

Monroe Beautification Committee

May 17, 2017 at 4:00 pm

Chair: Cindy Canter

Present: Amy Nystrom, Carol Girard, Dorothy Brinckerhoff, Linda Fredricks, & Joyce Long

Guests: Rick Hohnbaum, & Paul Canter

1. OPENING: Call to order  
The Board approved the minutes.
2. UPDATES:
  - 2.1 Rick reported that at the next Monroe City Council meeting May 22, 2017 they will be voting on the Connectivity Plan and the Amendment to Monroe land use development code.
  - 2.2 Linda reported that at the Planning Commission meeting there are new contractors/developers interested in the Brick yard. Monroe is looking into Natural gas coming to Monroe and maybe running the line beside the old railroad bed.
  - 2.3 Rick reported that the Planning Commission is recommending the Lot size for buildable lots to change to 5,000 square feet North of Kelly Street.
3. OLD BUSINESS:
  - 3.1 Oregon Main Street
  - 3.2 Wade Skinner came to give his ideas for the Monroe Sign north of town. He will draw up some plans for us to review. Wage mentioned that he could stay in our budget of \$7,000 for this sign.
  - 3.3 The Committee decided to roll the \$2,500 left in the account into the upcoming budget.
  - 3.4 The Committee would like the insurance money that was received to stay on a separate line item in next year's budget.

3.5 Linda and Dorothy will work on the advertising in the newspapers for the artwork/Sign dedication. The dedication is the next meeting June 21<sup>st</sup> at 4 pm.

4. NEW BUSINESS:

4.1 The Committee is asking for an additional \$5000 for the 2017-18 budget

4.2 The Committee decided to run an ad in the “Contractors Plan Center” for getting other bids for the Monroe sign north of town.

5. PUBLIC ITEMS and COMMENTS: