

ENONAC JUNE 8, 2010 GENERAL MEETING ST MARIA GORETTI CHURCH

President Scineaux-Richard called meeting to order at 6:15 p.m. Roll call of CAB and ENONAC Executive Board. Quorum not met, meeting considered informational until additional members arrive.

Suspended formal housekeeping of Agenda, Minutes and Treasurer Report until Quorum is reached.

President Scineaux-Richard introduced special guests. Councilman Fielkow was in attendance was recognized. New business:

President Noah Lewis of Franklin Avenue Baptist Church gave an overview of a new Sanctuary of Franklin Avenue Baptist Church to be located at Crowder, Lake Forest and I-10 Svc Road. Front side of church will be facing the I-10 interstate. Work to begin 2011. Projected costs will be \$20 million, 4000 seating capacity, and 2000 parking space.

Formation of New Business Outreach Committee. President Scineaux-Richard addressed the need to establish a Business Outreach Committee which will be a force to engage businesses to come to New Orleans East. This committee should also help market the East as a community and the opportunities that are available in the East. During this discussion, Quorum of CAB members were established to conduct ENONAC business. President Scineaux-Richard led the CAB members to offer motion of approval of the committee. Motion made by R. Baudy and 2nd by C. Duckworth. Committee formation and details to be discussed at length at the next CAB meeting to include committee members.

Continuation of housekeeping items performed. Motion by Duckworth and 2nd by Thornton on approval of June 8th Agenda. Secretary DeGruy read the minutes. Motion by L. Dinavaut and 2nd by R. Baudy to accept minutes.

Treasurer report by Treasurer T. Lee. Motion to accept Treasurer Report by C. Duckworth and 2nd by Drummer-Sanders.

Old Business: Update on the pending Lake Forest Development. Since Councilman Fielkow was in attendance we asked if he would give an update on what he knew. The TIF from the City has been approved but the delay now lies with the State. The State is not supporting the requested amount and being discussed during the current session which ends June 24th. Until this is resolved, the development is pending.

He also discussed these other topics: Being only a month into this new administration and new council, the transition is going smooth. Councilman Fielkow will try to attend our monthly ENONAC meeting but will always send his representative from his office who has been attending on a regular basis. He has advised Council man Johnson that he supports the mall and economic development. Enough of a market and population that can support Economic development. Share the story of New Orleans East needs to be told to the business community. Economic Development (city) meets once a week. Bring our platform to Economic Development committee each month to put pressure on the City. No wavering on his position on a full service hospital. He is in full support. Mayor wanted time to look at the hospital. He feels the council is still in support of the hospital. Fielkow spoke with C. Burgos May 7,

2010 and knows nothing is getting done. State still holding on passage of State TIF. Fielkow urged Burgos to hold a meeting to get information to the public. Burgos is still having getting funding from State (Baton Rouge). He feels we need to work collectively on the 6th Flag issue. City is open to a lot of ideas but lacks progress. Field of Dreams is not a substitute at a six flag site. More than ample land for sports complex and something else. Fielkow is still speaking with California. Money is still in Baton Rouge to conduct Feasibility study. We must have this done. It was approved a year ago. Richmond, Duplessis and Badon have been urged to get the money to the City to move forward. Fielkow wants to stay informed of what ENONAC is doing. He again reiterated that he is 100% commitment to East New Orleans. He is asking everyone to keep open mind on NORD. Reform that will go to the voters in October for approval. Community meeting will be done in each district. Reform based on best practices elsewhere is being taken to drive this reform.

Since he is now the Budge Chair for Finance, he has requested the status on the \$6 million pledge from the Hornets. Thus far, only \$4 million has been found. The money was put back into the City fund but he also does not know if \$6 million was ever the correct amount. It is still under investigation as of this date. Fielkow is still looking for the remaining funds. They found an ordinance regarding the \$6 million but only have identified \$3 million in regards to this \$6 million original pledge. Recommendation that the City needs to establish a pecking order for Eastern New Orleans needs and should be given to the State. Fielkow recommend we should articulate the impact that requests for District E to ensure full support of the residences of East New Orleans. Priority list from the City to the State should include the Hospital in the top 10 issues.

Goals and Objectives proposal to be sent as a Resolution signed by ENONAC and CAB members. ENONAC should contact Mike Sherman 1st Deputy Mayor for Intergovernmental Affairs to schedule a meeting. Agreed to discuss this matter at the next CAB meeting to establish a resolution to present to the Landrieu Administration on Goals and Objectives for Eastern New Orleans.

Crystal Daiquiri update: Hearing 9:00 Friday June 11, 2011 Judge Ledet Civil District Court B to determine to give license back or continue revocation. Good neighbor agreement received from owners of Daiquiri shop which will be shared with the CAB and Community. Discussed the content of Zoning #44-10 and 45-10 requesting a text change to allow sales, rental and leasing of trucks at this facility. Explained the content of the request and the impact of a text change. The City Planning Commission denied both requests. It will be forwarded to the City Council for decision. Community is not for this request and has voiced this to the Councilman of District E. The community is not against this business, but this business is not appropriate at this location (I-10 service Road between Read and Bullard. Discussion conducted on the need support to support the Renaissance Marketplace. Hours have changed to 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. More discussion held on marketing of this monthly event.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.