

ROOSEVELT ACTION ASSOCIATION

NEIGHBORHOOD MEETING

6/17/202

UL 2 Building, 650 North 2nd Ave.

- I. **CALL TO ORDER** @ 6:15 pm by Bill Scheel, President
- II. **ROLL CALL**: Board Members Present: Bill Scheel, Caroline Van Slyke, Carol Finney, Bryan Korte, Martin Bridgeman, Anna Flaaten, Joe Pfeiff, Adriana Wright. Residents Present: 16, 1 guest
- III. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**: Carol Finney
The minutes from the May 20th meeting were reviewed.
Motion to approve: Martyn Seconded: Motion passed unanimously.
- IV. **TREASURER'S REPORT**: Bryan Korte
Current Bank Balances: (as of 6/4/2025)
Checking: \$ 1,103,85
Savings: 31,865.46
Total: 32,969.31

R.A.A. Quickbooks Account has been submitted for annual 3rd party editing.

V. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**:

BLOCKWATCH GRANT: Safety Supplies—purchased with remaining 2024-25 Blockwatch

Funds—are provided at this meeting for residents to take home.

2025-26 BlockWatch Grant has been approved by the Police Department—funds

will be available in August.

HANCE PARK CONSERVANCY UPDATE: Bryan and Caroline attended the monthly HPC

Trustees' meeting:

The Gardens have been planted. Graffiti has been painted out. 10th Anniversary of

Noche en Blanco is coming up on October 25, 5:00 – 10:00 pm

HPC fundraising efforts target: new directional signage for “Wayfinding;” enhanced security—more video-cams?; enlarging the main entrances to the Park. Informational flyers will be available for handing out to homeless persons in Hance Park—directing them to the new Cooling Center on Jackson and Central. Crime: There was a shooting on Friday afternoon. Perpetrator is still at large

VI. **NEW BUSINESS + OPEN ISSUES:**

ASU DEVELOPMENT UPDATE: Ruben Alonzo, Executive Director, ASU Government and Community Engagement;
Rick Naimark, Associate VP, ASU Development Planning Department

ASU has announced the construction of the ASU Health headquarters in downtown Phoenix. The headquarters will include the new School of Medicine and Advanced Medical Engineering, the School of Technology for Public Health and ASU Health Observatory. It will feature classrooms, study spaces, laboratories, clinical exam/documentation and debrief rooms, and faculty/staff/administrative offices. Opening is project for Fall, 2028.

UPCOMING SOCIAL & NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS:

All Ages, All Stages Low Flow Yoga at Roosevelt Mini Park (837 N. 3rd. Ave. on Saturday, 21 June, 2025.

VII. **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

NO JULY R.A.A. MEETING . . . SEE YOU AUGUST 19!

VIII. **MEETING ADJOURNED** at 7:10 pm to social hour at **The Teapot**, 818 N. 5th Ave. Hosted by owner, Jonathan Pring.

Minutes submitted by Carol Finney, Secretary

June 19, 2025

