

**Arts & Beautification Commission
City of Huber Heights
Jan 15, 2020 Meeting
6:30 P.M.**

I. Chair Rhonda Sumlin called the meeting to order at approximately 6:30 p.m.

II. Present at the meeting:

Ruslan Akhmedov, Kelly Gibson, Rhonda Sumlin, Cindy Davidson, Gavin Wilson, and Cheryl Brandenburg.

Member Absent:

Staff present at the meeting: Geri Hoskins, Administrative Assistant.

III. Opening Remarks by the Chairperson

IV. Citizens Comments

V. Old Business

Final 2019 Budget.

A copy of the final 2019 Budget was handed out. It was stated again that the 2020 Budget has been raised by \$2,000.00

VI. New Business

A. MLK Unity Walk

Ms. Sumlin asked for everyone to arrive at 9:30AM. The Y is open for warmth and restrooms. Ms. Davidson offered 1 propane heater. Mr. Glen Otto offered to pick it up and take it to the amphitheater.

Ms. Brandenburg said she did walk the path and it's about half a mile. She will also bring hot chocolate. Ms. Sumlin has a draft of the program. Col. Jeff Johnson will do the invocation. Discussion on the agenda.

B. Gardening Workshop

Ms. Gibson said that Lisa from Lowe's will help with supplies and volunteer hours. Discussion on the date of 3/21/2020. Talked about the location, some parks don't have water. Rain barrel could work. Mayor Gore suggested working with ABA. Ms. Gibson can start on some type of flyer. Vince King, chair of Parks and Rec asked where is the garden going? Doesn't want conflict with what they want to do in the park. Some gardening workshops through the month of July for Parks month. Would like to have the boards meet and work together.

C. Multi-Cultural Festival

Ms. Sumlin asked for discussion on what this festival will look like. Ms. Gibson suggested that we have a call to action. Who wants to participate? Ramadan was brought up due to the time frame of the month of May. Saturday, 5/30/2020, 2-6pm. World Affairs is a huge event we don't want to be up against it. Food, dance, jewelry etc. Advertising, flyers, signs. Reach out to those you know.

Action

Ms. Gibson made a motion to approve 5/30/2020 for the Multi-Cultural Festival. Seconded by Ms. Brandenburg. Roll call showed: YEAS: Mr. Akhmedov, Ms. Gibson, Ms. Davidson, Mr. Wilson, Ms. Brandenburg, and Ms. Sumlin. NAYS: None. Motion to approve carried 6-0.

D. Community Movie Nights

The dates aren't pinned down because we don't have a provider yet. Denver who used to do outdoor movies is not providing us that service this year. Fun Flicks gave us a quote of \$598.00 a movie. June, August, and October. Grease for October. Mr. Wilson said movies should be rated PG due to half the audience being small kids. Ms. Sumlin said movies for everyone. Black Panther can be the kick-off. Animal theme, pet adoption. Dr. Doolittle 2020. All the activities at each movie again. Get donations for food to grill. Community Service organizations. Some require payment or schedule ahead of time.

E. Brick City Summer Music Series

Dates are 7/18/2020 and 9/26/2020. Some food trucks, maybe beer. Need a sponsor. Let a non-profit sell the beer.

F. Fourth of July

The Chamber of Commerce will be handling the festival at Cloud Park. We are responsible for the Parade. We can ask the Corvette Club to provide Little Mr. and Ms. Spirit of Christmas a ride.

Ms. Sumlin said the Chamber asked for a Little Miss/Mister Firecracker contest. Maybe middle school age group. Perhaps nomination rather than contest. Pick a few and invite them to come to a meeting and read them. Then choose a winner.

Action

Ms. Brandenburg made a motion to initiate Mr/Ms Firecracker competition and ask for nominations from school. Seconded by Mr. Wilson. Roll call

showed: YEAS: Mr. Akhmedov, Ms. Gibson, Ms. Davidson, Mr. Wilson, Ms. Brandenburg, and Ms. Sumlin. NAYS: None. Motion to approve carried 6-0.

VII. Additional Business & Announcements

Mr. Wilson made a motion to keep Ms. Sumlin seated as the Chair. Seconded by Ms. Davidson. Roll call showed: YEAS: Mr. Akhmedov, Ms. Gibson, Ms. Davidson, Mr. Wilson, Ms. Brandenburg, and Ms. Sumlin. NAYS: None. Motion to approve carried 6-0.

Mr. Wilson made a motion to keep Ms. Brandenburg seated as the Vice Chair. Seconded by Ms. Davidson. Roll call showed: YEAS: Mr. Akhmedov, Ms. Gibson, Ms. Davidson, Mr. Wilson, Ms. Brandenburg, and Ms. Sumlin. NAYS: None. Motion to approve carried 6-0.

VIII. Approval of the Minutes

Without objection, the minutes of the November 18, 2019, Arts & Beautification Commission meeting are approved.

IX. Upcoming Meetings

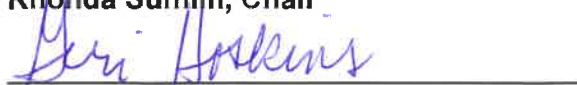
The next scheduled meeting is Wednesday, February 19, 2020.

X. Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 8:15 p.m.



Rhonda Sumlin, Chair



Geri Hoskins, Administrative Secretary

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