

**Minutes of GMCA Advisory Board Meeting  
Thursday, April 21, 2022, 11:00 AM**

The meeting was called to order at 11:05 a.m. by President Fred Nesbitt.

The GMCA officers and Board members were introduced.

Advisory Board Members in attendance were introduced.

Our newest member from The Continental was introduced.

Minutes of the March 17, 2022 meeting were approved.

Treasurer Andy Surdovel reported that the amount in the treasury is \$15,222.96.

Guests

- Broward County Vice Mayor Lamar Fisher

Introduced Mabel Hurtado, who passed out a booklet titled Broward County Florida Resident Guide 2022; and shared information regarding renumbering/redistricting of precincts, straws and plastics on county property, portable/affordable housing, turtle season, hurricane preparation, and more.

- Fort Lauderdale Vice Mayor Heather Moraitis

Shared information and answered questions regarding proposal for park area to be built on second level south of Beach Community Center, new commission district lines, Galt Mile will remain in District 1 and be represented by her until her resignation on November 9, funding for Galt Mile Drive renovations.

- Police Report

Fort Lauderdale Police District Commander Robert Dietrich shared information and answered questions regarding speeding motorcycles on A1A, motor scooters, homeless persons.

Areas of Concern

- Galt Ocean Drive Renovation Project: Ed Hashek gave an update on the project, which is now in Phase Two. The preliminary design work has been completed and now a consultant will be hired to do drawings, prepare bids and obtain permits. We will continue to work on funding for the project both from the state and the city.
- Michael Albetta, from Broward County Property Appraiser Mary Kiar's office, passed out forms regarding protecting property with Owner Alert.
- Council of Fort Lauderdale Civic Associations: Marsha Rothenberg reported on discussions held regarding building a tunnel from downtown to the beach and whether to have a bridge or tunnel for the new commuter rail line that runs over/under the New River.

- ELSS: Fred Nesbitt reported this important issue is continuing to be worked on.
- Parking in pullover areas on Galt Ocean Drive: This issue is continuing to be resolved.
- HR89/SB160 - "Pio Ieraci Memorial Drive" has passed; now will go to Governor.
- CPR Classes - Imperial Point Hospital and Fort Lauderdale Fire Rescue: Classes are still available; hands on CPR.
- Stephanie Jarkow, District Aide to Representative Chip LaMarca was introduced.
- GMCA Facebook page and website both need your support.  
[facebook.com/galtmilecommunity](https://www.facebook.com/galtmilecommunity) and [galtmile.com](http://galtmile.com)

#### Next Meeting

May 19, 2022 - 11:00 a.m. - luncheon meeting at Cafe Vico - cost of luncheon is \$15.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:50 p.m.

Fern McBride, Secretary