

**Lindy Broderick - Greater Spt. Chamber of Commerce
 Senior VP Public Policy & Business Councils
 to bring information from recent legislative session**

**Dutch treat dinner (catered by Applebee's) 6:00 - Meeting 6:30-7:30
 9701 Baird Road - Southern Hills Business Association Conference Center**



Join us Tuesday at the SHBA Conference Center for the first General Meeting since our Grand Opening. Chamber Senior Vice President of Public Policy Lindy Broderick will be our guest speaker. In her 21 years with the Chamber she has worn most of the hats including management of Leadership Shreveport, Community Development, Education, Public Relations, and Transportation. A registered full-time lobbyist for the State of Louisiana, Lindy's efforts are now geared toward legislative activities on the federal, state, and local levels. She also works with the Chamber's three business councils. Lindy is a National Honor Society graduate of Bossier High School and holds three degrees from Louisiana Tech University. Plan to hear what she has to bring us!

Bring some extra bucks for the Benevolent split the pot drawing. Door prizes from members are welcome, too! Feature exhibits at general meetings will resume in August once we get acquainted with arrangements at our new home, 9701 Baird Road. To promote YOUR business, request a date for an upcoming FREE tabletop exhibit space Email info@shba-spt.org.

Arrive at 6:00 for a \$9 Dutch treat dinner, or come for the meeting and program only 6:30-7:30. **Dinner reservations are required since dinner will be catered.** Click [HERE](#) to RSVP for dinner (cash or check preferred). Or call SHBA Message Center at 687-7808. Provide names of all attendees, please.

**Photos from SHBA Conference Center
 GRAND OPENING
 June 26, 2007**



Hope to see YOU July 31st!

Welcome

NEW SHBA MEMBERS!

Vic Garrett

VIC GARRETT MOTORS INC

Sherry Jackson

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 & BODY WORK**

**Patricia Roach
 ON LINE**

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 BISTRO TO GO**

**Gloria Hillman
 DESTINED to DANCE**

**Robert Duvall
 DUVALL'S AMUSEMENT
 RENTALS**

June 2007 District 12 & Citywide Police Stats

Type of Crime	City	So Hills	Distr 12
Aggravated battery.....	81.....	3.....	5
Aggravated assault.....	78.....	8.....	11
Auto theft.....	137.....	5.....	10
Auto accessory theft.....	38.....	5.....	8
Business burglary.....	72.....	3.....	6
Business robbery.....	14.....	1.....	2
Business theft.....	72.....	8.....	12
Homicide.....	5.....	0.....	0
Person robbery.....	36.....	0.....	1
Purse snatching.....	5.....	0.....	0
Rape.....	17.....	0.....	1
Residential burglary *.....	165.....	10*.....	15
Residential theft **.....	174.....	8**.....	17
Shoplifting.....	180.....	20***.....	27
Theft from auto.....	193.....	9.....	19
Theft general.....	93.....	8.....	12
TOTAL	1360.....	88.....	146

* 50% residential burglaries from unlocked doors, garages, windows

** 90% thefts from residences property left out that should be kept inside

*** Shoplifting numbers representative of discount stores and other retail

Southern Hills Prepares to Battle Low Income Housing Attempt



Harold Sater

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A vigilant resident of Southern Hills caught the first glimpse of a Public Notice in the July 8 edition of The Times. Seems the Louisiana Housing Authority placed the public notice to test the waters and see if a low income housing complex would fly on Baird Road off Bert Kouns, behind Caddo/South Hamilton Library and across the street from Ridgewood Middle School.

Since that time, a virtual hornet's nest has been stirred with a huge outpouring of ire from both businesses and residents throughout Southern Hills. Announced as an 80-unit complex the "Baird Road Place Apartments" is little more than an attempt to benefit a landowner and a developer. Taking it on the chin in the unlikely event of passage would be home owners and businessmen as property values generally decline and crime often increases in the presence of low-income subsidized housing. But more importantly, required documented need for low income housing cannot be produced.

The next step is for the project package to be sent to the Mayor's office for review. At the time the mayor can place on council agenda or call for public hearing. The Southern Hills Business Association is pressing hard for both a public hearing and later as a city council agenda item. Full-throttle efforts are ongoing at press time to

Members and interested persons will be kept informed of actions and progress as each step of the process unfolds. Your presence will be needed at the public hearing and council meetings where this project is expected to be unveiled.

We are grateful to Gladys Beatty for sounding the alarm and to Jimmy Couvillion for keeping the subject open in The Times. It is up to each of us to rally as we have many times before when efforts have been made to slip something in that would neither be wholesome, conducive to good business, nor contribute to improved quality of life of our residents.

We need your voice, your support, and your active participation. Shreveport has made good progress getting Property Standards in the hands of someone who can fix it, and we're pleased to have the neighborhood teams of police and property partners. It takes everyone working together to keep our community beautiful, inviting, and attractive to new business.

Also, remember to pick up your "No Trespassing" signs at Taylor Rental where SHBA has them stored for your convenience. Tell your business neighbors, too. Members \$15 per sign; nonmembers \$20 per sign.

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Name _____ Office Telephone _____
Company _____ Fax _____
Street Address _____ Email _____
Mailing Address (if different) _____ Sponsor _____
City-State-Zip _____ Signature _____

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***Featuring
Legislative activity and its impact on
northwest Louisiana & Southern Hills***

