**CPNA October 7th meeting**

**7:05 start / 8:25 end**

**President intro:**

* New “Member Cards” handed out
* National Night Out a big hit and will be back next year
* Upcoming CPNA Socials
* Upcoming Scavenger Hunt
* OMA Ugly Sweater Night – details to come
* FWC expert will come in during the next few months to discuss the coyote problem
* Movies in the Park is coming back
* JazzFest update from CP Mainstreet (Springfest will be April 18th)

**Commissioner Stuart’s update:**

* City has renewed the Mainstreets contracts today
  + 11 now throughout the city
  + 1200 – 1300 new jobs created locally by the small businesses assisted by the Mainstreet program
* New Fire Chief starting mid-November. Comes to us from Maryland
* Master plan for city parks/greenspaces in the planning phase
  + Goal is to have them within 10 minutes’ walk of your home
  + Go to Orlando.gov for your chance to provide input on our parks
* Oct 26th Ivanhoe Brewing clean up of Ivanhoe Village (litter and graffiti removal)

**Scott Randolph, Orange County Tax Collector:**

* Tax Payments open late October
* If you bought a house or business with equipment, make sure there are no taxes due
* Tax officials will visit each property or business before levying a tax certificate
* Real ID has to be obtained before Oct 1, 2020 for flying commercial aircraft
* Always make an appt when visiting a tax collector office (often available for next day)
* West Oaks location is the Largest in the state, the 2nd largest is being built in Lake Nona
* The Orange County offices have gone form seeing 200,000 people to 500,000 in a few years
* 8th straight year saving budgeted money and returning it to the county while increasing front line employees to help speed up your visit

**Anna Eskamani, Florida House of Representatives, Dist 47:**

* She is on 3 committees; Ways and Means, Public Records, Local and Fed Veterans Affairs
* Sponsored bills including ones on Gun Safety (Domestic Violence offenders), 100% renewable energy, and Vouchers and unregulated charter schools
* Has a local office in the Lake Eola area, please always reach out with concerns you have
* Is in her Freshman year (Elected in November of last year)

**Meeting notes submitted by Michael Fettig (Filling in for CPNA secretary)**