# Fairfields-Sylvan Neighborhood Association

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## Minutes of January 2008 Meeting

<b>Board Member</b>	Position	Term Expires	Present	Absent	Email Address
Sherry Seiwert	President	2008	X		Sherry4761@sbcglobal.net
Terry Dobson	Vice President	2009	X		tdobson@ameritech.net
Lynn Schaller	Treasurer	2008	X		lynnschaller@sbcglobal.net
Susan Dobson	Member	2009	X		
Ken Ingle	Secretary	2008	X		Kingle3@comcast.net

President Sherry Seiwert called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

The Board Meeting business was suspended until 8pm, when the guest speakers had completed their presentation

#### **Guest Speakers**

Deputy Diana Vanarsdall, Community Liaison, Catherine Moore, Crime Watch Coordinator, and Officer Kelly Jessup of the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department (IMPD) addressed the meeting. Their presentation was covered in the **Fairfields-Sylvan Neighborhood News**, which was published and mailed to residents in the days following the meeting.

A total of fifteen board members and neighborhood residents heard the presentation.

### Treasurer's Report

A 2007 year-end reconciliation report was presented by Treasurer Lynn Schaller.

Balance as of 12-31 was \$4,760.20

#### Old Business

Crime Watch Signs

Terry reported that Crime Watch signs will be installed free of charge. To add the No Soliciting signs to the same posts would require an expenditure of \$293 for the signs.

M. Ken, S. Susan, that expenditure up to \$350 be authorized to complete the Crime Watch and No Soliciting signage for the neighborhood.

#### Other Old Business

Four prizes were awarded for the Holiday House Lighting Contest.

#### New Business

Sherry reported on a proposed ordinance amendment requiring sidewalks in front of buildings other than single-family residences.

A neighborhood survey of issues and concerns was submitted and later included with the Newsletter.

Bartlett Tree Services is offering cheaper trimming service if done before the leaves come out.

Unwanted postal mail can be reduced by registering with the Direct Marketing Association.

#### Next Meeting

February 20, 2008 at John Strange Elementary School.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.