

Lowell Community Committee
July 26, 2021
6:00pm
Lowell City Hall

Attendees: Cristy Cummings, Michelle Sebastian, Travis Smith, John Cantrell, Scott Bates, Candy Funderburk, Heather Seay, and Alex Blackburn.

Travis called the meeting to order at 6:00pm.

A motion was made to approve the minutes from the June 28th meeting. Minutes were approved.

Old Business

The LCC will be celebrating the veterans of Lowell on Saturday, November 13th, which coincides with Veterans Day, November 11th. Details of how our veterans will be celebrated is being worked on, and there will be more to come. Once a plan is in place, all interested vets will need to RSVP with City Hall so that a head count is provided.

New Business

The cemetery policies drafted by the LCC were approved by City Council at their last meeting. Permanent signs noting the three clean off dates will be placed near the entrances of the cemetery soon.

The Lowell Police Department will be participating in the National Night Out, August 3rd, at Rankin Park 6:00pm – 8:00pm. NNO is a national community building campaign that promotes police and community partnerships. In addition to meeting our officers, you may enjoy free pizza and drinks. There will also be family friendly activities and “goodies” for the little ones.

Some of the American flags that are put up along Main St. and 1st Street during various patriotic holidays are damaged. The LCC is requesting City Council consider purchasing eight replacement flags and additional ones if funds are available.

Cristy shared with the LCC the newly drafted “Rules Governing Community Center Rentals” and “Rules Governing Shelters, Ballfield, and Concession Stand Rentals”. The new organization of the rules are now more specific to the place of interest, rather than all grouped into one document. There have also been some changes/modification to some of the rules, such as refunding deposits for cancelations or date changes. Travis made a motion that the new set of rules be sent to City Council for approval. John seconded the motion. Motion passed.

Staff Updates

Cristy reported on the following:

- Treat Walk will be on October 28th. More to come on this event.
- The mobile Mammogram bus will be in Lowell on October 20th. More to come on this event.
- Dinos in the Park was huge success. Approximately 800 – 900 people enjoyed the show.
- Music in the Park will be on Aug. 14th 7:00pm – 9:00pm.
- The next Senior Citizen luncheon will be a drive through BBQ at 11:30am on Aug. 26th. RSVP by Aug. 19th.

John made a motion to adjourn and it was seconded by Travis. Meeting adjourned.

The next LCC meeting will be on Aug. 23rd at City Hall.