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Subject: Enhancement Minutes

The Fort Calhoun Enhancement Committee meeting was held Monday October 3, 2011 at the Longhorn, 101 South 14th street.

The meeting was open to the public with the open meetings policy available for review.

The meeting was called to order by Judy Boyd, Chair. Present on roll call -Judy Boyd, Judy Seaver, Dixie Humphrey, Sherri Brooks and Sue Newman. Absent-Ladonna Schuler, Kathy Ohrt and Lana Schafer.

Visitors present were Dave Romans and Rose Therkildsen.

Minutes of the August 29, 2011 meeting were read with a motion to approve by Sherri Brooks.

Historical Marker: WCHS will host reception at the Frahm House following dedication. Marker is in place. Details of Dedication discussed - chairs for those needing them, use of blackboard for program, music by FCHS music dept, speakers from Enhancement Committee on historical background. Motion to approve by Dixie

Trailhead: Judy Seaver will be presenting a plan with bids and costs to the city council as soon as possible. Motion to approve by Sherri Brooks.

Banners: Sherri Brooks will have poinsettia banners completed by December and is working on Service Branch banners for Veterans Day. Hoping for December placement of poinsettia banners.

Adopt-a-Street Signs: Signs will be done this week. Judy Boyd will be getting poles for installation by City Workers by November. Motion to approve by Judy Seaver.

Scarecrows: Were viewed in Missouri Valley and in many small community displays on the Nebraska Junk Jaunt that several committee members attended for this purpose.

Christmas Light Contest: Motion made by Sherri Brooks, to include guest judges from other community organizations; volunteers from Park Board and City Council or other organizations, approved

Blair Area Community Foundation Grant Application: Motion by Judy Boyd, to not submit an application, as the cost of the project was low and two area families have donated the benches in memory of Fort Calhoun families (Ohrt and Schafer).

Future Agenda Items:

- Consideration of new committee member - Rose Therkildsen has expressed interest would like to increase number of committee members by one, due to many projects ideas.
- Community wide Art Project -Taylor Ne has a great silhouette art display and we would like to do similar project in Ft Calhoun.

Public Comments:

Dave Romans presented ideas for advertising Fort Calhoun with brochures and listing in tourist folders or Nebraska magazines; he also liked city wide art display idea.

Motion to adjourn at 7:00 pm