

## ELNA Minutes – July 06, 2015

Present: Mark Epard, Brenda Nunez, Lane Eisenbart, Aaron Paden, Dave Loewenstein, Cindy Suenram, Arch Naramore, Gotfred Beardshear, Frank Janzen, John Sebelius, Alicia Kelly, Katy Clagett, Jonh Myer, Nicolette Proudfoot, Codi Bates, Robert Krause, Jacki Becker, Greg Herrod, Jesse Carleton, Gary & Angie Rexroad, Tom Larkin, Bruce Eggers, Patrick Watkins

Meeting called to order by Aaron Paden. No minutes were reviewed.

Katy Clagett & Alicia Kelly gave an update on the Intersection Repair project. Tentative painting day is 9/12 depending on school construction being complete by then. There will be 2 fundraisers for the project, 7/9 at the Tap Room and 7/18 at the intersection for a pot luck picnic. The design will be shown at the picnic.

Love Grub owners have bought the building at 11<sup>th</sup> & Pennsylvania. They operate a pet food business selling to national grocery chains. Plans are to add a commercial kitchen to bake dog treats. There will be storage of dog food. They plan on renting space to a retail pet supply business in the front of the building. Their request goes to the planning commission on 7/22.

Tom Larkin presented the current draft of the Bistro proposal. He is looking for input on the proposal by the end of the week. He will be at the Cider Gallery this Thursday for people to see the site and the plans.

Horizon 2020 Comprehensive Plan will be holding public meetings on Monday 7/13 for comment.

East 9<sup>th</sup> Project. Our representatives have asked for updates to the work plan to include support of neighborhood zoning changes, explicitly calling out there are no plans to create an entertainment district along 9<sup>th</sup> street, creation of 3 associate artist positions to be filled by East Lawrence artists.

The Jury to select the artists for the overall project will consist of 7 people, 3 from the CAC, Josh from El Dorado, 2 outside experts and one Parks & Rec person. Jackie suggested everyone talk to their artist friends and neighbors to apply for these positions.

President Report: We will be doing concessions for KVKL on 7/12 & 8/9.

Vice President: Jackie asked that ELNA write a letter of support for the Love Grub business. Pam moved and KH seconded. Motion was passed. Jackie will write the letter. There was some concern about the odor created in the neighborhood by the baking.

Treasurer gave the bank balance.

Coordinator: Heartland Community Health Services has moved by the hospital. They would like to come to a future meeting. Lane passed out an update to the bylaws to review. There are several points she felt needed clarification. Newsletter was written

Block Party is now scheduled for 9/26 at Hobbs Park. Lane researched the “amplified music permit” that was asked for by police last year. She has yet to find anyone at the City who has ever heard of it.

LAN: Brenda passed out handouts. Of note was the results of the Rental inspections.

HRC: Barry’s house on the corner of 7<sup>th</sup> and Connecticut is falling into need of repair. The house is on the state registry but not yet on the City. Various groups are working with Barry to improve the conditions.

Uberlift in Lawrence must follow the taxi code. City is buying the Amtrac station for \$1.

Aaron moved to adjourn. Jackie seconded. Meeting was adjourned.