

Iles Park Neighborhood Association
Meeting Minutes June 4, 2018
Track Shack, 6pm



11 people were in attendance.

Updates

- **Ward 6 Alderman Kristin DiCenso**
 - Same graffiti artist continuing
 - Car breakins, but nothing crazy – way better than last summer
 - 1400 block S 5th – nuisance abatement

- **NPO Mike Badger & Neighborhood Watch**
 - Don't leave change or anything of value in cars! Thieves will break windows. They are organized and check door handles up & down the street every night.
 - Arrest last week of burglar linked to 70 burglaries
 - 2500 block S 4th home invasion – caught the guy
 - Identity / phone theft - volume is “amazing”; police are apalled. Originate overseas. Get money and social security / birth date. Theives are very slick. People loose \$80-250,000.
 - DON'T DEAL WITH ANYONE EXCEPT FACE-TO-FACE OR IF YOU INITIATE THE CALL.
 - NEVER GIVE YOUR INFORMATION AWAY.
 - SHRED ANYTHING WITH NAME OR NUMBER - It's not illegal to go through trash!
 - REVIEW YOUR CREDIT CARD STATEMENTS EVERY MONTH.
 - Consider attending the AARP program.
 - If someone comes to your door, be aware they they may try to distract you while an accomplice robs you. JUST SAY NO!
 - FIND SOMEONE REPUTABLE
 - If you are victimized, contact the credit reporting services right away.
 - FBI.gov – Current Scams tab at top
 - Graffiti artist details.
 - When to call for shots fired: when in your block
 - Call police if you hear screaming or threats.

- **National Night Out Aug 7 from 6-8pm with Harvard Park**
 - Need sponsor flyer update

Decisions

- **Iles Park Meeting Sept 10, 6pm – Jeff Reim, City Arborist** – Don Richards will ask him

Respectfully submitted, Carol Kneedler, Secretary