

November 2018 – MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES Downtown Residents' Council

Date November 13, 2018 @ 6:00pm

Place: Public Library, 800 Vine Street, 3rd Floor

Welcome - Sue Byrom, President

New Members:

Curtis and Karen Jackson
Jim Dingle
Susan Ahlrichs
Lorry and Greg Hartley
Leslie Huesman

Esther Win
Tammy McKinney
Marianne Bettman



Monthly Reports

Cincinnati Police Department

No major events, or crimes, to report.

New ordinances and penalties regarding e-scooters have improved the situations arising from the increased use of the scooters downtown, and safety concerns are being addressed.

Fire Department

Reminders of safety issues related to the winter season. Also to have an escape plan in place if your home has to be evacuated.

Outreach

Derrick Chance explained why the DRC funding Heater Meals for the homeless will be a great resource for the Downtown outreach project. These are all-in-one meals that can be heated and eaten at any time, like the military ready-to-eat meals.

Social Outreach

Mary Heimert reported that the after-meeting social will be held at O'Reilly's. No other socials until the December Holiday Party on Dec. 10th. at Prime, 6-9. Members only, no charge. Guests to be charged \$20, payable by check. Name tags will be prepared for all registered participants.

Speakers

Cincinnati Water Works representative gave an overview of Stormwater Management Systems and how they are affected by flooding and how the age of the infrastructure requires maintenance.

Citizens on Patrol (COPS) Officer Princess Davis talked about how this program works, the training involved and the way volunteers assist with community safety watch.

Old Business: Approval of October Meeting Minutes. Moved by Carol Glotfelter, 2nd by Rick Dieringer.

New Business

Membership vote on proposed budget for 2019 NSP spending – Moved by Mary Bunker, 2nd by Jackie Bryson. Passed with 44 votes in favor, 0 against.

Sue Byrom read aloud a letter from the ArtWorks intern that DRC had sponsored during the summer.

Reports

Clean Green and Safe - Al Bunker

President Sue Byrom: Heater Meals for the homeless will be the holiday outreach project and there will be a donation opportunity at the Holiday Party.

Treasurer's Report - Balance as of 10/31/18 \$15,637.97

Announcements

Neighborhood Flag Project: An opportunity to give feedback on possible downtown flag options to represent our area. See designs and vote at www.Cincyflags.com

Trauma Surgeons of Cincinnati are sponsoring a study of a an abdominal tourniquet [www.Revive @UC.edu](http://www.Revive@UC.edu)

Downtown movie theater at Main and 7th. www.Cincyworldcinema.org

NO MEETING IN DECEMBER

NEXT MEETING JANUARY 8, 6PM.