

Fort Calhoun Enhancement Committee

Fort Calhoun City Hall

July 25, 2022 6:00pm

MINUTES

Call to Order by Judy Boyd at 6:00 pm

Announcement of Open Meeting Compliance

Roll Call: Judy Boyd, Beth Dieteman, Amanda Donahoe, Jackie Henderson, Lori Lammers, Rose Therkildsen

Absent: Cheri Oelke

MINUTES: Beth moved to accept the June 27, 2022 minutes; Amanda seconded. Minutes approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

North and South Entrance areas have the new river rock groundcover done by Hagar Outdoor, LLC, at a cost of \$4,504. We thank Jeanne Knight \$500 and Jim Smith \$500 (The Rustic) for their donations to the Enhancement Committee. These donations along with an additional \$1,000 from Enhancement Committee and \$2,504 from City Council (KENO) provided the funding for the rock groundcover improvements at the Fort Calhoun North and South entrance signs.

Discussed a tree at the South Entrance that needs heavy pruning or removal.

Historic branding signs and figures is an ongoing project, and we are waiting to hear more from Julie Ashton. She shared a photo of the plaque for the bank building.

Re-locate two Soldiers to the front of City Hall – the original project, including the soldiers, were part of a grant to the Friends of Fort Atkinson. Judy Boyd has received permission from David Genoways to re-locate the soldiers.

Farmers' Market is on Madison Street & Hwy 75 every Thursday. Royce Welchert sets up early and is joined by other vendors later in the day. Royce also sells vegetables on Saturday in the Dollar General parking lot.

Mulch around Sycamores – Corban said Maintenance could put out mulch in the fall. We will ask Corban to put the mulch out in early spring instead of fall.

Bathrooms in Park – the bathrooms are in need of paint and general maintenance. We will refer to the Park Board.

Flowers and Watering schedule is working well.

Suverkrubbe Historical Marker – is overgrown and weedy. Rose, Jackie, Amanda and Beth volunteered to work on the area on Wednesday morning. Discussed other options for the area including doing river rock.

Meeting adjourned at 7:00pm

Next Meeting will be Monday, August 29, 2022, at 6:00pm in the Fort Calhoun City Hall.

Submitted by Lori Lammers