### RNA Meeting, 3/29/21

Board: John, Jen, Rebecca, Jackson, Jeff Brown

## Officer William, mark.wilson@baltimorepolice.org

- Increase in homicides in this district, not this neighborhood specifically. 57% increase in homicide in district 46.
- 46: 1 robbery, 1 auto theft, and 2 larcenies from autos- please call and please report if you see suspicious behavior

# Jeff Dewberry

- please continued to report package theft
- check your car especially if you have not moved it in a while

# Bill Henry, City Comptroller

City duties: watchdog office over the mayor's office and financial dealings. When the mayor's office is found to be not financial efficient, then the comptroller's office has a duty to let the city/voters know.

- Goal: modernize the office, and use IT in a better way
- we look at contracts made over certain amount of money
- sit on the board of estimates

#### Small business shutouts

### Park Bench Pub, Steve and Janice

- Located off Riverside Park, on Belt st.
- -open for carryout.
- Few chairs out front for drinks/ice cream
- Maybe June open inside
- One of the best burgers in town, we have a veg burger. Weekly specials.

## Captain Larry's, Ivars and Maura

- Doing pretty well. Outdoor seating and carryout only. Maybe June open inside.
- Hours: T-F 4pm-9pm, sat 1-9pm
- This Saturday 4/3- Easter basket giveaway
- Opening day 4/8, noon cookout w/ ball park favorites
- Menu changes daily, and you can find them on the website
- Wednesday- crab cake night
- Thursday- fish tacos w/ a drink
- Saturday- brunch all day

Question: city restrictions have been tough, are you getting financial support from city and state to get through this? Steve: both city, state, and federal have helped to keep us open.

#### Parks, Jackson

- beginning spring cleaning
- Rec and parks has started opening athletics, you will notice activity
- no info on gathering permits as of today- TBD
- work on TJEMS gardens
- Re: swings, bird feeders, squirrel feeders installing in the park- is not allowed and will be removed
- Field renovations: going up for bid this month, start in the fall
- Red house- same deal

#### Parking, Jeff Brown

- Enforcement in the pilot area started 3/21, and 20+ tickets have been issued

#### Announcements:

- We usually do RNA board elections in April, but since we are a few months away from meeting in

person, we would like to postpone elections until they can be done in person. Objections? None reported.

Register for vaccine: <u>COVAX Interest Forms | Coronavirus 2019 Disease(COVID-19)</u> (baltimorecity.gov)