

**West Central Neighborhood Association Minutes**  
**Month April 21, 2003**

Treasure's Report:	Membership Report	Attendance: 44
Checking:	Individual: 59	Start Time: 7:04 PM
Savings:	Family:	End Time: 8:56 PM
C.D.:	Business:	
MM		

Meeting Minutes and Treasures report were deferred to 5/19/03 meeting secondary to 4/20/03 shooting.

<b>Items:</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Follow-Up Needed</b>
<b>WCNA Facilitator</b>	<p><b>Brick Street Project</b>                      Brick Street Workshop grant application submitted. WCNA will match \$2000.00 to help cover the cost. As will ARCH do the same. Old Bricks from Calhoun St were salvaged and taken to Franke Park for storage. HPRB, and Arch                      385-WEST 9-12 M-F</p>	
Home and Garden Tour	Nothing to report	Cont.
Crime Report	<p>Dr. Tom Hayhurst, Tim Pape, Mayor Richards were all present to answer questions from WCNA attendances. Gina Koffstoff 427-1122, was present at was Mike LaQuin 427-1419, and Liza Thomas 427-4500 ext 4082. If you have concerns and don not want to discuss this via the police contact Gina K, she will be liaison with resident and police. A lengthy discussion regarding the shooting that took place at 1015 Wilt St and 1118 Wilt St. where suspect barricaded himself in the basement on 4/20/03. Police discussed being proactive within the NH, and communicate problems to police. Key is to be alert and in laced in your NH Lights on front and back porches, be out in and visible make drug dealers, and undesirables, feel they are being watched. Crime prevention is effective if NH works together. At any given time there are 3 John car's on day's 6 John car's on Evenings and 4 John car's on night shift, within the NH area. There is and increase in Larceny in the HN in March,</p>	Cont.

	and down in January and February. To report a drug house contact Joe Musi Leader of Drug House Control at 427-1203 or call 911 for any concern. James Jones from Anthony Petit area called for a Youth Crisis Conference.	
Rental Housing Ordinance	This ordinance is coming b4 City Council. This will give authority to deal with housing and rentals and tenants.	
Presidents Announcements	Great American Clean up is scheduled for Saturday May 17, 8am – 12noon (Meet at the Swinney Homestead Building) Amending housing ordinance regarding housing and building standards. Questionnaire from city code enforcement, Cindy asked for attendance’s input on questionnaire	
Public Garden Committee	Mary R, had nothing to report. Will be committee meeting after WCNA meeting tonight.	
WCNA Swinney Park Improvement Committee	Helen Pyle and Dan Hamlin presented info regarding Ice Cream Social on 5/17/03 in West Swinney Park from 11am to 4pm Park Clean-up will be on 5/31/03 from 8:30 am to noon. Please bring Garden Tools and Dress appropriately.	Will cont to monitor.
Street Lights	WCNA will need to pay \$10,000 for project this year and then balance of WCNA’s commitment next year.	
Moody Park	Committee is working on clean up and are in need of volunteers.	
SWAT	Mary to attend SWAT	Cont
Signage in WCNA	Will contact Director of Community Development, regarding yard signs, and contact the Right of Way Department for signs left on the park strip.	
Parking Control	A car can be ticket if it has not moved in 24 hours.	
WCNA SIGN	Discussion regarding location for Other WCNA Sign	Need for further discussion.
Concerned Citizen’s Watch	Several people expressed concern over getting training for CCW.	Names collected and will form a committee.
Sign-in sheet/Email Alert Page	Sign attendance log, and if you have email, please give us email address, to email neighborhood alerts.	
Police Memorial	On 5/10/03 at 11 am there will be	

	a Police Memorial for officers that have fallen in the line of duty. Memorial will be held at small park next to Wood Shack on Fairfield.	
Neighborhood plan	Carol S. Reports the committee is moving forward with Plan, Including down zoning suggestions for areas of the NH, Increasing the Historic district area, Housing and Neighborhood Code issues, Looking at Re-use of Vacant GE Parking Lots, and Public Safety.	Cont.
BZA	Darlene Taylor for Cedars Hope Group Home regarding petition for variance on 813 Fulton St property. Asking for variance to not comply with off street parking requirements. And combining the 2 small lots into 1 lot. Meeting is 4/22 at City County Building RM 810, ALSO there is variance for 511 – 517 W. Wayne for Bed and Breakfast, Also variance for 1328 W. Wayne St for back yard fence.	
West Nile Info	66% of Mosquitoes come from water in a tire, and 24 % from Containers... FYI Mosquitoes Duck works for 30 days for ponds and gutters, Also Remember to wear Repellent with DEET	
Meeting Ajourned	Motion made and carried	