

THIS WILL BE YOUR LAST BARCROFT NEWS UNTIL SEPTEMBER

SPECIAL MEETING ON MAY 19 TO CONCLUDE CONSIDERATION OF THE GROUP HOUSE PROPOSED FOR S. TAYLOR STREET

Last night (May 5) the Barcroft School and Civic League devoted a second meeting to discussion of the proposal presented by Arlington Community Residences, Inc. (ACRI) to establish a group home for 5 mildly-to-moderately retarded individuals on S. Taylor Street. ACRI officials responded to many questions from Barcrofters, but were not able to answer all questions of the residents immediately adjacent to the proposed home. In addition, the neighbors asked ACRI to add to their application filed with the County some additional detail on the type of residents to be placed in the home.

The group of neighbors, represented by Jim Casey of S. Stafford Street, will meet with ACRI officials to resolve the remaining questions during the next two weeks. The BSCL voted to again postpone its final vote on this matter until a special meeting to be held at 7:30 PM on Thursday, May 19, at the Barcroft Community House, 800 S. Buchanan Street. Please come if you have any interest in this matter.

As usual the BSCL will now take its summer holiday, and this will be the last meeting until September 1st.

SUMMERTIME IS NEIGHBORHOOD CONSERVATION PLAN TIME!!

Although there will be no further meetings of the BSCL until September, members will be working on the draft of our Neighborhood Conservation Plan through the summer. Laurie Kelsch has agreed to chair a Review Committee to fit the drafts prepared by the various committees into the first draft of the Plan. This is a call to action for the committees to finish their drafts no later than June 15. The final push is on!



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