

Fort Calhoun Enhancement Committee

Fort Calhoun City Hall

February 22, 2021 6:00pm

MINUTES

Call to Order by Judy Boyd at 6:05pm

Announcement of Open Meeting Compliance

Roll Call: Judy Boyd, Beth Dieteman, Jackie Henderson, Lori Lammers, Coleene Robinson

Absent: Cheri Oelke, Rose Therkildsen, Jean Welchert

Minutes from October 28, 2020 were mailed to members and copies were available.

Minutes approved as presented.

NOTE: No meetings were held November and December 2020 or January 2021.

Financial Report: cash on hand \$7,113.09

OLD BUSINESS

Halloween: We served 300 for Trunk-or-Treat and had nine decorated "trunks" at Market Square Park.

Fall Clean-up: There was no official event; we did the clean-up gradually in the fall.

Veteran's Flutter Flag: Purchased in November.

Winter Pole Flags: Purchased eight flags in January.

Christmas in Calhoun: Cancelled this year due to Covid-19.

Christmas Lighting Contest: Seven homes in Fort Calhoun were featured in the Brightly Shining Home Lighting Contest hosted by Washington County Chamber of Commerce. Also pictured was the Gazebo and Reindeers in West Market Square Park.

Holiday decorations were put in front of City Hall.

We have holiday decorations that we no longer use. We discussed cleaning out the shed and perhaps selling some items at the city-wide garage sale and/or putting some items out for curb alert.

Two Serviceberry Trees were planted in the fall. We believe there is excess underground water in the planting area. It was decided to leave the trees where they are since it may be more detrimental to move them.

Benches along Hwy 75 have some rust. We plan to repair them in the spring; Judy has the paint.

Stone bench in Washington Square Park is broken. We will repair as part of our spring clean-up.

NEW BUSINESS

Discussed the Year End Progress Report 2020, Outline for Year 2021 and One-and-Six Year Plan.

Discussed ways to enhance Fort Calhoun and help the businesses and overall community as we come out of the difficulties caused by the pandemic.

Meeting adjourned at 6:50pm.

Next meeting at City Hall on Monday, March 29, 2021 at 6:00pm.

Submitted by Lori Lammers