Douglas Acres Neighborhood Association General Meeting March 14, 2006 Staves Church

Treasurer's report: \$1232.44

Old Business: We are still waiting for new medians on Euclid. Joe Youngwirth is checking on progress.

New Business:

*Volunteers are needed to work in the city's greenhouse and parks.

*Scrub Day – DANA will not be having our individual scrub this year, instead residents are encouraged to participate by going to the Transfer Station located at 4198 Delaware Ave. and for brush go to the Compost Facility located at 1601 Harriet Street. April 1 is the first date that the facilities will be open. Look for additional dates in the newsletter. Dates will also be posted on the web site calendar. The facilities will be open from 7 am to 1 pm and you will need a photo ID. *The new Central Library will be opening Saturday, April 8.

*AARP is having a job fair Tues March 28 from 9-3.

*We have applied for a Community Betterment Grant again this year in the amount of \$5000. In the past this money has been used to finance publication of our newsletter and maintenance of our website.

*Sign language classed start April 4 at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church.

*Newsletter delivery was delayed by the post office. They were put in the mail on Wednesday, March 8. Tony will check with the post office as to why they were not delivered.

*Good Neighbor Award – It was decided to change the name of our award to honor two members of our neighborhood who died suddenly in a traffic accident. Our award will be called the Marjorie and Warren White Good Neighbor Award.

*We have scheduled a neighborhood garage sale for June 17. More information will follow in the newsletter and on the website.

*National Night Out is August 1. We suggest having block parties, but at the very least turn on your porch light. Information will be in the next newsletter.

*Adam's School is having a can drive April 21. You can drive thru the parking lot and just drop off your refundable beverage containers. The money goes for field trips and other activities directly related to the students. It is not put into the general school fund.

The next meeting will be May 9, 2006 and will include our annual plant exchange.

The meeting was adjourned and cookies and coffee were served.

Respectfully submitted Phyllis Kellogg Approved

Linda Westergaard, Chairman