

Meeting Minutes  
OCCO Neighborhood Meeting  
October 23, 2018 6:30-8:20 pm  
Rev. James Orange Park Rec Center



Board Members Present: Kyle Lamont, Diana Chika, Catherine Slocum, Klm Carter, Judy Walker, Katavia Sloan

Attendees: 37 attendees (including board members and guests)

#### **Zone 4 Police Update**

- Call this number if you want additional patrols 404-756-1903
- There is a form you can fill out

#### **Lee Street Corridor Proactive Rezoning Meeting**

- See attachment  
<https://drive.google.com/open?id=1FcGuOzWLSJW3C1vdQvGdR7DPiwZBQA1cMTu4-WJRsRE>

#### **Fort Mac**

- Leadership doesn't believe that we are receiving enough info about the rezoning process
- Kyle Lamont and Judy Walker will continue to keep us abreast of developments

#### **Councilmember Joyce Shepherd from Fort Mac**

- Fort Mac sits in Oakland City
- Community Engagement sub-committee meets every month
- History: closed in 2009; consultants recommended it would be a tech center; never happened; the govnt gives you 10 years to redevelop the base. We are coming up on 10 years
- Atlanta Regional Commission sees this as a project to lift up the southside of Atlanta
- We've had a lot of trouble finding developers willing to work below I20
- 488 acres of land
- VA has a satellite office in Fort Mac; about 10 acres. About to acquire more land. A great program for veterans.
- Tyler Perry purchased 340 acres; he wanted the whole thing but we decided to keep some for the community
- Steven McCally, developer
- Proposed projects:
  - School
  - Parks
  - Grocery store
  - Hotel
  - Shopping
  - Art space
- You can find the plan on the NPU website <http://www.npu-s.org/>
- We may use Opportunity Zones to fund development

- Is there a master plan connected to MARTA
- Call to action: we need more people to attend these meetings and have a voice.

#### Community Announcements:

[https://drive.google.com/open?id=1cNDb0tZ7ghNEga\\_eUBfrM299bHjloGNo](https://drive.google.com/open?id=1cNDb0tZ7ghNEga_eUBfrM299bHjloGNo)

- The Bakery
  - Will have an event making a map and mural art piece of SW Atlanta
  - Nov 14, Wednesday 6-8pm, 825 Warner St SW, Atlanta, GA 30310
  - <https://www.facebook.com/events/1758159967643162/>
- Neighborhood Prosecutor request
  - Can attend the the sentencing to show community support for harsher punishment.
- Please attend you NPU S meetings Thursday, Nov 15, 7pm <http://www.npu-s.org/>
- Zoning Committee meeting,
- Next Oakland City Porch Party, Halloween! 5pm
- \$25 is what it takes to become a member. We need money to work. We only have \$2,000 in the bank. Can donate at our website to pay dues. <https://www.occoatl.org/>
- We will have OCCO board elections in January. Please let us know if you'd like to run for a position. [info@occoatl.org](mailto:info@occoatl.org)
- Councilwoman Clela Winslow, doing work towards safety and crime prevention. Give her a call if you have concerns. (404) 330-6047
- Scrap Tire Drive November 17 in Greenbriar Mall
- Make sure to VOTE! You can early vote now. <http://www.fultoncountyga.gov/rae-home>