

March 8, 2022 ~ Meeting Minutes

Attendance: Alan Duesterhaus, Krista Foxx, Mark Birch, Charlotte Hanks, Dan Mastin, Leanne Ellis, Sherry Freels, Jim Hendren, and Edna Deput

Meeting called to order at 7:02pm

Consent Agenda

Feb 2022 Minutes – Approved unanimously (Krista moved, Dan seconded)

Financial Report – Approved unanimously (Krista moved, Dan seconded)

Old Business

Beautification

Street Cleanup along Route 36 West (walking east) on March 26th 2022 from 10am – 12pm CST

- Equipment will be provided for clean-up

124 North Edward St

Waiting for quote on basement windows and plastering wall. Mark meeting with the plumber and electrical this week. Window in the basement was broken. Alan spoke with 130 North Edward residents. Residents are open to the idea of buying the property and selling their current home to Millikin Heights. Still on track for completion by the end of Summer (September 1st).

New Business

The Decatur Show

Alan is working with Benny Smith to make a promo/pitch for a home revitalization show featuring Decatur, IL. Charlotte meeting with Benny Smith on Thursday, 3/10/2022, possible show name, “Innovators of the Prairie”.

805 West North Street

Alan spoke with the owner about donating the house to Millikin Heights. Owner is waiting to see if they get a better offer before donating it.

Speed Limit Enforcement

Decatur Police will be patrolling the following streets/blocks

- Decatur Street (400 Block)
 - Pine Street (Eldo – Main Street)
 - William Street (Monroe to Hayworth)
 - Main Street (Prairie & Main – Lots of people running red lights)
 - Wood Street (Monroe to Oakwood)
 - Monroe Street (200-500 Block)
- Based on what police deal with on each street/block, they will put up a portal radar

City Revitalization

Proposal to revise how code enforcement works

Coalition of Neighborhood Organizations (CONO) Priorities

CONO is seeking input as they determine priorities.

Adjournment

Adjournment approved unanimously at 7:59pm CST