## Park Springs Neighborhood Association Minutes of Membership Meeting – Tuesday, November 1, 2016

- I. **Call to order** President Maura called the meeting to order.
- **II. Minutes of previous meeting –** Minutes of August 2 meeting emailed to members on Oct 29.
- III. **Treasurer's report –** Treasurer Rod reported a balance of \$3,697.
- IV. **Membership Report** Thank you to those members who have paid your 2016 dues
- V. Guest speaker:

Guest Speaker: Stefanie Lane – Watershed Protection Department – City of Austin. Stefanie reported that her one month project reviewed 48 sites with particular emphasis on soil types, vegetation on either side of the creeks, the size of pebbles in the creeks (bigger pebbles slow down the flow of water) and the amount of silt. Several of the sites that were studied are owned by PSNA members. She also provided information about droughts and how a drought affects the land and creeks. She noted that trees die and then fall into the creeks which diverts the flow of the water.

- VI. Updates on what's going on around Manor
  - a. TxDOT has adjusted the timing of traffic signals at Highway 290/Lexington St and will continue to evaluate the intersection.
  - b. Manor ISD to open Lagos Elementary School and Manor New Tech Middle School in August, 2017 and Manor Senior High School in August, 2018.
  - c. New subdivisions and expanding subdivisions in the Manor area
- VII. Donations were made to the American Heart Association and the American Cancer Society in memory of Former PSNA President John Williams who passed away in July.
- VIII. **Comments/questions from membership -** a member asked about loud music and how it could be reported to authorities.
- IX. Upcoming dates of interest
  - a. Early voting for the Tuesday, November 8 elections continued through Fri. Nov. 4 from 7am to 7pm. at Manor ISD Administration Building which is also a polling location for the November 8th election. On Election Day, you can vote at any polling location in Travis County. You DO NOT have to vote in your precinct.
- X. **Adjourn** the meeting was adjourned at 8:15pm.

The next PSNA quarterly meeting is Tuesday, February 7, 2017 at 7pm at TerrAdorna Event Center