

Minutes of June 21, 2014 meeting

Was held at 4215 Surf Drive @ 3:00pm

Present: Melanie & Gordon Perry, Drew & Alice Hayward, Domingo & Michelle Fernandez, Justin & Jennifer Harker, Jean Mason, Laverne Carter, Guy Prater, Myrna Reingold, Ernest Flores, Ed Flores, Peter & Michelle Pedalino, Lew & Heidi Harrison, Jerry Mohn as our special guest.

Quorum was established by Myrna

Minutes from May 10th meeting were not available for approval, will suspend and review at next meeting.

We all welcomed **Jean Mason** as a new property owner; yes she just closed on her house. YEAH Ms. Jean.

Topics of discussion were **Hurricane Preparedness**. I still have Hurricane Guides available for anyone who would like one as well as information from the Red Cross and GIA.

I mentioned that we should all try to get to know our neighbors and exchange emergency contact information in case of a storm or hurricane. We need to become a community again so that we are all there for each other.

Then the topic of raking the beach. For the new people present special guest **Jerry Mohn**, president of W.G.P.O.A. explained what his organization did and being against raking, joined in the conversation and helped explain that the seaweed helps to trap the sand underneath to build it up the beach level which helps with erosion when there is a high tide or a storm. Also when it is not raked they will not go over the vegetation which here again helps with the high tides and is also pretty to look at. The vegetation that we had is mostly destroyed now due to this raking. (Side note: maybe with this current rain some of the vegetation will come back now for a while).

The disappointment among the Civic Club members that discussions which have always been voted on are now null & void because someone else has decided they want to do something else was discussed. Among this discussion was even the thought of becoming an actual **HOA**. Jerry Mohn supplied information on the topic of creating POA/HOA to the members present. This topic is being researched.

Meeting was adjourned at 5:00pm.

Next meeting is scheduled for Saturday July 26th at 10:00am and will be held at 14118 Miramar, home of Domingo & Michelle. (This is also his birthday so everyone come and help him celebrate).

Minutes supplied by Melanie Perry.