



HAZEL HEIGHTS RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION



Minutes for Annual General Meeting Agenda

Tuesday March 25th, 2025
Rivergrove Community Centre
Start Time: 7:02pm

1. Call to Order - Ruchi Ambike called the meeting to order at 7:02pm
2. Roll Call - we have quorum - Rushmi motioned and Cort Approved
3. Approval of Agenda -
 - a. Jason motioned the agenda, Joan second
4. Approval of previous AGM Minutes - [w AGM - Minutes March 23rd , 2024.docx](#)
 - a. Cort has motioned to approve, Peter seconded
5. President's Report
 - a. 95 people membership - looking to add more people to the RA
 - b. The bowling event was a membership drive,
 - c. We appreciate your renewal, and ask for you to bring your neighbors
 - d. Questions - did we grow - Response from Ruchi: we have less then when we started the HHRA in 2023 at 130
 - e. Events update
 - i. Technology sessions at Mindshare, 6-sessions, people found the sessions very informative
 - ii. All Things Mississauga, our park event in June, for when we received our grant for \$2,500, social time, tree planting and Beaver Tails
 - iii. Pot Luck Bowling in November - we will continue to do this
 - iv. Virtual with Peel Police - we will continue to do this event we had 30 people join this
 - v. Light the Way Walk - December, hot chocolate, looking at night time street safety was shared with Electra - issues have all been resolved
 - vi. Issue of the tree at Briston and Durie - visibility was challenged, but as per the city, that it was not an issue
 - vii. Foods Bank Mississauga - 4826 pounds of food was sorted by HHRA members, donation to the food bank was \$400 - 11 people

- ix. went to the event
 - viii. We applied for the small matching grant have been approved for \$2,500 - June 21st - looking for volunteers to join the planning committee and will send an invite to the attendees
 - ix. City of Mississauga provides us with funding for our meeting rooms
6. Approval of Financial Statement Report ending December 31st, 2024
- a. Sue Andrews introduction
 - i. Sue provided a walkthrough of the financial statements
 - ii. No questions were asked
 - iii. \$6,700.00 is the bank balance with the \$2500 from this year
 - iv. Motion to approve Gordana, Bernice seconded
7. Appointment of Open Board Roles
- a. Ruchi announces that Joan Paulin leaving the board and acknowledges the work that Joan has done as a founding member
 - b. Ruchi nominates Sue Andrews as the Treasurer
 - i. Ruchi motions, Joan seconds the motion
8. Election of new Board members
- a. Lori Malkiewicz- lived in the area for 30 years, wants to be involved in the community, newly retired
 - b. Peter McCallion - lived in the area 37 years, loves the community and will do whatever it takes to make it better
 - c. Ruchi motions that Lori and Peter to the board, Connie seconded the nominations, voting all of attendees (-2) have approved
 - d. You don't have to be a Board Member to help and volunteer
9. Other Business - arising from the floor
- a. Question: the tree at the Bristol Durie corner - can the white stop line be moved further up and we can see clearly.
 - i. Currently you have to edge forward to see, and you block the walk way
 - ii. Can the tree be pruned for three branches
 - iii. Someone did talk to the neighbor, who is not agreeing to make the adjustment
 - iv. Cort asks for everyone to send Councillor Horneck an email regarding the tree
 - b. Is the cross walk on the Bristol bridge part of the HHRA
 - i. No it is not part of the HHRA
 - c. Question regarding HHRA Growth
 - i. Why do people not want to participate in the HHRA and make the community better
 - ii. Do we have people attending the AGM canvass the neighbourhood
 - iii. Can we give members an HHRA sign to post on their window
 - iv. Canvassing with HHRA t-shirts
 - d. Called the city regarding the branches in the park - takes 5-10 business days to clean
 - i. Also address the low lighting in the park
 - ii. Asked to email the HHRA

10. Adjournment - 7:32

- a. Ruchi motioned to adjourn the meeting, Doug seconded the motion

These notes are for the Newsletter update

Post AGM:

Start Time:

Hosted by: Cort Fowler, Vice President

- Peel Police, Counsellor Horneck, and Safe City Mississauga will provide updates
 - We invited Peel Police 11 Division for an update
 - Get the names of the individuals who are presenting
 - Comparing HHRA with the 11 division numbers
 - Use the data that was provided and add it to the newsletter
 - Check crime areas, bike patrol and foot patrol
 - Hiring 300 officers this year, they will go to the front-line and deployed to high crime areas
 - Question regarding 911 responsiveness
 - Hiring more call -takers
 - The stats show that the calls are coming in quickly and the answer speed is faster
 - Real-time operations to have speed to responsiveness
 - Traffic and speed concern in the neighborhood
 - Tony will email to the HHRA and forward to PRP
 - Is the road watch program still in effect
 - Yes, you can log in to the website (provide website) add the information on the website
 - The PRP will follow-up with a response
 - What is the strategy for the intersection at Carolyn and Creditview where there have been a number of collisions
 - This is a city strategy, Councillor Horneck will discuss
 - The trails that are outside of our area, who is monitoring the park and trails
 - The police do monitor the parks and trails, but not necessarily at 3am
 - Will the community policing hub return to Streetsville?
 - PRP is focused on patrolling and not necessarily having community hubs
- Safe City Mississauga Presentation
 - Invitation to Neighborhood Night Out -
 - Provide supplies to clean up the neighborhood
 - Fundraising opportunities
 - Neighborhoods that talk and get together reduce crime
- Our Space, Urban Planners who are hoping to implement park improvements at Brown's Heights and other local parks, will be attending to get feedback from members on our park.
 - Initiative to revitalize urban parks, notice that it is isolating living in urban areas
 - Work with local parks, places where we can represent local identities
 - Our mission to revitalize parks into community hubs
 - Looking to have a pilot project installation / intervention at Brown's Heights - wanting to do an event in June
 - Applying to grants and sponsors to bring their community spaces to HHRA - Brown's Heights

- Asking for community members to join as advisors - envision the Activities, Settings, and Users
- 2 HHRA Members will share their thoughts and ideas on neighbourhood safety.
 - Jeff and Ravi
 - Share the slide deck with the members in the newsletter
 - Agreement to have a survey go out to the neighbourhood
 - We need to get 250 households - be part of the HHRA + security
- Joe Horneck
 - Bristol / Creditview intersection - 3 fatalities in 2 years
 - Street audit
 - Light time
 - Angles audited
 - What are the short term things to make changes
 - Adding laddering on the cross walk
 - Visible day and night
 - \$8k for the crosswalk
 - 2027 - the entire corner from Bristol / Creditview to ceremonial, the sidewalks and the walkways will all be changed
 - Look at design of the road to make this safer
 - Red light cameras
 - Top 20 most dangerous intersections in the city
 - Adding speed cameras / that will be in rotation
 - Property Taxes
 - Send messages to Joe
 - Joe has issues with the city budget and regional budget
 - Making sure that there are not large reserves
 - Not happy with the rate of taxes
 - Council has added new services that are increasing taxes
 - Winrow clearing service - biggest expansion of services, this is a luxury level service
 - Senior programming - free during the day for over 65
 - Expanded leaf clean-up for neighborhoods that are 40 years old and their trees are mature
 - Secondary sidewalk clearing