

**Green Bay Neighborhood Leadership Council  
Minutes**

Thursday, February 5, 2015 5:30pm.

**Riverside Ballroom**

**1560 Main Street, Green Bay, WI 54302**

**NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION MEMBERS:**

<u>abs</u> Molly Martzke (Astor)	<u>x</u> Mike Erickson (Joannes Park)	<u>x</u> Rosa Herrera (Olde North)
<u>x</u> Bobbie Lison (Astor East River)	<u>x</u> Carolyn Mackenna (John Muir Park)	<u>x</u> Josh Malcore (Olde Norwood)
<u>x</u> Skip Wilson (Baird Creek)	<u>x</u> Jim Jacque (King of Arms)	<u>x</u> George Raymaker (Preble Area)
<u>x</u> David Blackman (Bay Highlands)	<u>x</u> David Hintz (MacArthur Heights)	<u>x</u> Dave Bieda, Jane Hansen (Red Smith)
<u>abs</u> Dale Tease (Colburn)	<u>x</u> Beth Nadolski-Spears (Maple Arches)	<u>x</u> Kathy Jerry (Schmitt Park)
<u>abs</u> Glenn Spevacek (Downtown)	<u>x</u> Jim Ridderbush (Marquette Park)	<u>abs</u> Miriah Kelley (Seymour Park)
<u>x</u> Trudy Jacobson (East Shore Drive)	<u>x</u> Brett Knoespel (Mather Heights)	<u>x</u> Debbie Tilot (Starlite)
<u>x</u> Taku Ronsman (Fireman's Park)	<u>x</u> Craig Runnoe (McAuliffe Park)	<u>x</u> JoAnn Piepenburg (Three Corners)
<u>x</u> Joy Glass (Fisk Addition)	<u>x</u> Nancy Boedicker (Navarino)	<u>x</u> Scott Vanidestine (Wilder Park)
<u>x</u> William Peters (Fort Howard)	<u>x</u> Joe Morgan (Nicolet Drive)	<u>x</u> Adam Moore (Woodside Heights)
<u>x</u> Joe Rabideau (Fritsch Park)	<u>x</u> Dan Theno (Oak Grove)	
<u>x</u> Diane Matthews (Graceland)		

**APPOINTED MEMBERS:**

x Mayor Jim Schmitt  
x Noel Halvorsen, Executive Director of NeighborWorks Green Bay, Chair  
x Cheryl Renier-Wigg, Neighborhood Development Supervisor  
x Billie Jo Horsens, Neighborhood Development Specialist  
x Caitlin Green, Neighborhood Support Specialist, Secretary  
x Melanie Czpinski Skalmoski, Neighborhood Watch

**Roll Call:** Mayor Schmitt, Alderman Wery, Alderman Scannel, CSI's, Lt. Gary Richgels, Community Services Agency Director Kim Flom, Chief of Staff Andy Rosendahl, Cpt. Bongle, Cpt. Muraski

1. Consent Agenda
  - a. The meeting of February 5, 2015 was called to order at 5:33pm. Minutes of November 6, 2014 and a current financial report were approved. The 2015 budget, pre-approved by the GBNLC Steering Committee on January 21, were approved, with all in favor.
2. Mayor's Report
  - a. The Mayor spoke on how supportive the community is of our Neighborhood Associations and the GBNLC, and that the fund campaign will be wrapped up by the end of March. He also gave updates on the KI Convention Center, the Hampton property, Northland, the new development on the far East side, as well as the Larson Green project. He also welcomed Kevin Vonck, even though he could not be in attendance, to the Economic Development Department.
3. CLI Conference Team

- a. Seven neighborhood members went to Cincinnati, Ohio for the Community Leadership Institute Conference. They received a \$2,000 grant to put on basic courses/introductory workshops on how to improve homes and live healthier. These courses are FREE with a \$5 suggested donation. For more information visit the Green Bay Neighborhood Leadership Council Facebook page or contact NeighborWorks by calling 920.593.3710 or emailing [gina@nwgreenbay.org](mailto:gina@nwgreenbay.org).
4. Colburn Pool Update
  - a. Alderman Wery reported that City Council has agreed to revamp Colburn Pool; the only Olympic size pool remaining in Wisconsin, north of Appleton. The Friends of Colburn Pool have been tasked with fundraising one million dollars. Let Alderman Wery know if you would like a presenter at your neighborhood meetings or events.
5. Crimes Targeting Older Population
  - a. Lt. Gary Richgels of the Green Bay Police Department spoke on fraud and scams, specifically in the Green Bay area. He told stories of unsolicited phone calls, emails, visits, fake magazine subscriptions and impersonators. He made an important point to know where your information is kept and if you ever have any question or concern to contact the Police Department as soon as possible. The Police Department would prefer to help you determine if it is a scam than file a report after the scam has taken place.
6. Protocol on Political Candidate Forums
  - a. A reminder to the Neighborhood Associations was made that they are not allowed to single out any specific candidate for advocacy. Associations are allowed to have a forum in which all candidates have been invited, but nothing more.
7. Ideas for March Breakout Sessions
  - a. The GBNLC is considering having breakout sessions for the March meeting. Grants, insurance, fundraising, budgeting, auditing, website training, and leadership development were just a few of the ideas tossed around.
8. City Staff Update
  - a. The Neighborhood Associations have fundraised \$5,426 for the GBNLC Capital Campaign, with another \$1,000 in three year pledges. Many thanks from the GBNLC.
  - b. Capt. Bongle & Capt. Muraski presented on the two new District Captains, who could not be in attendance. John Laux is the new captain for District C, and Kevin Warych will be the new captain for District D.
9. Open forum
  - a. AER will have a roller skating event Saturday, February 7<sup>th</sup>.
  - b. ESD will have an event on Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup> on what is happening on the bay.
  - c. Oak Grove's Annual Meeting and BINGO event will be Tuesday, February 24<sup>th</sup>.

- d. Joannes Park is working on putting together a neighborhood night with the Green Bay Bullfrogs.
- e. Joy Glass, President of Fisk Addition, will be stepping down as President to become treasurer. She will be mentoring Vicki Petersen as she takes over for President. Many thanks to Joy Glass for all she has done for Fisk Addition over the years.

10. Adjournment

- a. Meeting adjourned at 7:05pm.