

Glen Park Association Board Meeting  
MINUTES  
July 12, 2023  
7:00-8:30 PM  
In Person - Outdoor Meeting at Schiraldi home



**GPA Board Members Present:**

Hilary Schiraldi, President  
Heather World, Membership  
Bonnee Waldstein, Communications secretary  
Carolyn White, Recording secretary  
Jessica Bogo, Recreation and Parks  
Nicholas Dewar, Greenway  
Stephany Wilkes, Budget

**Absent:**

Dennis Mullen, Treasurer  
Carolyn Deacy, Program chair  
Adrienne Lacau, Vice-President  
Steve Green, Transportation  
Kevin Berkemeyer, Health and Environment  
Dan Wright  
Phil Hamm, Glen Ridge board liaison to GPA  
Octavio  
Mary Szczepanik, Webmaster

Meeting called to order at 7:06 PM

## **Announcements**

Reported crimes in the village recently include Higher Grounds, Buddies and a residence on Chenery.

## **Board Meeting Minutes**

- Heather moved to approve the June 14, 2023, board minutes. Bonnee seconded. MSA.
- Bonnee moved to approve the July 12, 2023, board minutes. Hilary seconded, 1 abstention. MSA.

## **Quarterly Meetings**

- The July quarterly meeting was successful.
- The October quarterly meeting will be on October 12. Agenda ideas include Coyotes, Glenridge history and low income housing (Supervisor Mandelman).

## **Grants**

- Community Challenge Grants are due late September/October
- GPA Grants Committee: Stephany will chair. Bonnee, Carolyn W, Hilary? Will be on the committee. Need to develop criteria.

## **Halloween**

- Elena DiMuzio is on top of it. Zahra Hajee at Supervisor Mandelman's office has been extremely helpful. The Supervisor's office will pay for the street closure.
- Branded candy: We can get Hershey Miniatures with our logo and message printed for \$0.39 each, with 20% discount with a code.  
<https://www.justcandy.com/products/jcbp0001-mn-custom-candy-with-logo?color=White&via=5ec559a361707011c304117a%2C5bff17f06a636136d7010087%2C5cb8aa2b6a63610835000076>

## **Committee Reports**

- Membership: 286 members.
- Greenway (Nicholas): Money is needed, but they still have many volunteers.
- Rec & Park (Jessica): Will research options for a holiday party.

Heather moved to adjourn. Jessica seconded. Meeting adjourned at 8:30 PM.

## Notes on July 22, 2023 RefuseRefuse Cleanup

Future cleanups:

August 19

September 23

October 14

November 18

CD sent request to George Li at DPW.

Marian and Carolyn D will pick up/drop off supplies

Marian will post flyers in GP, thanks.

We've picked up 428 bags of trash since May 2022:

May 2022, 45 bags

June 2022, 46 bags

August 2022, 26 bags

Sept 2022, 25 bags

October 2022, 33 bags

November 2022, 28 bags

December 2022, 28 bags

January 2023, 26 bags

February 2023, 30 bags

March 2023, 24 bags

April 2023, 32 bags plus a trampoline, a chair and a hubcap

May 2023, 38 bags

June 2023, 22 bags a firehose and a hubcap

July 2023, 25 bags plus: Flat screen TV, luggage, shopping cart, office chair, mattresses

Notes:

- Marion and a few others swept the sidewalk/area near the Glen Park welcome sign.
- Glen Park is clean! We are asking people where they would like to clean and sending more teams up the hill
- It was a great clean up. A good show of people to pick up trash. 23 volunteers and 25 bags of trash.
- New volunteers get the orientation: Do not pick up sharps, 311 app for large items and sharps, bag drop off location, end 11:30