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**LINCOLN HILLS LSV/NEV GROUP MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES  
TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 2007 – KS PRESENTATION HALL**

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 AM by Vice President, Roger Oldenkamp. There were 64 members present. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Bob Nawman. New members and guests were welcomed, and requested to introduce themselves.

An explanation about proposed By Laws for the group was presented by President, Dan Karleskint. A draft copy of the By Laws, which were created by our By Laws committee has been submitted to the SCLHCA Activities Department for acceptance. If there are any corrections or omissions to be made after the Activities Department review, the By Laws will then be presented to the membership for review and acceptance. Members will be notified of the time table of that review and vote. It is estimated that would occur either at the April or May membership meeting.

The Policies and Procedures of the group which have been written and in effect since the group's inception, are also being reviewed by a committee and that information is forthcoming.

Harry and Diane Maker advised the members that the Riddle Rally/Potluck lunch will be held Sunday, June 3 from 12 Noon to 4 PM. Other social events being planned are another September LSV car rally, a catered barbecue on October 11, and the December 6 Christmas party.

Diane also reminded everyone that orders are still being taken for the LSV logo clothing apparel.

Gerry Lammerding and Lillian Nawman explained the upcoming day trips for April, May and June and reservations are being taken now. Lillian also advised the members that the board is planning coffees before membership meetings, to be held for the July and November meetings. More information to be announced in the future.

Jill Karr, the Membership Chairperson reviewed results of the large bus versus small bus survey sent to members. Response was Yes for big bus 14%; Use large bus only for long trips 14%; and Lincoln bus for all trips 54%. There were 42 responses to this survey, and she continues to receive more.

Treasurer Charisse James explained the 2007 budget based on the previous year's experience on membership receipts and operational expenses. Projected : Income \$2,028, from dues received and Expenses \$1,920. Expenses generally are for printing, website fee, postage, paper, hall rentals, social event food, and prizes for rallies. Other miscellaneous expenses do occur.

A Directions Session was then held asking those in attendance to participate in providing their preferences to questions put up before the group. Questions were: Suggestions for future day trips and social events. Ideas for future guest speakers. Are we meeting the needs for the members regarding

information about their LSV's. Are we too repetitive in our subject matter regarding LSV care, etc., particularly for long time LSV members.

Suggestions given by members present were: Have a caravan of LSV drivers going to several Lincoln Hills neighborhoods en masse to make the community more aware of our presence. Do a Christmas light tour at different Lincoln Hills neighborhoods in December. Continue such vital subjects for meetings and program speakers as insurance, batteries, City officials and department heads about developments occurring in Lincoln. It was also suggested that members write letters to the newspaper about LSV's for PR purposes, focusing on economy, what they use their LSV for, fun of driving, and the areas of stores now accessible because of the Lincoln Transportation Plan. The fact that a LSV/NEV is an environmental tool available to help our community experience clean air.

Vice President Roger Oldenkamp advised that on April 19<sup>th</sup> there will be an Energy Fair being planned at the Foskett Ranch School, and it might be an opportunity that we have a presence to explain our work with LSV's and its advantages. Lillian Nawman suggested that would be a fine opportunity for us to have that LSV caravan so people attending can see the LSV's and we might offer a complimentary ride and information on how we use them.

We had a raise of hands of how many wanted to hear more from city officials about Lincoln and related community subjects, and it was unanimous in response. It was also suggested that part of the City program be composed of a round table of several members with the city official/speaker.

Joan Church, our Publicity Chairperson reinforced the importance of having more 'press' to the community through articles, letters to the editors, and informational pieces of newsworthy items about NEV's. We urge the members to contribute to this effort.

President Dan Karleskint suggested we try a format that the Computer Club has on occasion entitled – "Ask the Tech", where questions can be asked by the audience on specific subjects and matters regarding LSV/NEV's as a program format.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 11:20 AM.

Respectfully submitted,

Lillian Nawman, Secretary