

EAST MOUNTAIN NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

Minutes for October 18, 2023

Attendees: 34

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM by President Bob McGovern. He then led the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silence for our departed neighbors and any sick neighbors. Our community prayer was said.

Our community police officer and legislative representative - Michael DiGiovancarlo-spoke:

Speed bumps were installed on East Mt. Rd. by the park - will be pulled up at end of November. Speeding cameras should be installed in the park area in January 2024. This should help with speeding. He again recommended taking the citizens academy program next time it is available. It has been quiet in the neighborhood - no complaints or reports. The medical complex by BJ's is going ahead - residents will be notified when blasting begins. The project is about 6 weeks out. Residents are urged to make sure to get the pre-blasting inspection from the company doing the blasting. Take lots of pictures inside and outside of home

Fire Marshall Tom Fitzgerald spoke also:

All blasting in the city goes through the fire department and reiterated that residents will be notified before blasting takes place.

It is the heating season now so more heaters are being used. Make sure your furnace is in good working condition and your smoke detectors and CO detectors are working - check the batteries. If you have a fire extinguisher, make sure it is easy to get at. Be careful with Christmas trees- they burn rapidly. Also, extension cords are to be used for major appliances only. When charging cell phones and iPads, make sure surface is well ventilated.

Important - know your home and how to get out if a fire occurs. Set up a meeting place outside of house so everyone can be accounted for.

Secretary report is online.

Treasury report was given.

Neighborhood watch quiet.

Neighborhood council quiet. Council dinner will be held Thursday, October 19, 2023.

This year Larry Davino will be honored for all his work here in East Mt.

People are needed to help remove the flags on Saturday, November 11th. Also will need volunteers to put up the Christmas tree lights.

Holiday party ideas will be talked about at the November meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:55 PM

