

UCAP ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES
King School Library
September 19, 2002

In Attendance:

Samuel Johnson
Frankie Johnson
Hayward Patterson
Virginia Patterson
James Hayes, Jr.
Loretha Harmon
John Cooper
Pauline Walker
Chester Guillory
Bob Grewe
Mayor Tod Satterthwaite
Chief Eddie Adair

John Cooper called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m.

Bob Grewe from Urbana Community Development discussed the Fall Neighborhood Cleanup scheduled for Saturday, October 19, 2002. He explained the changes that would be implemented at the cleanup. The money received from the HUD Grant, which in the past has funded the cleanup, will only be used for the dumpsters. Chief Adair approved the use of money from his budget earmarked for UCAP expenses to pay for the food and portable restrooms. John Cooper will bring a small tent and borrow tables for preparing and serving the food. Samuel Johnson will supply folding chairs. Lincoln Challenge will not be able to help with this cleanup, however the Men's Safe House will be contacted to see if they can assist.

Mayor Satterthwaite discussed the Lakeside Terrace redevelopment plans. The Champaign County Housing Authority is proposing the demolition of the present housing units at Lakeside so new units can be constructed. They hope to have a mix of incomes in the new units, as well as, reduce the density of the property. The Housing Authority has discussed the redevelopment plans with the Urbana City Council. The City of Urbana may contribute funds from city block grants to help the Housing Authority fund this project. The Urbana City Council will be discussing this project at upcoming meetings. Mayor Satterthwaite

encouraged community members to provide feedback on the proposed redevelopment. Chief Adair added that he had recently attended a meeting at Lakeside Terrace presented by the Housing Authority, which was very well attended with 37 residents taking part in a discussion about the pending project.

Chief Adair also reported that because of the added workload caused by the Chicago Bears football games, the special details that had been taking place in the neighborhood have been curtailed for now. They will resume as soon as possible.

Chief Adair addressed questions/concerns from committee members. Discussion followed.

Loretha Harmon announced that a meeting will be held on October 5, 2002 at the Urbana School District Administrative Offices located at 205 N. Race Street at 9:30 a.m. to discuss the King School expansion/remodeling. State Representative Tom Berns has obtained state funding in the amount of \$500,000 to be used towards the cost of the project.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted:
Karen Lowery
UPD Secretary