

**Pembroke Meadows Civic League**

**General Membership Meeting**

**October 17, 2019**

Dave started at 7 p.m. by introducing Renee, Jerry Cochran and Tom Walsh from the Bayside Lions Club. They presented information about their organization. They said all funds raised stay within the district area. They provide services at school sites both vision and hearing related. They also sponsor food basket programs in schools and annual scholarships. Also mentioned was that they need to find better ways to serve with fewer members. Their broom and peanut sales fund things, and they are having an increasingly more difficult time finding locations for these. They have also provided funds for seeing eye dogs and send money to national disasters such as floods and hurricanes. The volunteers meet once per month, and anyone interested was invited to attend. They are hoping to be able to sell brooms at the Halloween Walk. Brochures were handed out outlining the Lions Club Program.

Dave called the general meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. The minutes from the last meeting were approved and seconded as written.

The Treasurer was absent, so Dave gave the following Treasurer's Report as of September 30, 2019:

Business Money Market-PMCL	\$47,184.29
Civic League Checking	6,856.79
Savings CD	<u>35,349.17 (35,699.89 on 10/17/19)</u>
Total	\$89,390.25 (89,740.97 on 10/17/19)

**Old Business -**

Officer Treadway said 2 horses and a car will be there for the Halloween Walk on Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup>.

Volunteers are needed at the corners. Please contact Gerry Richter if you can help.

*Civic League Board Elections* – Dave presented the slate of candidates for the Civic League Board members. Jackie Savage has volunteered to be on the ballot for Second Vice President. We will be voting at the *Ferry Plantation House Wine, Beer and Cheese Event* on Thursday, November 21.

A motion was made and seconded to invite the Lions to sell brooms at the Halloween Walk and Chili Cookoff.

The city will be planting a red bud tree for Kate. The draft was sent back to the city approved with one bench to be replaced, and we are looking toward doing the same with the other two.

## **New Business -**

The Civic League Board approved rolling over the C/D.

Anna Schweitzer asked about maintaining the message board in the median. The cork needs to be replaced, and the bushes need trimming back.

John Kupfer said that the entranceway needs help. Dave explained that the Garden Club is putting forth efforts on beautification from the gazebo to Cathedral Drive. The Garden Club and the board will be discussing maintenance, etc. and bids are being put together.

Another member mentioned that we might need more signs announcing Civic League meetings. It was suggested that perhaps we could put signs on corners of major streets like we do for the Neighborhood Yard Sale.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 p.m.

