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The Messenger

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MEETINGS AND EVENTS

CPNO Meeting: May 15 @ 7pm The Candler Park Neighborhood Organization meetings are open to all. We meet the third Monday of each Month at Epworth United. Methodist Church at 1561 McLendon Ave. in the Fellowship Hall. Please use the Mell Ave.

May Meeting Agenda:

- *Welcoming Remarks
- *Approval of the Agenda
- *Vote on April Minutes
- *Officer and Committee Reports
- "Vote to Confirm NPU-N By-Laws
- *Vote on Zoning Committee By-laws
- * New Business
- * Announcements
- *Open Forum

To Submit an Agenda Item for the June meeting contact any CPNO officer. The deadline for submitting an Agenda item is May 26, 2006.

MAY EVENTS CALENDAR

Wednesday, May 3 @ 7pm

CPNO zoning Committee Meeting Epworth United Methodist Church, 3rd Floor

Open to all

Monday, May 8, 2006 @ 7 pm

CPNO Board of Directors Meeting Epworth United Methodist Church, 3rd Floor

Open to all

Monday, May 15, 2006 @ 7pm

CPNO Regular Meeting Epworth United Methodist Church, Fellowship Hall

Thursday, May 25, 2006 @ 7pm NPU-N Meeting

L5P Community Center Corner of Euclid & Austin Ave.

Will Someone Please Edit Me!!??

The Candler Park Neighborhood Organization is looking for a new volunteer to edit The Messenger and another volunteer to coordinate its distribution and publication. We thank Mark Carson for his diligent service in filling both roles, and recognize we have some big shoes to fill. That's why decided to divide his big job into two parts.

The Editor will be responsible for making sure the Messenger has content, editing it, and laying out the newspaper. At times, this may mean begging members of the CPNO board and its committees to write about their doings. At other times, it may mean paring down the wealth of press releases and angry correspondence about dog poop to a manageable size.

The Publisher will coordinate the printing of The Messenger and its distribution throughout the neighborhood and will manage the advertising.

Alonzo Church is serving as interim editor. He's responsible for typos, split infinitives, and anything that bores you. Walt Weimar is serving as publisher this month. You can reach them both at cpmessenger@candlerpark.org.

As you can see from the radically different and perhaps not terribly esthetically pleasing look The Messenger is required wear this issue, neither Walt nor Alonzo are experts in the fine art of layout. The newsletter you see before you has been for years laid out in an old version of PageMaker. Unfortunately, the version of PageMaker used to produce the The Messenger does not talk to the operating systems of the computers of our editor or our publisher. A newer version of PageMaker does exist, but it seemed to our editor (who is, after all, also the Treasurer) that \$500 was too much to spend.

Accordingly, this month's Messenger is produced using a word template that could be more flexible. Alonzo and Walt are interested in any ideas from anyone with experience in layout. Also, we are interested in articles from Candler Park residents (or anyone else).

And, in any event, please, please, consider volunteering to be Editor or Publisher. Mr. Church is threatening to write a series of articles about the mechanics of writing a check, the virtues of compound interest, and a detailed explanation of the CPNO tax return. Mr. Weimar, on the other hand, looks forward to a two-page spread on R4 zoning.

Save your neighborhood. Save vour newsletter. Volunteer now! Send your note offering to volunteer to cpmessenger@candlerpark.org.

Alonzo Church III

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Candler Park Brook Project Construction Begins Soon

If you have been reading our pages closely – and we can't imagine why you wouldn't – you have read about a significant project in the park that would restore Candler Park Brook back to a naturalized streambanks. And now – May 15, 2006 -- is the scheduled time for the project to begin.

The key word, unfortunately, is "scheduled". As we go to press, not all permits have been issued. Therefore, a firm construction start date is difficult to predict. The contractors have indicated that they will need 10 days to 2 weeks to start, after all approvals are received.

The project involves significant amounts of construction. Old concrete banks have to be removed, and a new pipe installed under the Candler Park cul de sac. The full project is expected to take 12 weeks, though some

planting is expected to be completed this fall, inclusive of time to complete landscaping.

At about the same time the brook project commences, Candler Park Golf Course will be closed in order to install a new sprinkler system. The course is expected to reopen by November.

Additionally, between May 15th and approximately June 5th, the playground and adjoining sidewalks will have to be closed. While every effort will be expended to keep the disruption caused by construction at a minimum, there may be times when parts of the park will look like – a construction site. This is a temporary situation, and the reward at the end will be a greener golf course and natural stream in place of today's concrete culvert by Terrace Ave.

Alonzo Church III



Laughter in the Park by Deb Milbrath

Dog Days In The Park

The Second Annual Candler Bark K9 Fun Run

Who, who, who let the dogs out? That was question that more than likely crossed the minds of anyone near Candler Park on Saturday morning, April 1st Canines and their 2 legged friends got out of the house early and braved scattered showers to take part in the 2nd annual Candler Bark K9 Fun Run to benefit the Candler Park Neighborhood Organization.. The dogs had a choice of leading their masters on a 2mile run or a 1 mile walk. At precisely 9 a.m. our official starter, counsel member Anne Fauver gave the signal and the dogs' high-tailed it with their humans in tow. Shortly after, there was a constant stream of happy finishers.

After the race, there was plenty to do for everyone. There was a fastest tail wagging contest, a costume contest and a K9 Talent Contest. First prize for talent went to neighborhood k9 named Joey. Joey won a short movie starring himself by provided my Short and Sweet Studios in Oakhurst. Mesa won for the fastest tail wagger.

The tail wagging contest was not without controversy. The judges were not clear on whether Mesa's cropped tail gave him an unfair advantage—a controversy the judges will have to take up next year.

After a morning of "woofing it up" with canine pals from all over the city, the tired but happy dogs went home for a long nap.

- Mark Clement

Homes Needed: 2006 Tour of Homes

It's that time again! We are looking for houses of all types to feature on this year's tour - big and small, short and tall, old and new, red and blue - well... you get the idea. The tour will be held on Sunday of Fall Fest weekend, October 15th from 12:00-6:00pm. We are getting an early start this year in order to incorporate some surprises that will make this year's tour even better than before. We would like to have the nine houses selected by June 1st. Please contact me if you are interested in volunteering your house or if you would like more information.

> - Amy Alford <u>Amy.alford@emory.edu</u> 404-610-5220

Candler Park Book Club

The Candler Park Book Club meets on the second Thursday of each month at 7:30pm. Light dessert will be served. Please join us for a lively discussion of the following books. Contact Nicole Forde (luckysevens@comcast.net) for RSVP and meeting location.

May: The Tender Bar by J.R. Moehringer

June: Saturday by Ian McEwan

July: The Glass Castle by Jeanette Walls

August: Alternatives to Sex: A Novel by Stephen McCauley







In Memoriam: Carol Frances Cummings, Former Candler Park Resident

Carol Frances Cummings. nee Riemer, died suddenly the 10th of April in Suchitoto, El Salvador four days short of her 68th birthday. She was born in Rochester, New York in 1938 of Ernest, a Presbyterian minister, and Helen, a kindergarten teacher, growing up in Wyoming and Scottsville and Auburn New York. She graduated in 1960 from the College of Wooster inclusive of a year at the International Christian University in Tokyo. She then earned a Masters in New Testament Studies in 1964 from Union Theological Seminary -Columbia University. There she was an active participant in St. Marks in the Bowerie Episcopal Church and worked for the Presbyterian Junior Year Abroad program. In the 1964 she moved to Cambridge where she worked for the Journal of Biological Chemistry and became a part of the Old Cambridge Baptist Church community where she met her future husband Frank Cummings. The day of their marriage in 1967 they began the journey to Atlanta, GA where Frank joined the faculty of Atlanta University and where they lived the next 34 years.

Much of the first years in Atlanta were devoted to their two boys, Andrew and Mark. Carol took an active role in the Atlanta Cooperative Pre-school, one of the few truly integrated preschools in Atlanta at that time. Frank and Carol soon began attending the Atlanta Friends Meeting, which helped channel Carol's activities to end the Vietnam War through nonviolent action. This opposition to war and use of violence to resolve conflicts was to continue throughout her life. especially during a sabbatical year in Halifax, Canada where the Canadian Mounted Police captured her image numerous times in viails of the peace group, Voice of Women.

As the two boys grew Carol began working under the Title I program in Mary Lin Elementary School in Candler Park where she soon was president of the PTA helping to start an artistsin-the-school program. She worked for Atlantans for International Education and later Physicians for Social Responsibility while constantly trying to change US policy on nuclear weapons. Starting in 1985 she held a succession of secretarial and administrative assistant positions in the School of Public Health until her retirement in 2001 including several vears with the Southeast AIDS Training and Education Center. To her great surprise she became the condom lady for teenagers throughout Candler Park as the understanding of AIDS spread. During the last

decade of her time at Emory she worked closely with the now Associate Dean, Dr. Kathy Miner. She was remembered by a colleague at her retirement party as the conscience of the school.

In the mid-80s. Carol took a key role in moving the Friends meeting to declare Sanctuary for refugees from the wars in Central America. The Cumming's home became a way station for numerous Central American refugees and Carol took on the practically full-time role of social worker, organizer of events, political advocacy, and host to speakers. The human bonds formed led her to El Salvador in March 1991, before the end of the war, to visit a small community. El Sitio Cenícero, formed of Salvadoran refugees returning from UN camps in Honduras leading to the creation of a sister community relation between El Sitio and the Friends Meeting. Over the next 10 years the Cummings visited this community yearly.

Realizing their Quaker prudence allowed them to retire early, the Cummings moved to El Salvador in 2001 to finish their active working life using their talents to help development. They soon settled in Suchitoto, a small colonial town, where Carol helped in the kindergarten of one of the public schools, served on

the neighborhood committee and various environmental committees of the municipality and served up refreshments for Frank's 9th grade English classes getting to know a whole generation of students in the town. But, her favorite role was as playmate with her grandchildren.

Throughout her life Carol sought to build community and to end the use of violence as a means to solve problems. She gave endlessly in her quiet but determined way to heal the wounds of the afflicted.

She is survived by her husband Frank; sister and brother, Barbara Guy and Richard Riemer; son Andrew and daughter-in-law Aracely Mendez de Cummings and their children, Ricardo Francisco and Laura Carolina; and son Mark and his son Bryson.

A service of remembrance in the manner of Friends will be held at the Atlanta Friends Meeting 13 May, 2006 at 3:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, the family encourages contributions to the Atlanta Friends Meeting (memo "El Sitio Scholarship Fund").

Frank Cummings: Telephone in El Salvador: 503-2335-1761. cfcummings2001@yahoo.com



Vote on Zoning Amendment This Month

The Zoning Committee has proposed a change in the bylaws of the Candler Park Neighborhood Organization to remove the exclusive authority of the committee to decide land use matters and make their decisions into recommendations to the organization instead.

The current bylaws state, "There shall be a zoning committee which shall be responsible for reviewing and making recommendations to the neighborhood organization on land use and zoning issues. All applications for zoning variances and special exceptions and rezonings related to properties within the neighborhood shall be automatically referred to the zoning committee, which shall have the authority to act on behalf of the neighborhood organization with regard to such matters without notice as otherwise required. The zoning committee shall have no fewer than three members and no more than seven members. The zoning officer shall chair the zoning committee, and the board of directors shall appoint the other committee members. All meetings of the zoning committee shall be open to

any member and to nonmembers at the discretion of the chair."

With the proposed amendment, the second part of the second sentence would be deleted (starting at "which shall have...") and replaced with "prior to being brought before the general membership. The zoning committee shall present the application and its recommendation as to the appropriate action to be taken on the application to the general membership for approval. After such presentation, the general membership shall vote whether to adopt or reject the recommendation of the zoning committee."

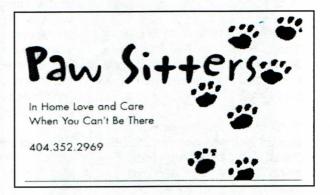
In addition, the final sentence would be changed to read, "All meetings of the zoning committee shall be open to any member and, at the discretion of the chair, to nonmembers."

Please attend the May 15 meeting to vote on this proposal.

- Amy Stout

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Highlights of the April CPNO Meeting

Lt. Davidson from the Atlanta Police Dept reminded residents (1) that a permit is required for dumpsters located on the street and (2) do not to leave valuables in cars.

CPNO has \$13,874 in the bank. The Candler Bark Fun Run made \$612. If two remaining sponsors honor their agreement, the net will be \$1,112.

Turnout was low for the Fun Run due to rainy weather, but the Pet Parade was a success. Extra T-shirts from the Candler Bark are available from Mark Clement.

Rumors of a rape in Candler Park on March 25 cannot be verified with police.

The pool will open soon. First weekend is free admission. Memberships are encouraged.

The zoning committee met to discuss a request for rezoning to Planned Development Housing on McLendon (at Ferguson) at their May 3 meeting.

A large part of the meeting was dedicated to an update on the Candler Park Brook Project. Contractors have been hired

(Heavy Constructors Inc., along with Environmental Services Inc), and they will break ground as soon as they acquire all the necessary permits. Park Pride is managing the project and will post weekly updates on their website. The channelized creek will be replaced with an aboveground waterway featuring turns, rocks and appropriate plantings. It is going to get messy. Be prepared for the messiness associated with construction

The pool will stay open throughout the project. The playground will be closed during certain phases of the work.

Currently the golf course is scheduled to be closed May 1 to November 1 for improvements to the irrigation system.

At next month's meeting there will be a vote on an amendment to the bylaws that will redefine the authority of the zoning committee.

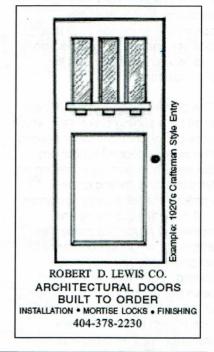
CPNO voted to donate \$400 to Epworth Church to help subsidize purchase of new tables and chairs.

Earthlink will sponsor a workday in Candler Park on May 19. The complete minutes are available online or by contacting the recording

secretary.

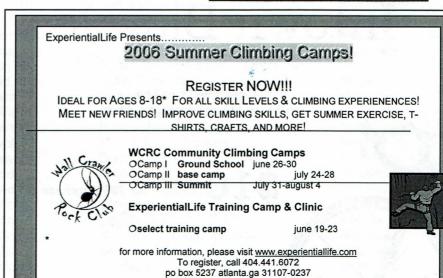
- Amy Stout

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Thank You CPNO Members !!!!

Thank you to all the members who have joined CPNO since the new membership went into effect last November. Congratulations to Lisa Lambert & Bill Bailey of McLendon Ave for being the 200th member to join! They won a \$20 gift certificate to a neighborhood restaurant. You could be next! The 300th person to become a member receives a \$30 gift certificate, the 400th member a \$40 certificate and so on. Membership apps are available on the website and in this issue of the Messenger. The following roll was compiled in April (minus those members who asked not to be listed):

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Eric Dusenbury	Candler Pk	Laura & Brian Thompson	Glendale
Kim Reimann	Candler Pk	Diane Veres & Mary Cook	Hillcrest
Leif & Donna Palmer	Candler Pk	Melissa & Misja Uppelschoten	Hooper
Eunice Shedden-English	Candler Pk	Joe & Margaret Bryce	Iverson St
Tom & Elizabeth Javelona	Candler Pk	Karen & Michael Lusher	Iverson St
Laurel Dorr	Candler	Darryl James & Lori Ray	Iverson St
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Public use of right-ofway for "storage bins"

Zone 6 APD Commander Propes advises CPNO that City of Atlanta Ordinance 138-61 (excerpt below) governs public right-of-way use for storage containers placement:

"Dumpster" means any container or storage box used for collection or removal of construction debris, demolition debris, or other discarded material. It shall be unlawful for any person to place a dumpster in the public right-of-way unless first obtaining a dumpster permit from the department of public works, which shall not be for more than six months. Applicant requesting an extension of time shall apply for a new permit.

Applicant must demonstrates to the commissioner of public works that dumpster cannot be accommodated on private property, present proof of insurance, and pay a permit fee of \$20, plus fee of \$10 - \$25 per calendar day (depending on linear footage used along adjacent curb lane), costs of blocked parking meters, signs or other traffic control measures. Dumpsters must clearly display provider's name and phone number, and maintain reflective marking on all four corners.

No dumpster shall be permitted within: 40' of bus stops; 20' of parking spaces for disabled persons; 20' of crosswalks; 30' of intersections; 15' of fire hydrants; or on any sidewalk unless alternative location is not feasible, would not create a safety hazard, or disrupt pedestrian or vehicular traffic, or damage property. Violators may incur revocation, fines up to \$1000 per day, and/or imprisonment up to six months.

APD encourages all Candler Park residents to become familiar with and take appropriate steps to ensure compliance with provisions of this ordinance.

- Walt Weimar

Dive Into 2006 at Candler Park Pool

It's time to start thinking about the 2006 "Summer of Splash" at Candler Park Pool. If you haven't discovered this local treasure, get acquainted with:

Neighborhood Management:
Candler Park Pool is a public /
private facility managed by
Candler Park Pool Association neighbors from Candler Park,
Lake Claire, Edgewood and
Kirkwood. The pool functions
as a City of Atlanta facility from
9:30 AM – 4 PM, then becomes
a private pool open to members
and their guests, with great
amenities at just a fraction of
other local membership's costs.

Facilities: Candler Park Pool couldn't be more convenient, just blocks away and offering a sizable pool, large dressing rooms with showers, and plenty of chaise lounges to bag some rays. There's a dedicated infant and toddler area in the shallow end, perfect for small ones and their parents to splash about; a full lap lane; and refreshment bar serving snacks, drinks, candy and ice cream treats.

Special Events: Saturday evenings bring special events - our extremely popular Shrimp Boil; Margaretville Night; the Luau; famous Dive-In Movies, and this year featuring Sunday Mimosa Brunch and our 2nd Annual Dog Pool Party at the end of season.

Pool Schedule: Scheduled to open early May to Labor Day, members may swim anytime the pool is open. Hours are: public free swim 9:30 AM – 12:30; public pay swim 12:45 – 4; and members only 4:15 – 8:30 PM.

For more information visit <u>www.candlerparkpool.com</u>, and we'll look forward to seeing you poolside!

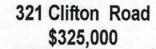
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1200 block Dekalb Ave 03/22 Wed Eve Assault Victim stated that he was stabbed because of an argument concerning money Suspect: B/M, 30-39 YOA. 5'9" – 6' 01"

400 block Page Ave 3/19 Sun Morn Larceny from auto Items taken

400 block Page Ave 03/22Wed Morn Larceny from auto Items taken

400 block Page Ave 3/22Wed Morn Larceny from auto Items taken

1400 block Fairview Rd 3/20 Mon Day Larceny from auto Items taken

400 block Page Ave 3/20–3/22 Larceny from residence Item taken from front porch

1200 block McLendon Ave 3/13—3/14 Larceny from residence. Known suspect took item

400 block Page Ave 03/31 Friday eve Auto theft Victim left keys in car

400 block Moreland Ave 3/26Sun Day Larceny from auto items taken

600 block Terrace Ave 3/27–3/28 Larceny from auto The vehicle was left unlocked Items taken

200 block Ferguson St 3/31-4/01 Victim stated that he found his neighbor in his vehicle without his permission and tried to hold him at the scene but the subject was able to get away. Victim did not want vehicle dusted for prints because he stated he witnessed suspect in the vehicle. Officer looked for suspect at his home but could not find him. Items taken Suspect: 30,W/M, 5'06, 220lbs, Brn hair

300 block Moreland Ave 4/08 Saturday Eve Larceny Item taken Known suspect

1200 block McLendon Ave 4/9— 4/10 Larceny from auto Items taken

500 block Page Ave 4/11–4/12 Larceny from auto. The vehicle had been left unlocked items taken

400 block Moreland Ave 04/15 Sun Morn Robbery pedestrian . Victims stated they were leaving work when they were approached by two black males, 1 pointed a revolver at one of the victims and advised to get on the ground. The suspects took several items from the victims then ran eastbound on Moreland Ave. Suspects: 2 B/M, 18-25YOA, 5'08"-5'09"

- David Bruce

NPU Report

At the April meeting of NPU-N, the board voted

- 1) To approve a substitute ordinance by Councilmember Anne Fauver that would change the procedures for neighborhood petitioning for the installation of traffic calming devices (06-O-0558). (While other NPUs have voted to oppose this ordinance, many of the concerns they raised in opposition to the proposal were related to portions of the ordinance that are already in force instead of addressing the proposed changes.) The changes proposed would allow for broader participation of neighbors in petitions submitted for traffic calming measures. The intent would be to encourage more comprehensive traffic calming plans endorsed the larger community instead of piecemeal measures endorsed by a small group of neighbors on a small street segment that might not be in the overall best interest of the neighborhood.
- 2) In opposition of a substitute ordinance by Councilmember Natalyn Archibong that would change the procedures for obtaining a demolition permit for a residential structure (06-O-0470). While the new legislation would require posting of demolition permits for residential structures, it would not provide any means of appealing or blocking the issuance of such permits. Therefore the proposed ordinance was deemed meaningless, and potentially harmful even, because its adoption might give the impression that real problems with the demolition process had been addressed.
- To approve an application for a liquor license for Pacific Kitchen, a new restaurant moving into the space formerly occupied by Lush, 913 Bernina Avenue.
- 4) To approve an application for a special exception to reduce the number of required parking spaces from 178 to 131 for a new restaurant by Kevin Rathbun planned for the Inman Alley project at 154 Krog Street (Rathbones, a steakhouse).

We also learned that the City of Atlanta has created a new Integrity Line. Residents can call 1-800-884-0911 any time 24/7/365 to report unethical, fraudulent, or illegal acts by City of Atlanta officials, employees, and contractors. Reports can be made anonymously, and complaints will be received and investigated by an independent company.

- Amy Stout

Classified Ads

NOOK AND CRANNY MAID SERVICE - 404-688-3736. "Let us do your dirty work!" Est. 1990. Dependable, personalized service, neighborhood references. Licensed, Bonded, Insured

FOR SALE – 1940s COUCH with 2 matching arm chairs and footstool. Excellent condition. Must see. \$300 Call 404-688-5156.

ATTENTIVE, QUALITY HOME CLEANING AND ORGANIZING SERVICES – Pet friendly. Call Pat Felty 404-822-8043. Serving my intown neighbors since 1989.

SEEKING A DUTCH TUTOR in the Candler Park area. If you know of anyone – please call Melissa at 404-663-1997. *Dank je wel.*

Announcements

SAND Tour of Homes

Tour twelve homes from SE Atlanta neighborhoods of Benteen, Boulevard Heights, Glenwood Park, McDonough-Guice, North Ormewood Park, Ormewood Park and Woodland Hills. which form South Atlantans for Neighborhood Development (SAND). Explore Craftsman Bungalows, Ranch and Victorian style homes with varying degrees of renovation. This major fundraiser for SAND is Sat. May 20 from 10 – 6, and Sun. May 21 from 12 – 6. Formed in 1979. SAND is a 501(c)3 organization.

Kirkwood Spring Fling Festival, 5K, Home Tour

The Kirkwood Neighbors Organization is hosting a bevy of fundraising events on May 20-21, incl. a 5K Race, Spring Fling Festival and a Historic Tour of Homes. 5K at Bessie Branham Park begins at 9AM. Register in advance for \$17; \$20 the day of the race. Proceeds benefit Kirkwood public school children educational needs. Festival at 10AM features live music, artists market, children's activities, and food, beer and other beverages. Admission is free. Tour of Homes takes place concurrently from 12 – 5 PM, featuring variety of architectural styles; tickets can be purchased in advance for \$12, or \$15 at the festival.

Co-Op Quilt on Display at Sevananda

The Hyde Park Spicy quilt, made from T-shirts and bags screened for food co-ops, will be on display through June at Sevananda Natural Foods Market, then auctioned at the Consumer Cooperative Management Association (CCMA) conference to benefit the Howard Bowers Educational Fund providing co-op manager scholarships. The CCMA conference will be held in Atlanta this year.

Lt. Governor Debate at Druid Hills Presbyterian

A debate of candidates for Georgia Lt. Governor, hosted by the League of Women Voters, will be held from 7 – 8:30 PM on June 6 at Druid Hills Presbyterian Church, 1026 Ponce de Leon Avenue, across from Majestic Diner. Invited candidates including Casey Cagle, Greg Hecht, Griffin Lotson, Jim Martin, Steen Miles, Ralph Reed and Rufus Terrill will be asked questions of interest to Georgia voters, as submitted by League and Church sponsors. Free parking is available at the church. Visit www.dhpc.org for directions and additional information about the church.