Brentwood Neighborhood Association Board Meeting April 18, 2021

All board members in attendance

Mert opened the meeting

He informed Pam that our monthly zoom payment was declined. Cindy said it was because the name on the account changed. Mert and Cindy will take care of this issue and let Pam know so another payment can be made.

The 1st agenda item put forth was setting a date for the next general meeting. Mert suggested that we have it between what would be the April meeting and the May meeting and also asked if we wanted to keep it on Mondays.

Pam suggested leaving it on Monday. Brent suggested asking members. Cindy said she could send out a survey on Mail Chimp. Lisa prefers May 10th or 24th. Mert asked if the 24th would work and everyone agreed. Mert motioned to have the next general meeting on May 24th. Jane seconded. It passed by affirmation.

The second agenda item put forth by Mert was how to improve attendance. Cindy thinks the covid situation is the main problem. Pam agreed and feels it will improve when we can meet in person. Brent suggested an outdoor meeting if weather permits possibly at Kirkwood Park. Cindy suggested people could bring chairs and meet at the parking lot at Field Elementary. Lisa said that 2 other meet the candidate events that she attended only attracted 15 people. Mert asked Cindy about sending out a survey about attending our meetings. Questions to ask were discussed and it was agreed that specific choices of day and time should be given. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday and 6:30 or 7 would be the choices. The other suggestion was to ask what topics would entice people to attend. Mert motioned to have Cindy send out a survey asking what days and times and what would people want included in the meeting that would increase their participation. Dave seconded. It passed by affirmation

Mert mentioned that when he called the members before the meeting one time the attendance increased. He asked if the board members would help by splitting up the membership list and calling members. All agreed. Cindy can post the general meetings as events and also as news feed on the facebook page.

Brent mentioned that we should think about the fall neighborhood cleanup event as the submittal of 3 choices of dates is due June 1st. We should discuss this at the next board meeting before the next general meeting. It then could be voted on by the members at the next general meeting.

Mert will send out an email about the date of the next board meeting.

Mert motioned to adjourn the meeting. Lisa seconded. It was passed by affirmation.