

Eastwood Civic Association General Membership Meeting Minutes

May 3, 2021

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- ❖ New member welcome
 - Mara Gomez
 - Kevin Grillo
- ❖ PUBLIC OFFICIALS
 - Judge George Barnstone
 - Evictions
 - Jordan Frazier, Chief-of-Staff for Councilmember-@-Large Sallie Alcorn
 - Budgets -- Fire Dept raises
 - <https://www.houstontx.gov/council/5/budget-survey-2021.html>
 - CONTACT: atlarge5@houstontx.gov
 - OR Jordan.Mcginty@houstontx.gov
 - Francisco Castillo for Precinct 2 Commissioner Adrian Garcia
 - Harris County Toll-Road Authority (HCTRA) funds in the future may go to flood preparedness and infrastructure
 - CONTACT: Francisco.castillo@pct2.hctx.net
 - 713.274.2394
 - Judge Dedra Davis
 - Civil Courts
 - Jury Summons now virtual
 - Courtroom streamed live
 - Field trips available
 - Councilmember Gallegos
 - COVID vaccination talk
 - Speed cushion placement survey, 10-14 new ones could prevent racing
 - Possibly on Altic, Dumble, Eddington, Walker, Rusk, Hughes
 - Eastwood Wastewater Drainage Project complete \$5M
 - B-Cycle stands @ Mason Park & @ Lockwood/Telephone
 - Rufus Cage
 - City owns it, investor wants to renovate into lofts / educational hub
 - 3 warehouses, rented out
 - “Cage-fighters” local group trying to save building was consulted, supposedly ok with this idea
 - Fondy Park Dog Run
 - Cemetery Forest Park Dog Run
 - Property from Houston Park Board to Parks Dept.

- Mason Park Master Plan
- Bike Lane on Lawndale btw Telephone and Bray's Bayou
- Railroad Quiet Zone Lacks 3 Xings
- Union Pacific @ Spring Meeting
 - Large board @ their dispatch displaying trains
 - 888.877.7267 (UP)
 - Blocked Xing tool --- <https://fragis.fra.dot.gov/GISFRASafety/>
- Sadly City cannot issue UP citations
- Coffee Plant, no news - was unaware Hemp fell thru
- Lightrail to Galleria and Green Line to Hobby, possible
<https://www.houstonchronicle.com/news/houston-texas/transportation/article/biden-2-trillion-infrastructure-plan-hobby-airport-16072956.php>
- Mara Gomez from LINK Houston
 - Ensure inclusive mobility - sidewalks and ADA access
 - Keep communities united
 - Increase access opportunity
 - June 3rd Virtual Street Safety meeting @ 10AM
 - <https://linkhouston.org/reports-briefings/equity-in-transit-2020/>
 - <https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/b0e125d19d8f4ef3a7f2e23d8544f845>
 - <https://eastendbikeplan.com/>
- Treasurer's Report
 - ~\$28k
 - **MOTION BY** Paul Fagin to Approve Report
 - **2nd** Kyle Rogers
 - ◆ Unanimous approval
- Board Mins.
- Solar Co-op
 - Upcoming Meeting Thursday May 6th
 - Update from Danielle LaPierre after
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5f-XKfaYgiE>
 - <https://coops.solarunitedneighbors.org/coops/city-of-houston-solar-co-op/events/>
- **Motion By** Paul Fagin to Adjourn
 - **2nd** Kevin Moore
 - Unanimous Approval

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