

GDCA Board Meeting Minutes
March 3, 2015

All present except Greta, Jason, Charles and Austin.

- Dues for 2015 to date: 181 for a total of \$21,100. There are approx. 850 households in the Garden District (GD).
- Jason is handling thank you cards, stickers, and membership signs.
- John Williams will investigate changes to our communications capabilities
- Mary is heading up the Easter Egg Hunt, March 29th and has called for volunteers. Ray & Dorothy will assist and Matt will be the bunny. Eric will supply lemonade and tables, John Williams will investigate catering from Walk On, John Branton will investigate cupcakes.
- Wine and Cheese Walk scheduled for March 21 with rain date of March 22. Starts at 3:30 PM, \$20 GDCA members and \$30 nonmembers, limited to 60. Ten wines and ten cheeses distributed over four homes.
- The Crawfish Boll is scheduled for April 26 at the same location as last year, on Camelia between Myrtle and Olive. Free for GDCA members. Ray moved to allocate \$3,000 for the Boll, Willie seconded, all approved.
- The GDCA voted, with one abstention, not to recommend affordable housing be added to the six acre planned development at the former Entergy site on Government St. with the proviso that the GDCA supports affordable housing; but the former Energy site is not suitable with the proposed plans. Eric moved, and Willie seconded.
- A notice concerning Mid City Recycle collection for art on April 7 will be sent on the list serve.
- John Williams is chairing a committee to investigate ways the GDCA can support side walk repair in the Garden District. Brady, John B. and Ray are members.
- There was a talk on the CATs Trolley given by Emmitt Crockett. Many ideas were discussed for the GDCA to support the trolley: pub crawl, Mathernes event, scavenger hunt, CAT Trolley photo contest.

Ray Mack