report- minutes are online.
- Treasurer's report read and accepted. Beginning balance 6,170.61, ending balance after expenses 5,789.31.
- We owe Ralph \$500 for donation of \$300 to school for carnival tickets and for supplies purchased for painting storm drains.
- Thank you to Ralph for organizing and painting the storm drains
- Yard waste pick-up is this Saturday, May 19th. The company doing the pick-up will only take paper bags - no plastic please!
- Russell suggested that the next meeting, June 20, be an ice cream social held at Parker's restaurant- approved.
- Water testing will be done in June and August this year at all previous locations from last year. Since last year's results were consistent and very satisfactory, it was felt that it only needed to be done twice. Manuel suggested that it be done right after a rain if possible, to see if the results would still be satisfactory or be negatively affected by the rain. Ron Parker said that about 2 weeks ago he saw a boat with spotlight on the water near his home and thought perhaps it was some organization taking water samples.
- Russell had contacted the police dept to request there be a vehicle in the neighborhood to check the speed of cars there. The police vehicle to check speed was seen on Towne Center Drive for two consecutive days this past week.
- Dion handed out flyers about the July 4th parade celebration that will be held on July 1 this year in the Joppatowne area. He said that the committee needs banner carriers.
- Dion reported that he joined someone from Riverkeepers to check the depth of the water in areas where it has been recently dredged, near the condos and the marina. The area from the condos to the bridge was good, as to the specs, but needs to be wider. The next major dredging will be in 6-8 years.
- Dion sent a picture to Next Door, showing a duck killed by a driver, and asked if we could all please be more aware of the wildlife in our neighborhood, so they can survive.
- The 50/50 raffle was done, and with the money collected \$75 went to the treasury and \$80 to the winner.
- Russell suggested that we change the meetings to always be on a Wednesday, instead of alternating them. It was voted and passed.
- The meeting was adjourned at 7:45pm

Submitted by **Judy Gonzalez** Secretary

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Treasurer's Report: April 19, 2018 - May 17, 2018

Beginning Balance	\$6,170.61
Dues Collected	\$375.00
Total Credits	\$375.00
PayPal fee	\$6.30
Waste Industries (Spring Yard Waste)	\$750.00
Total Debits	\$756.30
Ending Balance	\$5,789.31