

Community/Campus Advisory Coalition (CCAC)







The August 31, 2017 Community/Campus Advisory Coalition (CCAC) was called to order by City Clerk Kareemah Fowler at 3:30 p.m. in the Council Informal Meeting Room in the County City Building at 227 W. Jefferson Blvd, South Bend IN.

Persons in attendance included the following individuals representing the following entities:

Shail Bhogat

Kareemah Fowler

Joe Molnar Tim Lancaster

Ken Baierl

Gail Mancini Marguerite Taylor

Margaret Fosmoe Sam Centellas

Karen Eckrich Prathm Juneja Ashley Colborn

Lydia Lorenc Bill McKenney

Pam Claeys

Christine Hansen

Muron Larimer Steven Jessen-Howard IU South Bend

South Bend City Clerk

South Bend City Clerk's Office

SBPD **IUSB**

IU School of Med South Bend Robinson Community Center

South Bend Tribune La Casa De Amistad Holy Cross College

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NOTRE DAME UPDATES/CONCERNS:

Notre Dame just finished the community trail; the last leg of the walk was from Howard Park to Notre Dame's campus. SGA put on "Rudy on the Field" where we got to test out the new jumbotron where anyone from the community could come and watch the movie Rudy in the stadium. It was the most successful student event ever put on in terms of pure numbers of attendance. Notre Dame, Saint Mary's, and Holy Cross now have LimeBikes on campus in addition to those in South Bend. The bikes have had an incredible amount of usage which will hopefully get students out into the community. Almost all external construction related to Campus Crossroads is finished. SGA worked with the South Bend Farmers Market to have stalls set up on campus and it was a huge success that hopefully will happen again.

SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE UPDATES/CONCERNS:

Classes began two (2) weeks ago and there was a very successful welcome week which ended with the "Bells Bash", an annual event which includes students from Holy Cross and Notre Dame as well. The biggest goal for SGA this year is to become transparent through the use of office hours so students and faculty can come and meet with SGA about concerns. There will also be monthly mingles this year for students and faculty to come and talk about current events in a respectful environment.

HOLY CROSS COLLEGE UPDATES/CONCERNS:

Father Tyson, who was named Interim-President in April, has committed to remain on as President for five (5) years. SGA has expanded positions and we have ten (10) freshman applicants to become senators. LimeBikes have been a huge success on campus.

INDIANA UNIVERSITY SOUTH BEND UPDATES/CONCERNS:

IUSB is in their second week of classes. IUSB has the largest starting class in the past five (5) years and housing is full for the second year in a row. Student Government has held a number of events already this semester. The campus clubs and local businesses set up tables the first week of classes to promote themselves. The Titan Splash was a one (1) mile color run which was very successful and there was a cookout afterwards. The college also hosted a night at the South Bend Cubs. There will be a "Meet Your SGA" event in a couple of weeks to provide more insight into what SGA does on campus. SGA has amended the constitution so that freshman can also apply to be members of SGA.

IU SCHOOL OF MEDICINE UPDATES/CONCERNS:

There are students from all four (4) local colleges who are somehow related to the IU School of Medicine. The students put on vaccine days, flu shot days, and other health related fairs throughout the school year.

RESIDENTS/NEIGHBORS UPDATES/CONCERNS:

Marguerite Taylor provided an update on the Robinson Community Center. They sent fourteen (14) local children from the neighborhood to London for a Shakespeare program. It was a great way for local kids to get involved in the arts world. They will also now be parking cars for Notre Dame home games and all of the revenue will go into more programs for the neighborhood. There will be a back to school picnic as well with Police, Fire, and other community members.

Sam Centellas reported that La Casa De Amistad always enjoys working with the local colleges. West Side Wednesdays will now also have neighborhood emersion tours. The first one (1) was held and had twenty (20) people who walked the neighborhood, got some breakfast and lunch and gave people a taste of the Westside. We would like to do that more with our local college students.

Muron Larimer reported that realtors have seen that prices are going up near all the campuses around town. From a student perspective, please hunt for the best prices as there are big fluctuations around town and a matter of a few blocks can lead to big savings for the students.

Pam Claeys reported that River Park Neighborhood is working with the City on a traffic study for the neighborhood because we have so much student traffic between both Adams High School and IUSB. Hopefully some productive changes will come from the study since it has been a while since the last one was initiated. IUSB students parking on residential only streets has been much better this year.

CITY OF SOUTH BEND UPDATES/CONCERNS:

Kareemah Fowler reported that Notre Dame Lawn Parking permits are well under way for the upcoming football season. The Clerk's Office has released an interactive online map that will be a great tool for the enforcers and visitors coming to town who want diverse parking options. The map can be found on the City Clerk's section of the South Bend website.

Joseph Molnar reported that lawn parking permits just finished for the first game of the year. There were forty-five (45) permits issued for the first game and they range from people parking three (3) cars all the way to twenty (20) or thirty (30) cars. Most of the locations are in the immediate neighborhood around Notre Dame that forms a slight arch from west to east. There are six (6) more home games this year and residents can apply for the permits up until the Wednesday before each game. Code Enforcement will be out patrolling from 9:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m.

Tim Lancaster stated the South Bend Police has a good working relationship with the various campus safety organizations. Please let the students know that if they have any issues, they should contact the SBPD or your local campus police. We haven't had any major crime issues going on other than a few garage and vehicle burglaries around IUSB. Let the students know not to leave any valuables in the car and in view of the public. This will be the first big weekend with the game and hopefully we won't have any issues. The SBPD is looking for more recruits and would love to have the student organizations broadcast that to the local college students.

With no further business to discuss, City Clerk Kareemah Fowler adjourned the meeting at $\underline{4:03}$ $\underline{p.m.}$