

Approved Minutes of  
Regular Meeting (Program Year 2017 Public Hearing)  
**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE**  
Village of Oak Park  
Monday, May 1 2017, 7:00 p.m.  
Village Hall, Room 101, 123 Madison Street, Oak Park, Illinois

**CALL TO ORDER:** Meeting was called to order by Chair Kessen at 7:00 p.m.

**ROLL CALL:**

**PRESENT:** Chair Lynn Kessen, Catherine Bendowitz, Robert Benoit, Adam Hirsh, Phyllis Logan, Richard Rogers, and Phyllis Russell

**ABSENT:** Cindy Schneider and Alison Spanner (with notice)

**STAFF PRESENT:** Mark Dwyer, Grants Supervisor (Staff Liaison)  
Elia Gallegos (Recording Secretary)

**REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MEETING AGENDA:** Chair Kessen asked if there were any changes to the Agenda. Noting none, Agenda approved unanimously by voice vote.

**NON-AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENT:** Noting none, Chair Kessen moved on to the not-yet-approved minutes.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** A motion was made to approve the not-yet-approved minutes of April 26, 2017. Approval of the minutes passed by unanimous voice vote.

**Call for Public Comments:**

Seven award-recommended applicants (subrecipients) attended the public hearing and expressed gratitude for the grant award recommendations. Chair Kessen thanked all the subrecipients for their hard work and participation in the CDBG program. The following subrecipients were in attendance:

- Way Back Inn
- West Cook YMCA
- OPRF Infant Welfare Society
- Oak Park Regional Housing Center
- New Moms, Inc.
- Hephzibah Children's Association
- UCP-Seguin

**NEW BUSINESS:** None.

**OTHER BUSINESS:** The Staff Liaison provided a quick reminder that a Survey Monkey poll will be emailed to all members for participation at Day in Our Village, June 4, 2017, for which the CDCAC will be sharing a booth with two other Village committees.

**ADJOURNMENT (voice vote):** Meeting adjourned at 7:33 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Elia Gallegos