action news

bellerose commonwealth civic association, inc.

COME TO THE MEETING at 8:30 P.M. ON THURSDAY OECEMBER 6th, 1973 HOUSE OF HOPE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 84-54 248 ST., CORNER of 248 ST. & 85 AVE.

SPECIAL
GUEST SPEAKER,
MR. DANIEL S. GARVEY
1ST DEPUTY COMM.
DEPT. OF HIGHWAYS

A Message From Our President
Many of your requests and complaints have been forwarded to the various City and State Agencies having jurisdiction. Hopefully, corrective action will be forthcoming. we will continue to press the needs of our community. Please contact any of your Association Officers, board members or block captains with suggestions.

Some very important decision will be made shortly regarding land use and zoning for large tracts of vacant land in our area. These are the Creedmoor Spur property owned by the New York State Department of Transportation and 58 acres on the Creedmoor State Hospital site which the State Department of Mental Hygiene plans to dispose of. we will represent the wishes of our community to maintain the residential character of the area, and support zoning changes which will insure this position.

we have been advised that bids for the Bellerose Branch Library at 250th Street and Hillside Avenue will be opened in December and construction will start in March of 1974.

Reconstruction of Little Neck Parkway is scheduled to start early next spring. The program includes a center landscaped mall which will greatly enhance the natural beauty of our community.

Our Association has gotten off to an exciting new start and I am sure we will become even more dynamic in the years to come. I would like to thank all of you who have made the reactivation of the Bellerose Commonwealth Civic Association such a huge success. Also, I urge any of you who have not joined us in our common cause for a better more responsive community to attend our next meeting, become informed and be involved in your Association.

See you on Thursday, December 6, 1973, 8:30 PM.

Howard Slaney

Results of Election
On Thursday, November 1, 1973, at our last general meeting, the following were elected Officers and members of the Board of Directors for 1974:

President - Howard Slaney
Vice President - Dennis McGann
Treasurer - John Reh

Recording Secretary - Lillian McCarthy Corresponding Secretary - Adele Cipriano

Board of Directors - Term of 2 years George Wolf (Block Security Officer) James Delaney Gene McLarney Robert Cameron

- Term of 1 year Larry Walsh Mary McCarthy Gordon Schmits

Howard York

The Installation of Officers will be held at our first meeting of the new year, Thursday, January 10, 1974.

These people are your friends and neighbors and the stability of our organization does not depend on them alone. They need your support! We need volunteers for our many committees. We urgently need an editor for this publication. Anyone who might be interested in lending their talents to this very important function of the organization is asked to see anyone of the Officers at our next meeting. Remember, this is a neighborhood/team effort benefiting all of us in the community. So, GET INVOLVED, be a part of your community and meet new and exciting co-workers and friends.

Dennis McGann

Ambulance: 464-2424

BE A BLOCK CAPTAIN!

Our Block Captains greatly increase the efficiency of our Civic Association. Each Captain not only collects yearly dues and distributes monthly leaflets or newsletters on the block, but also serves as a link between his neighbors and the Civic Association.

The following blocks do not have Block Captains at this time. Anyone interested in becoming a Block Captain, please call me at 343-4933.

249 St. 85 Ave. to 86 Ave. 253 " Hillside to 85 Ave.

254 " 87-57 - 87-89

Little Neck Parkway - 86-02 - 87-90

84 Rd. 244-11 - 28

86 Ave. 246-03 - 20; 246-37 - 254-03

86 Rd. 244-11 - 246-75

87 Ave. 251-02 - 251-10; 253-11 - 254-23

87 Dr. 251-02 - 254-24

87 Rd. All blocks

Eileen Fillinger

Block Security
Phase I of the Block Security Program has been verbally approved. As yet have not received official letter.
However, we have been cut from 10 alarm systems to 3.
Engraving tools for Operation Identification are available to the membership through their block captains. I have attended Phase II meeting on October 30, and we are now in the process of applying for 3 more systems under Phase II. will attend Community Council meeting on November 14 and will report results at a future date.

George Wolf