

## Spirit Committee Meeting

August 30, 2023

This special meeting of the Spirit Committee was called to order at 1:02 p.m. Present were Chairman Carl McEntarffer, Committee members Chris Barber, Kim Lickley, and Will Ritter. Also present were City Administrator Mike Williams, City Clerk Bernadette Coderniz, and Secretary Katie Elliott. Committee member Annie Dovenmuehler joined the meeting at 1:08 p.m. Committee members Loralee McKee and Kevin Williams were excused.

### **Approval of the June 7, 2023 and June 23, 2023 Special Meeting minutes (Action Item):**

Mr. Ritter made a motion to approve the June 7, 2023 and June 23, 2023 special meeting minutes as presented.

Second to the motion by Ms. Lickley, and carried.

### **Follow Up- Freedom Fest (Action Item):**

Ms. Coderniz stated she is waiting for the sponsor payment from Hilex Poly and is also waiting for the invoice from Western Waste. She is projecting the committee will have a balance of around \$7300 in the Freedom Fest Fund. Ms. Coderniz stated the event went well. Mr. M Williams stated it is great to have anyone from the committee at the events but they may need to send out a call from the community for volunteers. Discussion was held on how to compile committees and set up teams for future events with help from the community. Mr. Barber thanked everyone for their help and stated the event was amazing. Discussion was held on how to help with setup for vendors. Chairman McEntarffer stated they need to look into next years event. Ms. Coderniz inquired if there were too many food vendors or if it was okay. Discussion was held on the variety of food vendors that were present. It was agreed upon that the number of food vendors were sufficient. Mr. Ritter suggested setting up a set up team for next year. Ms. Lickley agreed with setting up teams to help include the committee and community. Discussion was held on expanding the fireworks show with the approval from the fire department and a bigger budget.

### **Discussion Carl Nellis Day of Service:**

Mr. M Williams stated he went around with Mayor Davis, Dr. Irwin, and a few other community members. He stated they are looking at a couple of projects in the canyon that would take around 20 people. They are looking at widening a few sections of the trail, along with some maintenance at Yingst Grade. Discussion was held on how many volunteers they would need, conflicts for the September 16<sup>th</sup>, and about four properties around town that need help. Mr. Williams stated he would like to have people RSVP for this event as they do not need a lot of people. More discussion was held on the need for volunteers, other service work in the area, and who they need to help. Mr. Williams suggested have a committee member be a Chairman for this event, and he would like to have a sub committee to help get projects. Discussion was held on the projects that could be included for the Day of Service.

### **Discussion Trunk or Treat:**

Mr. Ritter stated he has already published the event. It will be held Tuesday, October 31 and will be from Lincoln to Buchanan. Mr. Ritter stated he will be sending an email out to those who have previously registered. Ms. Coderniz stated she would be sending the flier out to the schools. Chairman McEntarffer stated he would like to have media coverage starting as soon as they can. Discussion was held on previous years and how well it was attended.

**Citizen Correspondence and Issues**

None

**Discussion Period**

Ms. Coderniz inquired about the Community Spirit Committee having a Facebook page. Ms. Elliott stated she is working on it.

Next meeting will be September 27, 2023 @ 1:00 p.m. at Renew.

**Adjournment**

There being no further discussion, Chairman Carl McEntarffer closed this special meeting at 1:33 p.m.

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Carl McEntarffer, Chairman

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Katie Elliott, Secretary