**Cypress Point Civic Association (CYPTCA) General Membership Meeting Minutes**

Wednesday August 13, 2024

*(meeting was held in the Cypress Point Clubhouse)*

**6:50       Social Time & Meet and Greet Bob/Sandy Morgan**

* + *Opportunity to meet new/old residents – fun facts about your neighbor!*

**7:11      Meeting opening Bill Filbert**

**7:11      Welcome, Pledge, and Moment of Silence Bill Filbert**

* + *Remarks for the crowd*
  + *Delicious cheese and cracker platter, and sangria too!*

**7:13 Police Report Collin Elliot**

* + *Welcome new 3rd Precinct Captain Collin Elliot. Virginia Beach has a shortage of officers and is recruiting candidates. The department is actively bringing in new technology to include body cameras, sensors, license plate readers, improved communication systems and better database systems. We continue to have low crime in our neighborhood.*

**7:35 Guest Speaker: Virginia Beach Registrars ??? ???**

* + *Guest speakers tonight were from the Registrar’s office. The discussion was on election integrity in Virginia Beach and our ability to hold transparent and free elections. The office’s two main responsibilities are manage voter registration and holding fair and honest elections. Additionally, the office validates and continuously maintains an accurate voter registration list. Election volunteers are always welcomed, and get paid.*

**8:05 Old Business Ben Miller**

* + *Minutes from last meeting read/posted on the website*
  + *Stay updated with our social media platforms (Facebook, website, and Nextdoor)*

**8:10 Financial/Membership Report John Bilzor**

* + *Electronic payment method (PayPal) is secure. Dues are $15/year*
  + *Total membership is at 85 paid households (11 new members this past month)*

**8:15 New Business Bill Filbert**

* + *Current officer slate for the 2025 year is President (vacant), First VP (David Gonzalez), Second VP (Joel Smith), Treasurer (Vacant), and Secretary (Ben Miller)*
  + *Upcoming events include Fall and Winter Holiday yard contests, and fall food drive*
  + *Keep your yards clean and clear from storm debris*

**8:22        Questions/Answers, 50/50 All**

* + *50/50 was held, $11 for the win*

**8:25        Adjourn All**

* + *Next meeting May 15th*