

LOVE THE SQUARE

Minutes from April 20, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 am by Don Peters.

In attendance

Randy Jones, Jami Wilson, Marcia Thomas, Jerian Cesonis (arrived at 9:30 a.m.), Don Peters, Happy Welch, Scott Beck and Sandy Franklin. (Quorum Present)

Approval of Minutes

The minutes from March 16, 2018 were presented and approved. Motion made by Happy Welch with second by Scott Beck.

Treasure / Budget Report

- Balance \$2104.25 – presented by Jami Wilson

Old Business

- Promenade event - Jami reported that the Promenade held at the Brickhouse was a success. We spent a total of \$336.96 on supplies and giveaways. Thank you extended to Fran Cook for hosting the event at her business. Don recommended that we do this again next year and perhaps get with Jill Filer to coordinate with the school district.
- Christmas event – April is still checking on getting reindeers for the event.
- Main Street grant – Happy did not have any update. (addendum received notification after meeting- we have been accepted in the program as of Friday.)
- Marketing and recognition – Don mentioned we still need to focus on.
- 1st Friday Coffee in November – we have caterer in place, but will need door prizes – possibly use ornaments.
- Refurbishing/repainting of lettering at Wall and Independence Street – Don reported that Historical Society suggested that the Missouri Arts Council might have a grant to assist with this project.

New Business

- Mayor's Christmas Tree Event – we need to start thinking about event. Question on when and where Santa should arrive.
- Don suggested about doing a summer program/event – possibly a car show. Scott said he would like to see a tractor show this summer. Scott will check with getting one lined up for either July 7th or August 25th.
- Farmers Market – Happy announced that there is a booth for non-profits every Saturday morning if anyone is interested in promoting Love the Square.
- Thank you to St. Peter's Episcopal Church for hosting meeting.

Next Meeting

May 18th at 9:00 am at St. Peter's Episcopal Church. Meeting adjourned at 10:00 am Motioned by Jeri Cesonis and 2nd by Happy Welch.

Submitted by Randy Jones, Secretary

- **President** – Don Peters
- **Vice President** – Happy Welch
- **Secretary**- Randy Jones
- **Treasurer**- April McLaughlin
- **Past President**- April McLaughlin
- **New Executive Board Member**- Obie Carl
- **New Board Participant**: Jerian Cesonis
- **Member**: Scott Beck