

Urbandale Neighborhood Planning Council #5  
Councils minutes--April 14, 2008  
Meeting at  
Christ United Methodist Church  
65 North Bedford Road

Call to order: 7:03p.m.

Attendance: Robert Whitfield; chair....Carl Brockman; vice chair...Rebecca Runyon; secretary  
Members present were: Marilyn Roberts, Elaine Norby, Mason Mayo, Darlene Mayo, Jil Sajtar,  
Nate Zannotti, Ed Seinfeldt, Dale Stratton, Sara Schmanske, Jeff Knapper.  
Guests present were: Marcie Gillette; Neighborhood Services, Cathy Skidmore, Charlie Ashley,  
John Kenefick, Bill Morris, Art McClenney, Diane Buckley; Neighborhoods Inc., Dave Farmer;  
Code, Chris Simmons; Ward 1 Commissioner.

Excused absences: Jennifer Knapper, Paul Sajtar, Walt McIlroy  
Mason and Darlene Mayo and Marilyn Roberts were suppose to be excused for the March  
meeting.

Previous Minutes: Motion was made by Ed Seinfeldt to accept the March minutes as written. The  
motion was supported by Carl Brockman. Minutes were accepted by voice vote.

Correspondence: Housing Board of Appeals Hearing Notice and Agenda, to discuss New  
Business of 59 Miller Avenue.

Program: Speaker Marcie Gillette of Neighborhood Services with Sgt. Art McClenney of B.C.P.D.  
Purpose of Neighborhood Watch is to increase resident knowledge. With Residents,  
Neighborhood Services and the police, we can work together to prevent crime.

Commissioner and City Staff Reports.

Chris Simmons: City commission meeting Tues April 15, 2008 to discuss whether or not the city  
wants to continue to subsidize Full Blast. They need \$80,000.00 to implement seperation of the  
water park and the entertainment center.  
Had budget workshop. Next meeting about budget is May 1, 2008. 5:30pm at the Dept of Public  
Works.

Planning:Expansion of Facility  
Code: Discussed NPC report.

Beautification: 1356 W. Michigan Ave.

Old Business: youth activities. There needs to be an interest of at least 20 youth.

New Business: None

Guest and Member Comment:

Congratulations and thanks were given by Sgt. Art McClenney to the unknown gentleman who  
kept the sidewalks clear of snow on M-37, for students of Urbandale School.

Program Committee: Jim Zoss to speak of Severe Weather.

Adjournment: 8:30 pm.

Next Meeting: Monday May 12, 2008 @ 7:00pm

Respectively submitted by Rebecca Runyon; secretary