

**EASTERN NORWALK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION  
MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**January 13, 2010  
Minutes**

**Board Member Attendees:** Laurel Lindstrom, Nick Overall, Zvi Cole, Diane Cece

**Board Members Absent:** Marija Bryant, Gordon Tully

**Advisory Board Member Attendees:** None

**Advisory Board Members Absent:** Sarah Hunter, Art Santella, Peter Libre

**Public:** None

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1. Meeting called to order at 8:45 PM.
2. Public Participation – None.
3. Minutes: Nov. and Dec. minutes tabled.
4. Treasurers Report: January report received.
5. Discussion items:
  - a. Fitch School property update: No change. 7 police events recorded. No homeless encampments as rumored.
  - b. Norden Place update: No change. Appeal is in process.
  - c. East Norwalk Center: no action.
  - d. 23 Platt Street: No change.
  - e. 124 East Avenue:
    - i. Starting 3<sup>rd</sup> story.
    - ii. Questions regarding feasibility of parking.
  - f. 211 Liberty Square: Los Molcajetes is making a liquor permit application. Nick to investigate.
  - g. East Avenue Reconstruction:
    - i. Design is going forward.
  - h. Safe Routes to School (SRS):
    - i. Moved to high priority by the DPW.
    - ii. Diane Cece will review position statement prior to submitting.
    - iii. Nick will investigate DEP nonpoint source management grants and contact DPW if relevant to incorporate into SRS.
6. Neighborhood Issues / Committees
  - a. Parks: no change. Cranbury was discussed and supposed pending MP of Veteran's Park also discussed.
  - b. Flooding: Diane to get I-95 flooding information to Hal Alvord.
  - c. Crime:
    - i. ENNA will regularly attempt to review police reports.
    - ii. Guardian Angels still pending for South Norwalk. Discussion about bringing to Eastern Norwalk.
  - d. Adopt-a- Spot and Urban Forest Issues:
    - i. Nick briefly discussed trees hopefully to be marked for spring.
    - ii. Median plantings at Calf Pasture Beach Road is pending to be adopted by Meticulous Landscaping. 4 islands approximately 1000 feet. Hal was at meeting. No action, awaiting proposal sketch from adopter. Nick to maintain contact.
    - iii. Coalition of Norwalk Neighborhood Association
  - e. History: Marija Bryant absent.
  - f. Newsletter / Website:
  - g. Neighborhood Clean-up:
    - i. Tentatively April 24<sup>th</sup>
    - ii. Discussion regarding increased and early advertising and community involvement

- iii. Banners discussed, discussion of closing events at Cemetery.
  - iv. Laurel to contact TTD regarding banners and support.
  - h. 93 East Avenue: discussed, no change.
  - i. Dorlon terrace Association received a 2008 Green Circle Award for cleaning up garbage from Charles Creek in Norwalk.
7. Next Meeting: February 10, 2010 at 7:30.
8. Meeting Adjourned at 10:00