

The Movie Colony Annual Meeting  
May 6, 2008  
The Colony Palms Hotel  
Palm Springs, Ca 92262

Call Meeting to order by Dick Mandell, 6:00pm

Approved minutes of the May 24, 2007 meeting

Treasurer's Report, Dick Mandell

Nominating Committee Report and Election, Ken Feenstra

We had elections for four(of seven) open advisor positions. Candidates that ran for the positions were Diane Ahlstrom (incumbent), Mary Lou Feenstra (incumbent), Dick Mandell (incumbent), Philip Meyer and Kurt Wendelborg. All were elected with exception of Kurt.

Street Signage, Mary Lou Feenstra:

Mary Lou presented designs for the Movie Colony Toppers that will go on top of some of the street signs in our neighborhood. Each group designs their own toppers and decides where they will be placed. We liked the idea of placing them on the perimeter signs in our neighborhood. We also liked the black and white. Approved unanimously.

Traffic Calming and Landscaping/Spanish Inn Area, Graham Young

Graham's plane was delayed so he was unable to attend.

Status of Spanish Inn, Arlene Battishill

Arlene had to resign due to work obligations

CERT Update, Joan Smith

Five Movie Colony members completed training. PS fire would like to see 21. Neighborhood needs to gather information regarding the people we have living in our area to assist in a problem or disaster.

Real Estate Update, Steve Hannegan, Prudential California.

Steve gave a positive presentation of real estate in our area. We aren't doing as bad as some areas in California. Last summer was busy and we are hoping this summer will be the same. We live in a very desirable location.

Neighborhood Watch Signs, Kurt Wendelborg

We approved 12 Neighborhood watch signs to be displayed in our area. Kurt suggested 13 spots. Kurt spent time riding his bike around and picking spots he thought were needed.

Neighborhood Watch Academy, Dick Mandell

Sometime this fall Movie Colony will have an academy for the Neighborhood Watch.

Private Security Services, Dick Mandell

We still don't have enough interest for hiring a patrol for our streets. Las Palmas recently had their service quit do to high costs and not enough interest to support them.

Traffic Problems, Dick Mandell

None to speak of. We are waiting for street light at Tamarisk and Indian. Conflicting info on when that will happen.

Proposed Website Changes, Arlene Battishill

Not in attendance

Palm Springs Neighborhood Involvement Committee Picnic, Ruth Hardy Park, May 10

Everyone invited to picnic.

Next meeting November, 2008. Attendees thought Tuesday nights were good. We need to amend bylaws to have meetings in Fall and Spring.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40.

Before the meeting we had a program that included:

Mayor, Steve Pougnet

City Manager, David Ready

City Council, Ginny Foat

Partner of Colony Palms Loft Project, Carol Blum

Uptown Mercants, Tony Larcombe