

FORT CALHOUN ENHANCEMENT COMMITTEE

August 28, 2016 6:00 PM

Fort Calhoun City Hall

The meeting was called to order by Chairman, Judy Boyd. The open meeting policy was announced.

ROLL CALL: Present: Judy Boyd, Coleene Robinson, Amanda Schrum, Rosemary Therkildsen, Cheri Oelke and Lori Lammers. Absent: Cindy Gochanour

Minutes of the July Meeting: Copies of the July minutes were posted on line and printed copies were available as well. A motion to approve the minutes as presented was made by Coleene and seconded by Lori.

OLD BUSINESS:

Elementary School Historical Marker: Lori presented a price list of available display stands that she found on line. It is possible that this may be a possible source, however there were some questions raised regarding the dimensions of the post and durability of the material. Lori said she will get more information for the next meeting.

Replacement of Highway banners: This year's theme for Christmas in Calhoun will be "Candy Canes", so when we replace the seasonal banners for Christmas we may want to go along with that theme. The Christmas in Calhoun logo has not yet been designed so we will wait to place an order for the highway banners until after the next Christmas in Calhoun meeting.

2017 Farmers Market: The official close of the Farmer's Market was scheduled to be the week after Labor Day, but the vendors have asked to continue since they still available produce.

Yard of the Month: No decision was made for this month's Yard of the Month. Committee members were asked to submit their suggestions via email before September 1st. (The yard of Eric and Sara Nichols at 301 10th Street was then selected as Yard of the Month..

150th Nebraska Celebration: Amanda reported that a total of 520 people attended this event, 97 of this number were children. She reported that they are planning to hold the event again next year and the Catholic Church has asked to be a part of it. They would co-ordinate the childrens games and activities.

NEW BUSINESS:

Trunk or Treat for Halloween: Amanda reported that FCYSO will donate any candy or other treats that are left over at the end of the season. Judy will get the hot dogs and other supplies from Sam's, last year 220 hot dogs were distributed. Lori will put out flyers advertising the event and contact the churches.

Tree Lighting on November 25th. The only job for the Enhancement Committee will be to help decorate the park.

Public Comments: There were no public comments. A move to adjourn was made by Coleene and seconded by Amanda. The meeting was adjourned. The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, September 25th, 2017 at 6:00pm.

Submitted by: Cheri Oelke, Secretary