

**Cultural Committee Meeting
Monday, May 16, 2022
Red Bud City Hall
Council Chambers (2nd floor)**

Committee Members Present: Ben Schwartzkopf, Jeremy DeMond, Mike Rheinecker, Curt Guebert

Committee Members Absent: Kyle Donjon

Council Members Present: Bill Hanebutt, Rodney Nevois, Alan Piel

Others Present: Acting Mayor Susan Harbaugh, 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 Chairman Schwartzkopf called the meeting to order at 6:30 P.M.

Old Business

None

New Business

I. Approval of Prior Month's Meeting Minutes – Meeting April 18, 2022
Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Schwartzkopf, seconded by Committee Member DeMond, to approve the minutes from the April 18, 2022, meeting. Carried

II. Request from the Chamber of Commerce for Movie Night – June 11, 2022
Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Schwartzkopf, seconded by Committee Member Rheinecker, to approve the request from the Chamber of Commerce to reserve Lincoln Park and have power dropped for Movie Night on June 11, 2022, with fee waived. Carried

III. Request from the Chamber of Commerce for ChamberFest on Oct. 21-22, 2022

The Muskets are aware of the event and will work around it.

Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Schwartzkopf, seconded by Committee Member Guebert, to approve the request from the Chamber of Commerce to reserve Lincoln Park on October 21-22, 2022, for the ChamberFest and have power dropped, as requested in their letter, with fee waived. Carried

IV. Funding Requests – Santa's Village and Beautification Committee

Andrea Jenkins addressed the committee on the efforts of the Beautification Committee to raise funds and bring more business to Red Bud, through their events. Poetker suggested funds could be available from the Henry Thielen Fund, the hotel/motel tax, the FY'22 surplus funds or the tourism line item. Poetker will present more funding detail at the next committee meeting.

V. IllinoisSouth Membership Renewal

Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Schwartzkopf, seconded by Committee Member Guebert, to approve the renewal of the brass level membership in IllinoisSouth Tourism, NTE \$300. Carried

VI. Request from Knights of Columbus to Collect at 4-Way Stop – Sept. 16, 2022

Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Schwartzkopf, seconded by Committee Member Rheinecker, to approve the request from the Knights of Columbus to collect at the 4-way on September 16, 2022, 3:00-6:30 P.M. Carried

VII. Request from St. Peter UCC to close Randolph Street – July 15th for VBS

Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Schwartzkopf, seconded by Committee Member Rheinecker, to approve the request from St. Peter UCC to close Randolph Street, on the side of the church, on July 15, 2022, after 4:00 P.M., for Vacation Bible School, subject to approval by Roeslein. Carried

VIII. Request from Humane Society to Collect at 4-Way on October 14 & 15, 2022

Recommendation made by Committee Chairman Schwartzkopf, seconded by Committee Member Rheinecker, to approve the request from the Humane Society to collect at the 4-way on October 14 (2:00 – 6:00 P.M.) & 15, 2022, (8:00 A.M.-Noon.) Carried

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

None

Meeting was adjourned at 6:43 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joanne G. Cowell, City Clerk
Red Bud, Illinois