

KEEP CAPE BEATIFUL COMMITTEE MEETING
MARCH 29, 2016

The Cape Girardeau Beautiful Committee met at the Osage Centre on March 29, 2016 at 3:00 p.m.

Present:

Brian Langlois, Chairman
Becky Mocherman, Member
Laura Ritter
Kasie Essner

Staff Present:

Julia Thompson, Director of Park & Recreation
Loretta Schneider, Council Liaison
Brock Davis, Parks Division Manager
Sharon Bergman, Administrative Assistant
Mike Tripp, Public Works Representative

Absent:

I. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS – Welcome Mark Bliss

- II. **GUEST:** Mark Bliss, Southeast Missourian Reporter – Mark will be reporting on the committees' effort to Keep Cape Beautiful in upcoming issues of Southeast Missourian.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chairman Brian Langlois requested approval of the March 1st meeting. Becky Mocherman made a motion, seconded by Loretta Schneider to accept the minutes as distributed with corrections to spelling of Ms. Hurt's name.

IV. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Election of new member Keri Hurt to the KCB committee. Laura Ritter made a motion to add Keri Hurt as a KCB committee member and Kasie Essner 2nd the motion.
- B. Update on the Friends of the Parks Day and Great Cape Clean-up – Brock Davis reports that he has several Sororities and Fraternities signing up for projects. The Conservation department has signed up for the Riverwalk, riverfront area. He said he could use a few more groups for the downtown area. Kasie Essner said she is going to be working on the corner by Cup and Cork downtown. Brock stated that he is pleased with the sponsorships that came in for T-shirts this year. Brock stated to "feel free to have groups or individuals contact him for signup sheets and a list of projects for April 23rd."
- C. Montgomery Bank was selected by the committee for April 2016 Beautification Award.

V. OLD BUSINESS

- D. The City P.I.O will be promoting some information for April Beautification month. Julia will be sending information to Nicolette to distribute.

VI. OTHER BUSINESS**A. Council Liaison – Loretta Schneider**

Julia Thompson – Julia invited KCB meeting to attend the Tree Board Mtg. on April 1st where they will be meeting at 12:00 pm at the Quad fields in Arena Park to plant trees in honor of Arbor Day. The SEMO Horticulture Club will be there to help plant trees. They will have lunch at 12:30 pm at the Arena building.

The next meeting is scheduled for April 26th at 3:00 pm at the Osage Centre.

There being no further business, Kasie Essner made a motion to adjourn with Becky Mocherman 2nd motion. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Bergman
Administrative Assistant