

APPROVED MINUTES

**Bolton Hill Community Association
Board of Directors Meeting Minutes
January 4, 2022**

Attendance

Officers		Class of 2022		Class of 2023		Class of 2024	
X	David Nyweide (President)	X	Dan Gilbert	X	Amy Brown	X	Robert Bunch
X	Andrew Dupuy (1 st VP)	X	Steve Howard	X	Zhee Chatmon	X	Kevin Cross
X	Amy Sheridan (2 nd VP)			X	Maurice Corbett	X	Barbara Francis
X	Chris Kingsley (Treasurer)	A	Stephen Martin	X	Marjorie Forster	X	Florencia Gutierrez
X	Bill Hamilton (Secretary)	X	Jim Prost	X	Tom Hasler	X	Avendui Lacovara
		X	Lisa Savage Phillips	E	Doug Kelso	A	Thecla Meyer
		X	Bill Schmitz	X	Eean Logan	X	Stephen Ruckman
		X	Paul Seaton	X	George Maris	X	Roberta (Bobbi) Schilling
		X	Linda Stirling			X	David Scott
		X	Beth Ely Torres	X	Marci Yankelov	X	Yulia Suslova

X = Present; A=Absent; E = Excused Absence

Board Meeting

The president called the meeting to order at 8:05 p.m. The secretary called the roll and declared a quorum present. Minutes from the December 2021 meeting were approved.

Public officials and other visitors were recognized, including Larry Nunley from DPW and a representative from Jubilee Arts.

Treasurer Chris Kingsley announced his availability for a series of informal planning and ideas meetings during January and early February.

Dr. Seema Iyer of UB's Baltimore Neighborhood Indicators Alliance gave a report on Baltimore's outcomes in the 2020 Census: one of only four among cities of 400,000 or more people to lose population. She laid out steps local communities might take to reverse this trend.

Zhee Chatmon reported on the new BHCA Instagram account and encouraged residents to post photos.

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Lee Tawney announced that the Bolton Hill Garden Club is offering grants to spruce up public green spaces, and Midtown has a similar grants program of up to \$250 per public park or garden.

President David Nyweide reported on membership and said he would be sending out notices for membership renewal. He also said COVID would prevent the annual in-person new neighbors party but that BHCA would be welcoming new neighbors another way.

Jim Prost of the Safety and Security Committee encouraged members to join him in the committee's weekly security walks at 7:30 p.m. each Thursday beginning on the 1300 block of Bolton Street.

The meeting adjourned at 9:29 p.m.

Bill Hamilton
BHCA Secretary