



CITY OF MOLALLA
BEAUTIFICATION & CULTURE COMMITTEE

MEETING AGENDA

Meeting Location: Molalla Area Chamber of
Commerce 109 E. Main Street | Molalla, OR 97038
Tuesday, May 9, 2023 | 5:30pm

I. CALL TO ORDER & WELCOME - Lizz Klein opened the meeting at 5:33 PM

II. ROLL CALL

Terry Shankle, Connie Sharp, Pamela Lucht, Lizz Klein present.
Roxie Smith, Absent

III. MINUTES

- Review and Approval of April 11, 2023, minutes - Connie moved to amend the minutes to say "Connie will check into the lights for the trees" and remove the reference to Oregon City, seconded, Passed unanimously.

IV. GENERAL BUSINESS

- B&C COMMITTEE UPDATE
 - Now under Administration/City Manager's Office
- Strawberry Park Update - Lizz met with the Parks Counselor, Jody Newland, and artists Crystal Shenk and Shelby to discuss the opportunities April 14, 2023 and the artists are
- Report on Spring Clean-Up Efforts - Friday: 14.86 Tons and 22 yards collected. 380 people on Saturday 38.42 tons of garbage, 560 yards. 29,330 lbs of scrap metal came in. No shredder this year. Drug take back day also happened. Received a \$20 donation and will be given to parks department. Molalla Sanitary/B&B Leasing donated their time and services. Will do this again next year around the same time.
- Flower Hanging Baskets Update - Limited number of faucets and too late to do anything this year. FFA would need an order by October to meet the need in 2024. Would need building owners to pitch in and provide water supply. Josh Cramer works for an irrigation system. Pamela has invited him to join our committee. Flowers would only be able to added to the buildings but not the poles.
- Tree Lighting Update - City has approved cover the cost of electricity for lighting the tree trunks. Lighting is 20"x45" \$20 each. Holiday Light Solutions in Oregon City. Rated for 60K hours. Would need volunteers to install. Need to count the trees to find out how many lights are needed. Connie will do the count and create a budget.
- Cultural/Arts Grants – Pre-planning - Lizz will get a list of grants together with focus areas and maximum funding per grant. Possible projects: Utility box wraps, waste can holders, gateway signage, seating, light pole art, architectural design plan, signage. (Lizz ask City about whether he got a copy of this).

I. FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER - Old Business

- Banner project - Connie wrote for a grant through AG West with the Chamber as the applicant. They will be announcing awards in May.
- Mural Ordinance - Need update on the Mural Ordinance.
- Next Meeting: What is B&C role in helping our community related to the action and vision values (safety, beauty, etc.).
- Need to recruit more members to the committee. Students and others interested in B&C. Celebrate Molalla could be a good opportunity to collaborate and cultivate interest.

II. ADJOURN - Connie moved to adjourn at 6:37 pm, seconded. Passed unanimously.