

**Eastgate 5/5/2018
Meeting Notes**

1. Tim Anderson announced that the association had a 501c3 status but it is dormant. It will cost \$600 to reactivate it. A vote will be held at the next meeting due to low attendance.
2. No minutes were read as Colleen was not present.
3. Eric Smith, Jonathan Tomko and Erin were nominated for the board of directors.
4. Board is needed to approve expenditures like Summer BBQ, signage and printing costs.
5. Neighborhood Watch update by Maria Brown. Still organizing with numerous neighbors (12) saying they will participate. Planning a Block Watching meeting with our Police Community Liaison on May 14th.
6. Two neighbors reported that unknown folks attempted to break into their homes on Stratford on Saturday morning (5/5/2018)
7. Tim stated that he feels that NPA will improve based upon talks with HUD, the City of Columbus and the owners. He could not elaborate at this time.
8. No Treasurer's report as the Treasurer was not present.
9. Scott Spears talked about affordable internet security camera system (YI Home Camera System) that costs \$100 for a pack of 4 cameras. He suggested that perhaps the association could buy 1-2 sets to be distributed to hot spots in the neighborhood.
10. New Police Commander, Eichenrow(sp?), has taken over our area. Strausbach (sp?) has moved over to SWAT.
11. Eastgate Elementary support update by Pat Gregory: Funds sent 8 Special Ed students on a field trip. Jonathan Tomko held an open house that gathered food donations for the Eastgate Elementary pantry. Plan on putting together weekend snack packs in backpacks with include all food groups. The principle stated that many of the children's only meal is what they get at school.
12. Eastgate Elementary was billing the association \$465 a month for holding meetings that never happened. The principle cleared it up.
13. New Business: Dates for Community Yard Sale (June 16th, 9am - 2pm) and Eastgate Stumble (July 14th, 4pm - 9pm, Casino theme with winnings donated) Maria Brown is coordinating, Picnic/BBQ with food drive: (August 18th noon - 3pm)
14. Halloween gathering with Woodland Park proposed by Maria Brown.
15. No update on Historic Neighborhood designation. Charlene said she talked with Doreen Uhas-Sauer about the process.
16. Adjourned at 4:53pm