



Lafayette Square Neighborhood Association (LSRC)  
Board of Directors Meeting  
May 3, 2022

The Board met in person with the following members present: Abbey Schlueter, Sarah Hurst, Jeff Baird, Megan Biegacki, Christina Ryan, Brooke Gocken, Jamie Shahmirzadi, Jill Peckinpaugh, Tim Strickfaden, Kelly Schlueter, Ian McCormack

#### **Meeting Minutes:**

The meeting was called to order and last month's minutes were unanimously approved at 7:01 PM.  
Motion by Kelly, 2nd by Abbey.

#### **Ongoing Business:**

**Park House Keys Update-** Received 2 quotes around \$3,500 to complete the wiring and hardware of keylock pads. This would be a one-time expense out of the Park House Maintenance funds. The cost is \$1,500 over budget.

Motion passed to spend the extra \$1,500. Motion by Brooke, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kelly.

Wifi recently got installed. We have gotten request from renters to update the stackable chairs which is being looked into. We believe all these updates justify the increase in rental fees.

**LSNA Race Update-** We have partnered with Run Niche to create a Patriots' Day Run to be held Sunday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:30am. This will be a 1 mile run with a kid's race. Square One will be giving away a free pour in a custom Lafayette Square cup and Sqwires will be hosting a brunch in their annex. We need volunteers to help with the race.

**Easter Egg Hunt-** Event was a success with a turnout over 300 people. Next year there will be a free registration where parents can choose to make a donation.

**Garden Tour/Antiques/Etc-** We have raised \$8,000+ in sponsorships so far, 7 garden vendors, 30 antique vendors. We need docents so look out for an email from Membership with the link. Communications is going to purchase a registration/tickets sign that we can reuse for events.

#### **Committee Updates:**

**Membership Update-** Members at the \$60 level and up will receive a free beer from Square One at the first concert, June 4<sup>th</sup>. There will be a membership tent with a QR code that neighbors can join on site.

**Treasurer Update-** We have gotten a few donations that we can use where we see needed.

**Fundraising Update-** Garden Tour & Antique Fair June 4<sup>th</sup> 10am- 5pm

**Business Affairs Update-** Discussed ways we can engage the businesses more and give back.

**Safety Update-** N/A

**Capital Improvement Update-** Improvements continue on Waverly PI and working on getting the last historic street signs installed.

**Communications Update-** The new directory is in its final stages. Our photo contest was a success with over 100 photo entries. Contest winners will be announced in the Marquis and social media.

**Preservation Update-** Problem Properties duties have been absorbed into the Preservation Committee.

**Upcoming Meetings:**

The next General Membership Meeting, May 11<sup>th</sup> in-person at Sqwires.

Kelly called for the meeting to be adjourned, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Abbey. All agreed and the meeting ended at 8:35 pm.