NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL #6 MEETING – Sunnyside School Library April 5, 2017

Council Members Present: Carl Donovan, Robin Baker, Julie Parker, Cherry Loney Three neighbors also attended along with six students.

Council Members Excused: Darrell Beauchamp

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Old Business:

Minutes of the March 1, 2017 meeting were approved as written.

Committee Reports:

Council of Councils: No report Police Advisory: No report

Neighborhood Watch: Julie discussed results of the Neighborhood Watch initiative at recent Sunnyside parent/teacher conferences. There were 11 new people who completed the NW application form. By April 20, Julie needs updates to the NW list that was distributed to each of us last spring with our follow up assignments. If you've learned people moved or have a new email address, etc., she needs to know. Julie will then update the master list for everyone inclusive of the new recruits. We will review it at the May meeting to update our individual follow up assignments.

New Business:

Carl Donovan said he's had complaints about the intersection at 15th Street and 10th Ave South with people trying to get in/out of Town Pump and navigate both 10th Ave South traffic as well as the one-ways correctly. Carl himself was almost in an accident at the intersection because of another vehicle not following traffic signs/signals. Since it is state highway, he will contact MDOT to discuss. We will also discuss with Officer Gerhart at the May meeting.

Ice Cream Social: The 2017 social is planned for Wednesday, June 7 at Sunnyside Park. Patty will write a letter to Meadowgold requesting a donation of three large containers of ice cream. Julie will pick the ice cream up on the day of the social. Robin will contact Pepsi about donating pop. She will also bring tables and canopies as in years past. Cherry will work with GFPS to get a flyer in Wednesday Envelopes and will also pick up spoons, napkins, cones, and toppings. We will finalize details at the May meeting.

Neighborhood Concerns:

Debra Pachek, 1900 16th Ave. So. again discussed an issue with her neighbor who she believes is shooting her dog with a BB or pellet gun. She has reported her complaint to GFPD, although there is no evidence the dog was shot. She has an appointment with the vet to extract something that is under the dog's skin, which the council suggested she save for evidence. She also mentioned that traffic continues to speed on 16th Ave. So. Emma White, 1624 19th St. So., agreed stating she has brought this up previously. The council suggested they bring it up at the May meeting with Officer Gerhart.

The meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cherry Loney, Secretary