


## NOTES & NEWS: A CLVN publication highlighting membership meetings and events

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**Membership Meetings held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month (except August)  
At Advocate Illinois Masonic Hospital on the 7<sup>th</sup> floor / Clarke Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.**

### **NEXT MEETING JUNE 9, 2011(Special location-Olson Auditorium)**

Come and hear from Representatives Sara Feigenholtz and Ann Williams on the state of the state. Also we will hear from Laurie Odell of Heartland Health Pediatric Center, 3048 N. Wilton.

<p><b><u>Agenda for June 9, 2011</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Meeting will be in the Olson Auditorium on the First Floor.</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Presentation by Rep. Sara Feigenholtz and Rep. Ann Williams</li> <li>Presentation by Laurie Odell of Heartland Health</li> <li>Approval of May minutes</li> <li>LVCC Report-Steinberg</li> <li>CDDC Report-Poppy</li> <li>Treasurer's Report-Zenoff</li> <li>President's Report/Announcements</li> <li>Standing Committee Reports</li> <li>New Business</li> <li>Old Business</li> <li>Adjournment</li> </ol>
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### **Up-Coming Events**

6/9	CAPS meeting 7p.m; CLVN meeting 7:30 p.m.
6/13	Senior Fair 12 noon-3p.m. Weiss Hospital 4700 N. Marine Drive rsvp 773-296-4141
6/26	Outdoor Summer Movie-Toy Story III
7/31	Outdoor movie-Yogi Bear
8/27	CLVN Block Party 1000 block of George
8/28	Outdoor movie-Tangled

### **WHAT HAPPENED LAST MONTH**

#### **MINUTES FROM MAY 12, 2011 MEETING**

CLVN Area Director, Terry Diamond, called the meeting to order at 7:34 p.m. Officers in attendance: Laura Kotelman, Recording Secretary, Elizabeth Dale-Corresponding Secretary, Alan Zenoff-Treasurer and Area Director-Doug Koch. Excused officers were Diann Marsalek-President, Jeannie Saliture-Vice President, Area Directors- Joe Ravelingeen and Marie Poppy. A quorum was present.

**Presentation by Native Foods, 1023 W. Belmont for an Incidental Liquor License:** Dan Dolan, Owner of Native Foods, made a second presentation. Also in attendance was his attorney, Zubin Kammula. Native Foods is 100% vegan and will be located at 1023 W. Belmont (next to Chipolte). This will be the first Chicago location. Dan is a partner in the business with his wife and previously lived in Lake View. The chef, Chef Tanya, is a well known chef. They would like to sell four types of organic beer and wine (red and white). The menu is seasonal and will be updated four times a year. The hours will be 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. for 7 days a week. They would like to open in July depending on permits and construction. The business also supports animal and environmental causes. They use corn based utensils, recycled materials for bags and are environmentally friendly. The prices are reasonable and all under \$9.95. They plan to open three restaurants in Chicago and they currently have seven restaurants in California. Each location has 30 employees with 7-8 working on each shift. A motion was made by Frank Nussbaum and seconded by Maryann

Cronin to grant an incidental liquor license to Native Foods. The Motion passed unanimously with a vote of 14 to 0.

**Approval of Minutes:** A motion was made by Frank Nussbaum and seconded by Maryann Cronin to approve the March minutes. The motion passed unanimously. A motion was made by Karen Gaus and seconded by Jackie Price to approve the April minutes. The motion passed unanimously.

**Suzanne Frank Presentation on Parkway Landscapes: Tips for Success and Sustainable Practices:** In the City we have many microclimates, sandy soil or clay soil, pollution, dogs, salt, trees and construction debris that make gardening your parkway a challenge. The benefits to planting the parkway include street appeal, improved air quality, reduced runoff, it makes more land to garden and you can meet your neighbors. The City owns the parkway and can dig it up any time they desire. You may need a permit for a stone wall or wrought iron fence. An 18" courtesy strip is required for parked cars. Call 311 prior to digging if you are concerned about utility lines. Do not block the hydrants and leave the access panel open. Parkway are tough because they are shaded by trees, there is tree root competition, the soil is poor and thin, trash, vandalism and lots of people and canine traffic. Sustainable planting includes use of drought tolerant plants, adding compost, leaving some chopped up leaves, mulch heavily and mound soil up for planting room. Plants that work under trees include: hostas, liriopse (like grass), English Ivy, snow on the mountain, epimedium and dead nettle. Shrubs that work in the shade include: elder, false spirea, ninebark, dogwood, dwarf cranberry bush, boxwood, burning bush, grow low sumac and yews. Perennials that work well include: nepeta (catmint), allium, bulbs, species tulips, crocus, heuchera, veronica, tiarella and salvia. Parkway boulders are another possibility. They provide winter interest and can be used in unplatable areas. A raised bed is another possibility, but it is important not to bury the tree trunk. One technique is to fill it with plants so the weeds can't grow. Some parkways can be covered with pavers. Flagstone is good for permeability. The City will plant trees (7,500 in 2010) every 20 feet. They will only plant in the fall and spring. Contact the Alderman to have a tree planted. There is a list of trees available on the City's web site.

**LVCC Report:** Steinberg reported that the LVCC annual meeting will be held May 17, 2011 at Lake View High School at 7pm., a seminar on June 6 on graffiti and rats at Advocate Illinois Masonic Hospital, a seminar on June 7 for condo issues and Bike Lakeview is the second Sunday of every month at Waveland and Seminary for a 45 minute bike ride followed by a breakfast.

**Treasurer's Report:** Zenoff reported that CLVN made \$577 on the flower sale. The checking account has a total of \$9,938.37 of which \$6,392.11 is the General Fund, \$1,546.26 is the Beatification Fund and \$2,500 is the Legal Fund.

**President's Report:** Diamond reported for Marsalek that Marsalek attended a meeting on the Gay Pride Parade scheduled for Sunday June 26, 2011. Buses will be rerouted from Clark and Halsted onto Sheffield. There is supposed to be a crossing at Wellington so individuals can travel east and west. Floats will be lining up on Halsted and Clark south of Belmont. There will be no parking signs posted for a period prior to and post parade on Halsted and Belmont. Marsalek attended two meetings hosted by the Chicago Cubs for various community groups concerning the proposed building of the triangle area bounded by Clark at Addison to Waveland which is west of the park. The discussions included the type of structure, businesses or other tenants to occupy the space, parking, green space and other possible locations for the building. We will have three free summer movies this year at Hawthorne School. Please see the calendar section of the minutes for the titles and dates. The CLVN Block Party will be August 27 on the 1000 block of George. There will be no parking on the 1000 block of George for a period prior to the block party. We will have a bounce house, magician, face painter and food. Watch for future announcements. LVCC will be holding a Sausage/Music Fest on June 4 and 5 at Addison and Sheffield. We will man the beer tent again this year and need volunteers. Send Marsalek an email if you can volunteer at [marsalek44@att.net](mailto:marsalek44@att.net). Thanks to all who purchased flowers from our flower/plant sale and to the volunteers who worked the event-Karen Gaus, Richard Andrews and Jackie and Lawry Price. Planters and beautification efforts are coming to Halsted thanks to the efforts of East Lake View Chamber of Commerce. Marsalek attended the East Lake View Neighbors meeting and they voted to support the plan to make Surf a two way street from Sheridan to Cannon as part of the Planned Development for Resurrection St. Joseph Hospital. They rejected the parking plan to move the parking from under ground to above ground. Both votes are recommendations for Alderman Tunney. They also negotiated a restrictive covenant to run with the property where the proposed Walmart wants to lease. The space will be limited to 33,395 square feet. Alderman Tunney has negotiated that the store would be 75-80% grocery and the remaining 20% pharmacy and health/beauty. Permits were issued for 1114 W. Wellington for a garage, 1047 W. Wellington for stairs, 3011 N. Racine for deck, 1011 W. Wellington build out second floor, 1023 W. Belmont new restaurant build out, 831 W. Oakdale garage, 3017 N. Clifton for a new single family home, 1119 W. George for a garage, 3115 N. Kenmore for electrical upgrades, 3110 N. Sheffield emergency exit lighting, 1041 W. Wolfram new single family home, 957 W. Belmont retail alterations and 2835 N. Sheffield install 3 antennas.

**Beautification:** We will be looking for volunteers to help plant new corners and work on existing corners.

**Weisman Park Report:** Diamond reported the Grand Opening is May 21, 2011 from 11-2 p.m.

**CDDC Report:** Diamond reported there was no meeting for the CDDC in April and the next CDDC meeting is scheduled for May 25<sup>th</sup>.

**Planning and Zoning:** No report

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:** None

**Adjournment:** A motion was made by Karen Gaus to adjourn the meeting and seconded by Jackie Price. The motion passed and the meeting adjourned at 8 42: p.m.

**CAPS REPORT 19<sup>th</sup> District - Beat 1932** (boundary - Diversey to Belmont between Lincoln & Clark): The next meetings are June 9, Sept. 8 and Dec. 8, 2011 at 7 p.m. in the Clark Auditorium, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor at Advocate Illinois Masonic Hospital, 836 W. Wellington. **The June 9, 2011 meeting will be held in the Olson Auditorium as there is construction in the Clarke Auditorium.** Sign up for CLEARpath at [www.chicagopolice.org](http://www.chicagopolice.org) to find the latest news and communicate with the police. Also you can text the police and receive cash rewards for tips on crime see [www.chicagopolice.org/txt2tip](http://www.chicagopolice.org/txt2tip). The 19<sup>th</sup> District CAPS phone number is 312-744-5574.

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Questions about your membership? Know neighbors that want to join? Go to [www.clvn.org](http://www.clvn.org) to download a copy of our membership form or contact Diann Marsalek at [Marsalek44@att.net](mailto:Marsalek44@att.net).

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