

**OLD GLEBE CIVIC ASSOCIATION  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MINUTES – January 11, 2012**

The meeting was held at Rich Samp's house. Representatives Present:  
Marx Sterne, Ruth Gordon, Rich Samp, Burt Bostwick, Bruce Shuttleworth

Others Attending:  
Brendan Conroy, Homer Knudson, Franco Ecolano

Old Business:

- (1) Minutes from the November 9, 2011 meeting were not available.
- (2) Treasurer's Report. Ruth Gordon reported that the OGCA has a balance of \$5,132.92 in its checking account. The latest newsletter (published in December) cost \$284 to produce and generated \$95 in new membership fees. The current membership is 117 families.
- (3) Friends of Gulf Branch. Burt Bostwick reported that the new owl at the nature center has arrived. Friends of Gulf Branch is providing \$1800 per quarter to the County, as part of its commitment to keep the Nature Center open.
- (4) Ft. Ethan Allen Renovation. The committee discussed at length the slow pace of renovation. There was also concern that the County was charging excessive employee time to our allocated funds, leading to cost overruns. It is expected that the County will call a meeting of the neighborhood "steering committee" in the next several months.

New Business:

- (1) Spaghetti Supper. Possible dates in February or March were discussed. Ruth Gordon agreed to look into the availability and cost of Madison Center, with a focus on either March 3 or March 10.
- (2) Snowblower. Ruth Gordon stated that a snowblower is available from the County for use in the Old Glebe neighborhood. Rich Samp agreed that the snowblower could be stored at his house.
- (3) Traffic. Burt Bostwick led a discussion of a the failure of many local drivers to observe traffic regulations.
- (4) Next Meeting. It was agreed that Executive Committee meeting would be on Wednesday, February 8 at 7:30 pm. Rich Samp agreed to host.