



Short North Civic Association Minutes

October 5, 2025

5:00 p.m. Zoom

Attendees: Jack Decker, Chuck Fairbanks, Caroline Stinziano, Bob Stern, Jared Cape

- **Welcome** — Jack Decker
- **Meeting Minutes** — Jared Cape
 - Approval of meeting minutes for [September 4](#)
 - Motion for Approval: Jared
 - Second: Chuck
 - Vote: Unanimous approval
- **Financial Report** — Bob Stern
 - Bob has asked for feedback to help pull together the next budget.
- **President's Report** — Jack Decker
 - Neil Ave Bench project
 - All benches are back and complete.
 - A big thank you to Scott for making this happen.
 - Annual report
 - Jared will create and pull together an annual report that thanks our volunteers.
 - Traffic Safety Meeting on
 - It was an intimate meeting with community and staff.
 - They will share information for us to put into our newsletter.
 - Short North Violence and Injury prevention meeting coming up
 - Board members
 - Jeff Smith, Nomination Committee Chair, has pulled together a nomination form.
 - Board members are to recruit alongside digital advertising.
 - We are looking to fill two or three positions.
 - Screen on the Green
 - The question is if we should continue Screen on the Green considering more similar events and declining attendance.
 - It appears that attendance has declined by half.
 - We will consider alternative ideas.
 - A music porch festival ([example](#)) has been suggested.
 - Jared will work together with Melissa on a proposal.

- It was raised that we should consider doing a final season for the movie series and use it as a launching point into something new.
- It was also suggested that we should budget for the expense for next year.
- Tour of Homes
 - A big thank you to everyone who made it possible!
- **Adjournment at 5:27 pm**