

# Tudor Area Community Council Meeting Minutes

Thursday, May 5, 2017

First Church of God on MacInnes & Tudor

Deanne Tuckerman, chair, called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. Last month's meeting minutes were approved.

**Legislative Report:** Senator Gardner's representative presented the latest sad tale from the legislature. Senate leadership has, in her view, provided only major obstructions to passing a balanced budget. The medical insurance for fallen peace officers' families bill passed both houses.

**Assembly Report:** Assemblyman Rivera will present Muni legislation to support medical insurance for fallen peace officers' families. Assemblyman Traini is once again chair of the Assembly. He discussed difficulties in applying current marijuana regulations, specifically measuring distances to protected facilities. Taxes will go up, ML&P rates will go up, SAP will eventually come on line after a \$78 million cost overrun, perhaps in mid-October.

**School Board:** Not present. Assemblyman Traini said the State is changing the school funding foundation formula so that the Muni cannot provide full funding to the school district. If the State does not provide funding, then the Muni can.

**FCC Report:** Jake Tuckerman gave a short run-down on the last Federation of Community Council meeting.

**Speakers:** None.

**Old Business:** There was further discussion of Scott Thomas's report on traffic accidents at Tudor Rd. and MacInnes St. that we received last month, and improvements that the State has proposed. Some members did not want to do away with the U-turn on Tudor Rd.

The council discussed a resolution supporting the addition of conduit to the State's proposed median changes along Tudor Rd. to provide the underground conduit needed for a future traffic light at Tudor and MacInnes St.

The council discussed the CIP (Capital Improvement Plan). We will move the Tudor/MacInnes traffic light to the first priority, and have repairing the sandbox at David Green Park in second place. All other CIP projects will follow in their current order.

**New Business:** The council discussed a special land use permit for a new restaurant at the site of the current light bulb store. The owners of the proposed facility, to be called Bread and Brew, attended the meeting and gave a presentation on how they intended to operate the new restaurant.

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