

VIRGINIA-HIGHLAND VOICE

NEWSLETTER OF THE VIRGINIA-HIGHLAND CIVIC ASSOCIATION • P.O. BOX 8041, STATION F • ATLANTA, GA. 30306

SEPTEMBER, 1973

MEETING SEPTEMBER 11

A general meeting of the Virginia-Highland Civic Association will be held on Tuesday, September 11, 1973 at 8:00 P.M. at Samuel M. Inman School, at the corner of Virginia Ave. and Park Dr., N.E.

Featured at the meeting will be reports on the status of I-485, the progress of zoning enforcement efforts in the neighborhood, planning for the future development of the neighborhood and the upcoming Tour of Homes. One vacant position on the Steering Committee will also be filled at this meeting.

Also planned for the meeting are visits by

For information about the Civic Association call any of the following members of the Steering Committee:

Joe Drolet, 875-3702

Sybil McWilliams,
872-4407

Kate Thompson,
875-5042

Starling Sutton,
876-2743

If you have not paid dues since January 1st please do so by sending \$10 to:

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some of the candidates for office in the city elections.

Everyone in the area is invited to attend.

PARK 485

The Georgia Department of Transportation on July 3, 1973 withdrew their previously issued permit to use the cleared highway land as a temporary park. The Department of Transportation gave no reason for this move to the city parks department or to our Association.

The Association will continue efforts to use the land as a temporary park and to force the highway department to maintain the land as required by law.

PICNIC

The July 4th Picnic and Birthday Party was a pleasant success and similar social events are being planned for the future.

The Civic Association thanks the many people who contributed their time and efforts to make this an enjoyable event.

NOTE: Please fill out the questionnaire on the reverse side of this newsletter and send it to our post office box or bring it to the September 11th meeting.

1973 TOUR

The second Virginia-Highland Bungalow Tour of Homes is now set for November 10 and 11, 1973 and will again feature a mixture of traditional decorating styles as well as many homes with striking architectural innovations.

The Tour will be open from 1 P.M. to 6 P.M. on each of the dates and the fee for admittance to all twelve houses will be \$2.00 per person.

A flea market will also be held in conjunction with the tour and a bake sale will be held at the Tour headquarters.

For information about the flea market, call Lawrence Brown, 875-6004.

For information about the bake sale, call Carol Sutton, 876-2743.

For any other general information about the Tour call Tour Chairman Bill Brewer, 876-1220.

To report zoning violations or for general information on zoning enforcement call Toni Hogenson, 875-2800.

Copies of the 143-page study of the Virginia-Highland area recently completed by Georgia Tech will be available soon.

If you desire a copy of this document send \$2.00 to our post office box and indicate that the money is for the Tech Study.

Please fill out the following questionnaire and bring it to a Civic Association meeting or mail it to: Virginia-Highland Civic Association, P.O. Box 8041, Station F, Atlanta, Georgia 30306.

This questionnaire will help our Neighborhood Planning and Development Committee, as well as the City of Atlanta Planning Department, in preparing comprehensive yearly plans as called for in our new city charter.

A. WHAT DO YOU LIKE BEST ABOUT LIVING IN THE VIRGINIA-HIGHLAND NEIGHBORHOOD?

1.

2.

3.

B. WHAT DO YOU LIKE MOST ABOUT THE AREA AROUND YOUR HOME?

1.

2.

3.

C. WHAT DO YOU DISLIKE MOST ABOUT YOUR AREA OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD?

1.

2.

3.

D. IF YOU COULD CHANGE ANYTHING ABOUT THE NEIGHBORHOOD, WHAT WOULD IT BE? HOW WOULD YOU CHANGE IT?

NAME (Optional): _____

ADDRESS: _____

WOULD YOU BE INTERESTED IN WORKING ON THE NEIGHBORHOOD PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE? _____