NAC 10 Meeting Minutes

Monday, March 21, 2011

Recorder: M. Bowman

Location: Boys & Girls Club Burck Street

Start Time: 7:00 pm **End Time:** 8:20

Attendance: 8 residents

Guest Speakers: Dave Schultz, FPD – Victim Services Unit

POLICE REPORT:

Cpl. Tom Tokarz:
For the period of February 21 – March 21, 2011, there were: 347 calls for service. If you subtract proactive enforcement, 59 beat checks and 82 traffic stops there were 206 Calls for service. The average calls for service was 7 per day.

Here is the breakdown for some of the calls for service:

6 – Vehicle Accidents
2 – Juvenile Complaints
15 – Suspicious Activity
28 – 911
38 - Misc. (funerals, noise, parking, etc.)
2 – Accident, personal injury
3 – Accident, property damage
2 – Assault
1 – Burglary Commercial
0 – Burglary Residential
2 – Destruction of Property
2 – Disorderly Conduct
0 –Drug Complaint
0 – Fraud
1 – Harassment
3 – Hit and Run Property Damage
0 – Graffiti
0 –Missing Person
0 – Robbery Armed
0 – Robbery Strong Arm
2 – Suspicious Person
0 – Suspicious Situation
0 – Suspicious Vehicle
6 - Theft

There were also 8 arrests:

1 – Assault
6 – Traffic Stop
1 – Welfare Check

- Resident reported to Cpl. Tokarz that there were supposed to be 2 kids in the park with guns on March 12th. She wasn't sure if it was reported. Cpl. Tokarz would let Cpl. Carr know.
- Resident also talked about a kid who had their skateboard stolen and the parent did not want to report it. Resident reported it. It has since been returned.

FINANCE:

Beginning Balance: $1000.00

GUEST SPEAKER: Dave Schultz, Frederick Police Dept., Victim Services Unit

The Victim Services Unit offers a strong support system for crime victims of all ages. Following an incident, victims of crime are frequently scared, confused or disoriented. We are here to help with the healing process as well as through the legal process. The Victim Services Unit responds to victims upon referral from case reports. We handle a variety of offenses such as murder, rape, robbery, breaking and entering, aggravated assault, theft, elder abuse, financial exploitation, domestic violence and others.

The Victim Services Unit provides victims options for seeking legal resources, counseling, medical assistance, as well as with the Maryland Criminal Injuries Compensation Board application process. We assist with referrals to many agencies such as, but not limited to, Social Services (Child Protective Services and/or Adult Protective Services), Frederick Mental Health Services and local Domestic Violence providers. Our goal is to assess and understand each victim's needs. For more information concerning the Victim Services Unit, please contact 301-600-2104 or 301-600-1356. Additional information on the Victim Services Unit can be found at www.cityoffrederick.com/police.

OLD BUSINESS:

07/21/10	___ Center Street is covered with brush, has a collapsed fence and a collapsing shed. Residents are concerned about safety	Code Enforcement Buddy Singer		01/20/11 Dan Hoffman (CE) said there is still no response from the owner. CE may have to dismantle and haul the shed away. 12/06/10 still in progress 11/15/10 Buddy Singer made several attempts to contact home owner to work with him regarding removal of trash/fence – no response. Dan Hoffman will evaluate the property for steps to abate this issue. 10/28/10 Re-wrote NOV asking property owner to call Buddy Singer to get help. 10/15/10 per Bill Dukes, CE is not going to pursue. This is a fenced yard. 10/04/10 Still waiting a court date 09/17/10 jim Schmidt said they are waiting on court date 09/08/10 CE said that they are waiting for court. 07/27/10 Roy Singer emailed that they wrote a NOV on the property. The city is already mowing the property and have issued NOV already. Roy said they will most likely going to court for abatement.
09/24/10	___ Carrollton Gutter collapsed and carport roof ready to fall.	Code Enforcement Roy Singer		01/21/11 owner asked for extension which will be spring 2011 12/06/10 owner asked for an extension 11/15/10 Owner still within 60 days to

				make repairs 10/27/10 Property owner was given 60 days to make repairs. Scheduled date of completion is 11/27/10 10/19/10 Residents complained again 10/15/10 Bill Dukes said to close 09/27/10 NOV issued 09/27/10 MB emailed CE
01/10/11	Carrollton park The NAC would like to purchase a park bench for the tot lot area	Parks & Rec Roelkey Myers		01/20/11 cost would be $775-800 installed 01/18/11 Roelkey said it is resolved 01/11/11 Roelkey said that they he will get a quote. 01/11/11 MB emailed Roelkey
02/23/11	443 Center Street Graffiti on green electrical box in front yard	Allegheny Power Karen 301-694-4424		03/16/11 Allegheny Power painted them 02/25/11 MB contacted Allegheny Power 02/24/11 Jim said that it belongs to Allegheny Power and they have to paint it. MB will contact Allegheny. 02/23/11 MB emailed Jim Twigg to see who's responsibility it is to paint over it.
02/28/11	Carrollton Park Can the bathrooms be opened during the spring/summer for the kids to use? If not, can they use NAC funds to order a port-a poty?	Roekley Myers		03/17/11 Roelkey will set up port a potties 03/02/11 MB emailed Roelkey

NEW BUSINESS:

- Resident would like P&R to put a lock box with a key to the restrooms at the park. They would be willing to open them and close them. Residents would like to see the park bathrooms open since there are a lot of kids that play there. Since this meeting Roelkey Myers has been contacted and said that P&R does not want to begin hiding keys around the city parks. He suggested using NAC funds to rent a port a potty.

- Bulk Trash will no longer be free of charge. Residents must contact DPW to schedule this service for a fee.
  Residents were concerned about this and it was suggested that they email or write the Mayor and Alderman with their opinions.

SUGGESTIONS/COMMENTS/DISCUSSIONS:

- Residents asked if Dan Hoffman from Code Enforcement could come talk to them.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- April 2nd 5:00 – 9:00 First Saturday – Downtown Frederic
- April 7th 1:00 pm Bed Bug Seminar – Annex 140 W. Patrick Street
- April 9th 1:00 – 4:00 pm Child Safety Seat Checkpoint – 5370 Public Safety Place (off Reichs Ford Road)
- April 30th 10:00 – 3:00 pm Children's Festival – Baker Park
- May 7th Frederick Running Festival
- May 21st 10:00 – 2:00 pm YMCA Healthy Kids Day
- June 14th 5:00 – 9:00 pm Progressive Dinner (Downtown Frederick Partnership)

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NAC 10 MEETINGS – 7:00 pm
Boys & Girls Club, Burck Street

April 18th
May 16th
June 20th
July 18th
August 15th
September 19th
November 21st

FREDERICK POLICE DEPARTMENT

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