

Thursday, July 30, 2026

AGENDA

Welcome	Adam Mastrangelo
• Call to Order • Welcome Members and Guest • Safety Information • Reminders	
Approval of Minutes	Adam Mastrangelo
Treasurer Report	Adam Mastrangelo
501(c)(3) Filing (State, Federal) ... Update	Adam Mastrangelo
Traffic Enforcement ... Update	Lt. Daniel Moore
Pedestrian & Traffic Safety ... Update • Deyerle, Mudlick, Grandin	Adam Mastrangelo
Roundtable Discussion • GDNA Focus ... 2026 & Beyond	Teresa Mastrangelo
Adopt-A-Street Program	Teresa Mastrangelo
GDNA Meetings – July, Sept. & Nov.	Teresa Mastrangelo
GDNA 2026 Membership Challenge	Teresa Mastrangelo
Closing Remarks/Reminders	All
Adjourn	

Minutes for General Meeting

July 30, 2026

The meeting at Covenant Presbyterian Church was called to order at 7:01 P.M. by Adam Mastrangelo, President of the GDNA. There were 57 people in attendance. He welcomed everyone and asked for a show of hands of those who had never attended a GDNA meeting; seven hands were raised. Adam then reviewed a few safety topics: emergency exits, fire extinguishers, restroom location, whom would be calling 911 in case of an emergency, and defibrillator location. He asked for a show of hands of those who are CPR certified in the event of an emergency. He also asked for applause for those who contributed the delicious snacks and beverages on the back tables.

The minutes from the May 14, 2026, GDNA meeting were approved.

The treasurer's report revealed a balance of \$8,733.30. (Income of \$830 included \$175 for membership dues, \$55 for donations, and grant money for \$600. Expenses totaled \$454.09. The web page was \$404.09, and the rental of the church room for the meeting was \$50.)

The Articles of Restatement of GDNA were submitted to the Virginia State Corporation Commission on June 23, 2026. They were reviewed, filed and effective as of June 25, 2026. The IRS Form 1023-EZ was submitted to the Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service (IRS) on July 25, 2026. GDNA's determination by the IRS whether we're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) is pending.

Lt. Daniel Moore from the Roanoke City Police Department gave a short presentation about a recent TikTok challenge that is affecting residents of the city. Hyundai and Kia cars made from 2012 to 2020 have a safety flaw which makes the car easy to steal. Local teens have been arrested for the crimes which began in Old SW and is, unfortunately, working its way into the Greater Deyerle neighborhood. Please contact your car dealership to have the flaw remedied. Officer Moore also stated that year-to-date 132 total traffic tickets have been written in the Greater Deyerle area.

Adam Mastrangelo then addressed the Pedestrian and Traffic Safety Initiative in Greater Deyerle. Four pole mounted speed signs have been placed in the neighborhood, two on Deyerle and two on Mudlick. The following five metrics are being used to determine the effectiveness of these signs: the 85th Percentile MPH; MAX Speed MPH; % Vehicles > 30 MPH; % Vehicles > 25 MPH; and Average Daily Traffic. A bar graph showing data accumulated over their inception indicated that the speed signs are working! The target speed for drivers is 30 mph, and it is the goal of the program for 85% of drivers to be traveling 30 and under. Adam also addressed the decreasing volume of traffic in Greater Deyerle. (Were people taking a different route? Was it the summer season, and traffic will increase when school is back in session? Is it due to the construction on Apperson Drive?) Adam also stated that the residents of the 3400 block of Grandin Road asked for some speed enforcement. Since 2023, police have written over 200 speeding summons in that area. On June 24, 2026, Greater Deyerle members did a sit survey of the area. Much to their surprise, the Roanoke City's Traffic Department installed larger speed limit signs the following days. (One resident asked if the speeding signs be relocated if necessary?)

Greater Deyerle Neighborhood Association

Roanoke, VA 24018

The neighborhood gateway sign located at Circle Drive and Grandin Road was completed on May 30, 2026.

A roundtable discussion was then held for the next twenty minutes. Attendees were grouped together and asked to address what they thought were the upcoming needs for the neighborhood. At the end of the discussion, Teresa Mastrangelo, Communications Officer, gathered the ideas from each table. Concerns from the attendees were listed on a chart. They included the following: the increasing deer population, the homeless population, the lack of mowing/tree maintenance on the side of roadways, potholes, lack of general road repair, bulk trash not picking up as scheduled, trash can placement in the street, neglected properties, and additional stop signs needed in certain locations.

Teresa Mastrangelo then reminded attendees that the next Adopt-A-Street trash pick-up day is scheduled for Saturday, August 15, 2026. However, if the city does not mow the roadsides, the pick-up will be moved to another date.

The next GDNA meeting will be Thursday, August 27, 2026. Seven members vying for City Council will be invited to GDNA's Candidates Forum, three Democrats, one Republican, and three Independents. GDNA residents will be able to learn about each through a question-and-answer session conducted by Teresa Mastrangelo.

The GDNA membership challenge is still going on. The goal is to get 150 households to register. At present we have 131 registered households/businesses.

The meeting adjourned at 8:07 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Janet Kubik,
Secretary GDNA

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07/30/26

Treasurer's Report Greater Deyerle Neighborhood Association 1 May 2026 to 30 June 2026

Beginning Balance (05/01/26): \$8,357.39

GDNA Revenues:

Membership Dues:	\$175.00
Donations:	\$55.00
Grants:	\$600.00
TOTAL:	+830.00

GDNA Expenses (New Accounts):

Advertising (Meeting Signs, Etc.):	\$404.09
Bank Charges:	\$0.00
Taxes & Licenses:	\$0.00
Office & General Supplies:	\$0.00
Meeting & Events:	\$50.00
Income Taxes:	\$0.00
Other:	\$0.00
TOTAL:	- \$454.09

NOTE: The GDNA General Meeting was May 14, 2026

Ending Balance (06/30/26): \$8,733.30

Respectfully submitted by:
Teresa Mastrangelo and Adam Mastrangelo
30 July 2026