# Heritage Valley Area Community Association Meeting Minutes for May 25-2013

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

A regular monthly meeting was held at Ben Hill Recreation Center on 25 May2013 . The meeting began at 12:10- President Tselani Lang presiding - other officers present were Claude Strickland.

### Invocation

Invocation led by Claude Strickland with Prayer

#### **Minutes**

No previous minutes were read or approved due to the absence of Secretary Diane Hardin.

## **Treasurer Report -**

March and April's reports were presented by Claude Strickland with approval to accept the ending balance of \$6725.05 for March and \$6777.05 for the month of April.

## **Code Enforcement Report –**

For the month of May a letter was written to the property owners of 34XX Revere about parties and neighborhood concerns, a letter was received back in response which was shared to the community. It is urged that the police are continuously called as soon as parties commence at this residence to deter this behavior. 17XX Valley Ridge a letter was written to the property owners regarding the tree limbs that extend onto the street as of 5-25 the branches were cut by the homeowner and the right of way was cleared. 34XX was reported to Atlanta Housing Authority for review. In addition several properties were reported for overgrown lots in the community.

## **Crime Report-**

Sergeant Carroll of APD took residents complaints and conducted the crime report for zone 4.

#### Old Business -

• The most recent clean-up in April was discussed and ways to improve future clean-ups. A motion was moved to have two clean-ups per year. **Motion Carried** 

## **New Business -**

- The passing of Althea Jones was discussed a motion was moved to table the filling of her position until the next meeting in June. **Motion carried.**
- The donation to Altheas memorial fund at Morehouse College was discussed. A motion to donate \$100 of behalf of Heritage Valley in her honor was moved. **Motion Carried**
- The upcoming Community walk to honor Althea Jones on June 8<sup>th</sup> was discussed and it was agreed that beverages would be served to participants Leanne Patterson will be hosting this event.

## **Questions, Comments and Announcements –**

The community spoke about how to increase meeting attendance and it was suggested by Doris Birch to have neighborhood outings she agreed to look into this in the future. The community also discussed Christmas decorations and at the beginning of 2014 forming a committee for this task.

**MEETING ADJOURNED** by President Lang with motion and second at 1.05 pm

Respectfully

Tselani Lang President