

MINUTES

Graham Appearance Commission Meeting

April 18, 2022

City Hall Council Chambers

In attendance:

Zipporah Clark-Baldwin, Judy Hall, Carmen Larrimore, Bonnie Whitaker, Bernadette Konzelmann, Brandy McCandless, and Cameron West

- **Call Meeting to Order**
 - Meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM
 - Pledge of Allegiance
 - Moment of Silence

- **Approval of Minutes from April 4, 2021**
 - Clark-Baldwin makes the motion to approve, seconded by Hall. All in favor

- **Arbor Day Poster Contest**
 - Brandy McCandless presented the commission with the poster contest drawings
 - The commission selected Amelia Wells poster as the winner in the 3-5-year-old age group
 - The commission selected Stella Moss's poster as the winner in the 6-8-year-old group.
 - The commission selected Leah Edwards poster as the winner in the 9-11-year-old age group
 - The commission selected Neil Edwards poster as the winner in the 12-14-year-old age group

- **Text Amendment Presentation**
 - West presents the commission with the text amendment
 - Konzelmann notes she still has issues with the enclosed porch language
 - Clark-Baldwin requests Konzelmann presents what she would like to change
 - Konzelmann suggests the enclosed porch aspect be removed
 - Hall mentions the amendment had been reviewed multiple times and if any concerns were to arise with the language, legal staff and Council would adjust the text
 - Hall makes the motion to move forward with the current language to submit, seconded by Clark-Baldwin. 3-1 vote. Konzelmann not in favor

- **Spring Clean-up Discussion**
 - West presents a program with the New Leaf Foundation seeking to get municipalities out and participating in litter clean-up's during the spring time.
 - West notes the organization would provide all the necessary tools for the clean-up and could easily be acquired, but the date would need to be selected by the commission
 - Discussion over the location of the clean-up ensues and the commission suggests to stick around the park areas for safety concerns.
 - A date of June 4th is suggested with location and time to follow.
 - Clark-Baldwin makes a motion to set the Spring Clean-up date to June 4th, seconded by Konzelmann. All in favor

- **City Council Updates**
 - Council Member Whitaker attended the meeting and had no updates from Council.
- **Other items of discussion**
 - West noted the Spring Appearance award nominations needed to be submitted by end of Business on April 29th
- **Meeting Adjourned. Motion made by Hall, seconded by Clark-Baldwin at 6:53 PM**