

**Cultural Committee Meeting
Monday, April 19, 2021
Red Bud City Hall
Council Chambers (2nd floor)**

Committee Members Present: Clem Esker, Mike Rheinecker, Curt Guebert,
Jeremy DeMond

Committee Members Absent: Kyle Donjon

Council Members Present: Bill Hanebutt, Rodney Nevois, Susan Harbaugh

Others Present: Mayor Tim Lowry, City Attorney Paul Ray, City
Superintendent Josh Eckart, Code Admin. Jeff
Mueller, Police Chief John Brittingham, Admin.
Assist. Pam Poetker, City Clerk Joanne Cowell

Committee Member Guebert called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M.

Old Business

None

New Business

I. Approval of Prior Month's Meeting Minutes – March 15, 2021

***Recommendation made by Committee Member Guebert, seconded by Committee
Chairman Esker, to approve the minutes from the March 15, 2021 meeting. Carried***

II. Request from Red Bud Fire Department for Annual Picnic

***Recommendation made by Committee Member Guebert, seconded by Committee
Member Rheinecker, to approve the request from Red Bud Fire Department for their
annual picnic on June 25-27, 2021 as presented, subject to COVID restrictions.
Carried***

III. Food Trucks at Private Events at Parks

Admin. Assist. Poetker explained a request from an individual renting a park pavilion, wanting to hire a food truck, rather than providing a potluck meal. They were told that this was not allowed under the ordinance, but Poetker wanted further input from the council. After discussion, it was felt that this was not the intent of the ordinance and this situation would be no different than having the party catered. Poetker will look at the exact wording of the ordinance and if this is a problem, will bring it back to the committee.

**IV. Request from Off the Square Coffee Co for Street and Sidewalk Closures on
April 24, 2021**

Committee Chairman Esker suggested that the city could purchase some nice-looking barricades to be used for street closures events. City Superintendent Eckart will research it.

Recommendation made by Committee Member Guebert, seconded by Committee Chairman Esker, to approve the request from Off the Square Coffee Co. to close off the sidewalk and side street parking directly in front of the business on Bloom Street on Saturday, April 24, 2021 from 2 – 6 P.M., for a cold brew tasting, pre-purchase ticket event. Carried

V. Public Comments/Anything for the Good of the City

None

Meeting was adjourned at 6:38 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joanne G. Cowell, City Clerk
Red Bud, Illinois