

## Safe Takoma

### Report, July 2009

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### Funds Expended

Washington DC, prior expenditures: \$49,361.97

Washington DC, current month expenditures: \$5,832.82

Takoma Park MD, prior expenditures: \$44,642.41

Takoma Park MD, current month expenditures: \$5,432.75

### Funding Balances (July 2009)

Washington DC funding balance: \$19,805.21

Takoma Park MD funding balance: \$24,964.84

### Status

The Safe Takoma program undertook the following organizational and programming steps in June 2009.

- Board meeting held July 2.
- Pursued request for Washington DC FY10 funding.
- Continued to hold funds for Safe Silver Spring.
- Continued to pursue recruiting additional board members.
- Worked to close out accounting for Takoma Park, MD funds in order to refund the June 30, 2009 unspent balance.
- Programming:

**Conflict Resolution Training** – Delivered on conflict resolution leadership programming July 20–24 at Montgomery College. Training was delivered by Kathryn Liss and Monika Megyesi, working on contract, with Binta Mouansie assisting the first two days. Trainees include community members, MPD civilian and sworn staff, and others including two junior counselors in the Coolidge Alumni Association’s Summer Youth Program who would assist with August programming at Coolidge. Sadly, Neil Faulkner, who was mentoring the Coolidge kids, died in July, shortly before the training began.

**Conflict Resolution Training – Coolidge Slam Dunk youth camp** – worked with Frank Jones of the Coolidge High School Alumni Association to arrange for CR training to be delivered to junior counselors August 10–14.

**Conflict Resolution Training – MPD** – continued to plan September conflict-resolution program for Metropolitan Police Department sworn officers and civilian staff, working with Ms Sharon Vaughan-Roach.

## August 2009 Plans

- Coordinate and hold monthly board meeting, scheduled for August 13.
- Follow-up contact with people who signed up for whistles at the April 7 event.
- Conduct conflict-resolution workshop for junior counselors in the Coolidge Alumni Association's Summer Youth Program
- Plan September conflict-resolution program for Metropolitan Police Department sworn officers and civilian staff, working with Ms Sharon Vaughan-Roach.
- Continue outreach efforts.
- Work on board member recruiting.
- Aim to complete accounting for Takoma Park, MD funds in early August in order to return uncommitted, unspent funds by August 15.
- Starting planning an advisory/programming meeting for September or October.
- Carry out regular planning, administrative, and reporting tasks.