

Greater Jacksonville Association, Inc.
General Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, March 24, 2015

GJA met on the above date at the Jacksonville Elementary School. President Dave Perrott called the meeting to order at 7:45 pm. Mr. Perrott introduced the GJA officers present. In attendance were approximately 20 persons.

The minutes of November 2014 meeting were approved as submitted. Treasurer Marc Peters reported that there was an account balance of \$14,597.92 as of February 28, 2015.

Mr. Perrott reported that the membership flyer inserted in the Country Chronicle that went out to approximately 6,000 homes resulted in 100 paid memberships, 20 of them new members.

Guest speakers from the Maryland State Highway Administration (SHA) were introduced – Andre Futrell, Assistant District Engineer, and Fran Ward, Community Liaison. For SHA. They spoke to state road conditions in the area. Potholes have been repaired, and this year's resurfacing projects include Jarrettsville Pike from the Matthews Bridge to Merryman's Mill Road and parts of Paper Mill Road. Several areas are under study including the Four Corners intersection, especially the center turn lane north of the light, and the area in front of the Senior/Rec Center on Sweet Air Road, especially the left turn lane.

SHA contact information is as follows: www.roads.maryland.gov.

Andre Futrell: 410-229-2361 or afutrell@sha.state.maryland.gov. Fran Ward: 410-229-2812.

County road issues are handled by Tom Russell at 410-887-2230 or the Hereford shop for sight-line issues such as bushes: Bill Balch or Charles Clark at 410-329-2230.

The Nike site restoration issue was discussed. The March 6 community meeting required by the Department of Defense DOD was cancelled because of snow and will be rescheduled.

A list of future GJA meetings was circulated: May 19, September 15, and November 17.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned 8:35 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Betsy Lehmann, Secretary