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Next Tuesday, October 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM, GACC is holding its monthly Board and Land Use meeting at Eastwood Middle School at 4401 E. 62<sup>nd</sup> Street. However, a focus of the meeting will be an informal Candidates Forum, where our neighbors can meet and hear from candidates running for elective office. So far, Christina Hale (running for state rep) and Sen. Scott Schneider have accepted our invitation and indicated they will be in attendance. I have spoken with Rep. Cindy Noe, and sent her information on the program, and I am awaiting her confirmation. I have also invited Tim DeLaney, who is Sen. Schneider's challenger, and am awaiting a response. I do want to emphasize that this is NOT a debate, but more of a town hall style meeting. Each candidate will be given some time to review their background and accomplishments, vision for the future and specifics as to policies affecting neighborhoods (crime, taxes, education, etc). It will be followed by a Q & A session.

I believe it will be an interesting meeting and I'm encouraging a strong showing from the Board. Perhaps more importantly I'd like to have a strong turnout from our neighborhoods. Joe, would you send out a notification of our meeting, with information on to neighborhood association presidents, asking that they pass on this info along to their members? And Don B, would you please send the paragraph above (amended as you feel is necessary) inviting our members via an email blast? I would very much appreciate it.

This is our opportunity to participate directly in the election process. I hope you can attend. If you're a Board member, please RSVP your meeting attendance.