

Clean & Beautiful Committee
Approved Minutes
April 18, 2018

Committee Members Present:

Lisa Rene Jones
Darrell Kirby
Mathew Lovato
Teri-Mae Pierce
Scott Stephens
Misty Smith

Excused Members:

Allen Pierce

Absent:

Karen Lang
David McEwen

Staff Members Present:

Cathie Alberico
Craig Thomas

Chairperson Lisa Rene Jones brought the April 18, 2018, Clean & Beautiful meeting to order at 5:44 pm. in room 230 West Valley City Hall. She welcomed all in attendance.

Lisa moved to approve the minutes from the committee meeting of March 21, 2018. Darrell Kirby seconded the motion. The motion passed all in favor.

The committee has four vacancies. Jody Rushton-Porter has resigned. We need to push for membership at any events we attend. SpringFest is coming up, we will have paperwork needed to sign up for the committee. At next month's meeting a presentation about the Committee would be in order. Many of our members are past Clean & Beautiful Yard Award winners. We will also continue to recruit at the Awards ceremony in August. Misty Smith suggested to extend an invitation to attend an activity or meeting while the Committee is fresh in their minds. Invite any of your friends and neighbors.

The following members term expires on June 30, 2018: Lisa Rene Jones, David McEwen, Allen and Teri-Mae Pierce. We hope you will continue to serve, please contact Cathie Alberico if you have any questions.

Cathie will send an email to last year's Yard Award winners inviting them to attend SpringFest.

Officer Brotherson Memorial

Karen Lang brought up the intentions of the Committee regarding the memorial project. Some concerns were voiced. Lisa and Scott Stephens will represent the Committee at meetings with all City departments that may be involved with this project. Some of the departments would include Public Works, Parks and Recreation and Planning & Zoning and of course the City Council. A presentation to City Council with a well thought out plan will be in order. Committee members will be informed of the date for this meeting. City Council seems eager to hear about this project, they want to make sure that it fits in with the standards of the City. Lisa would like to move forward with this project.

Take some time to drive by the GHID pump houses to look at landscaping, 3100 S & Decker Lake Drive (southeast corner) and another at the Brotherson Memorial site, 4100 S & 2200 W (northwest corner.) Take pictures of streetscapes that you find appealing here in West Valley City.

SpringFest

Setup to begin at 4:00pm, Centennial Park. Weather to be nice. Wear Green event shirts and Name badges.

Craig: Setup- signs, flags, at least 14 canopies will be going up, tables under all of the canopies; food booths have tables, equipment, and wash station. A lot of work.

C&B Information Booth (and prize drawing: Darrell

Pop Corn Booth: Nick-from Finance and Matt

Youth Activities Booth: three activities- button maker, popsicle stick flower, planting a seed.

Should be busy: Teri-Mae and Allen, Scott

Pick up at Chic-Fil-A, 6:00pm and take snacks to Vendors: told they would be getting a Chic-Fil-A sandwich, chips and a drink: Lisa

Misty: Floater, work where needed.

Youth City Council is on board with the Hot dog booth; should have four members circulating through. Leslie and Craig have renewed their food handler permits, either will have to be close by in case the Health Department inspector visits.

Vendor Review: Still waiting to hear from Tree Utah, possible tree planting, they don't want to pay for the tree, looking for donors, weird offered to do tree planting but not provide the tree. Misty contacted Barbara Crouch, new Director of Poison Control Center; sent her vendor application. Darrell contacted Nick Sudbury with Magna Water, hasn't heard back; contacted Aposhian Gardens- seemed interested. Lowe's in WVC was interested, would have to go to corporate-need to pursue earlier next year. The Committee and Craig reached out to several possible vendors: USU Extension, Wasatch Community Gardens, Fassio Egg Farm, Utah Clean Energy, Waste Management, Smith's, Utah Museum of Contemporary Art they have an event truck they bring out-interactive with kids, Natural History Museum also has an interactive display, Red Butte Garden, these vendors did not respond or were already committed that day. The following vendors are expected to attend: Kearns Improvement District, VECC, Winder Farms, Utopia, Tree Utah, Library Services, Lead Safe, Heat, Planned Parenthood, BACA, Green Urban Lunchbox is coming, not bringing bus, Granger High School Drama Council-face painting, and Blue Stakes are a few of the vendors that are coming. Approximately 40 booths. All city department except for finance and legal are attending.

Community Development Corporation of Utah, not responding to Craig. Lisa may have a contact there. They take a broken-down house, remodel it, bring it up to newer standards, install new landscape, called Idea Houses. They work on them throughout the valley, a few have been done here in West Valley City.

Clean & Beautiful SpringFest Booth: Paperwork needed to join the committee, Yard Award nominations, computer to help locate an address to nominate a yard, committee brochure,

pictures of committee, swag bags and the prize drawing information and prizes (three children and two adult prizes.) The committee is ready to rock and roll at SpringFest.

Misty visited the conservation garden in Layton. They had a display with a Rock Hounding group. They weren't selling anything. They offered information about rocks found in Utah, locations of areas to find topaz, geodes, fossils; they would fit well with this festival. Misty to research for information.

Need to follow up with Sport Clips, they want to donate a prize basket; here in West Valley City. (use at Awards Ceremony?)

Call lists were prepared from last year's Yard Award winners, they have also been emailed to members. Please contact these people and invite them to the May meeting especially if they are interested in judging. **Committee elections** also take place at the May 16, meeting, be thinking of possible candidates for Chairperson and Vice Chairperson.

Committee Summer Party: Wednesday, July 18, 2018. Pot Luck BBQ, adults only.

Our next meeting is Wednesday, May 16, 2018 at 5:30pm in the Multipurpose Room here in City Hall.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:35pm.