



Meeting Minutes – January 27, 2022

Members Present: Dan Anderson, Monica Weinman, Grant Darrah, Kim Guilford, Laurel Halstead, Tim Wilson, Bob Kling

Also Present: Jackie Raffety

Dan called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

Tim motioned to approve the October 28, 2021 meeting minutes. Grant seconded and the motion carried.

Current piano has been moved inside for the winter at West Hill Brewery. The piano will be moved to Bob's Custom Trophy in the spring. Monica and Laurel have sanded the second piano and Dan will make arrangements to take it apart before painting begins. Monica's art class will paint the piano and Monica will ask Jen at McCoy's for paint/monetary donation. A letter will again be sent to businesses requesting donations/sponsorships. Dan will contact Music Booster president, Becky Kolosick, to see if the organization has any interest in a sponsorship. The group decided that once the second piano is completed, both pianos will be made available to the public.

Monica said the artist sign-up list has increased in number after some publicity and is moving in a positive direction but does need musicians and Carousel Theater representation.

Jackie indicated Teva, with Group Creative, will be meeting with ten key stakeholders on February 2nd at 5:30 p.m. She will subsequently meet with key city and county leaders. The community survey has had approximately 250 responses, but the survey does need to be completed by younger people and minorities.

Jackie reported on the Streetscape project indicating the next phase will begin in March, weather permitting, and will encompass Salem Ave between Howard & First and Salem Ave north to Ashland. The next phase is scheduled to begin in July.

The group decided to table the selection of 2022 IPAC officers until July, when some terms will be ending. All officers will continue in their current position until July.

IPAC was supposed to give an annual report to City Council before 2021 year end. As that deadline has passed, Bob will make the report to the Council highlighting IPAC's accomplishments and goals for 2022.

The group decided to request clarity from Hometown Pride in how we can support their project, particularly in the artistic realm. Dan will contact Lorin Ditzler for a joint meeting on February 3rd at 6:00 p.m.

IPAC's meetings for 2022 will again be held in Council Chambers on the 4th Thursday of the month at 6:00 pm.

Bob mentioned DMMO's 50th anniversary celebration and possible help from IPAC for grain bin art projections. Bob said NRAC will meet February 22nd at 7:00 pm at Brickhouse for the presentation of *Fall in Love with Your Why* and encouraged attendance/promotion from the group.

Kim motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:00 p.m. Tim seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Minutes recorded and submitted by Kim Guilford, Secretary