Minutes of GMCA Advisory Board Meeting Thursday, February 15, 2024, 11:00 AM - Cafe Vico

The meeting was called to order at 11:00 a.m. by President Fred Nesbitt.

The GMCA Officers and Board Members were introduced.

Advisory Board Members were introduced.

Minutes of the January 18, 2024 meeting were approved.

Treasurer Ed Hashek presented the Treasurer's Report in the amount of \$13,812.56 which was approved.

Comments from Invited Guests

- Fort Lauderdale Police Department Sgt. Joshua Reich and Officer Nicholas Herring provided a police report update, including auto thefts, January crimes, information about the No Trespassing Sign program. Detectives Jody Weymouth and Donald Gauntner shared information on how the police department can do a security evaluation of your building. The new Police Chief of Fort Lauderdale, William Schultz, was introduced and shared information about the new police station, gun violence, homelessness issues, etc.
- Fort Lauderdale Commissioner John Herbst Shared information about property crimes, homelessness, City Hall, Lockhart Park, bridge vs. tunnel, need for more police officers, etc.
- Master Excess Policy Program Chairman John Morale gave update on the program.
- Helping the Homeless A Practical Guide Fred Nesbitt explained the detailed information on the cards and why they should be distributed to the people in our buildings.
- Legislative Update The legislative update was provided by mail for both House and Senate bills.

<u>Galt Ocean Drive Renovation Project - Ed Hashek</u>

Detailed update was shared.

CPR/AED Training - Cornelia Cave

Shared dates scheduled for CPR classes in March, April and May. Classes will resume in October.

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Next Meeting
March 21, 2024 at 11:00 a.m. - Cafe Vico

The meeting was adjourned at 12:25 p.m.

Fern McBride, Secretary