

Alton Beautification and Clean City Committee
Minutes of the Meeting January 8, 2015
Haskell House 3:30 p.m.

Members Present: Carolyn MacAfee, Darlene Walker, Tammy Smith, Debbie Collier, Heather Hope, Carolyn Dooley, Vera Gray, Debbie Rowden, and Margaret Renken.

Members Absent: George Carter, Patrick Dailey, Mike Drake, Robin Harp, Beth Modlin, Lisa Maag, Alfred Reams, Sara McGibany, and Brad Kreider.

Chairperson Carolyn MacAfee called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the September 4, 2014, meeting were presented and approved by motion of Carolyn Dooley, seconded by Heather Hope.

Old Business –

New Business –

Spring and Fall Litter Pick Up Dates: The 2015 Spring Litter Pick Up will be April 25th, the 2015 Fall Litter Pick Up will be September 12th. Contact your groups so that they may get these dates on their calendars.

Hanging Baskets at Lincoln Douglas: We will have fewer baskets this year, 30; they are being made by Green Earth. The watering schedule will also be reduced this year to only once a day.

Vegetable Garden: Would like to put a vegetable garden in the plot of land west of Lincoln Douglas Square and offer the produce to the Grass Roots Grocery co-op and possibly Oasis, offering them the fruits of the garden in exchange for some of its maintenance.

Discussions – -Our future meetings will be held in the conference or lunch room at City Hall.

-This would be a good time to check fast food restaurants to see that they comply with the trash container ordinance. If you find a place that is not in compliance, Carolyn MacAfee or Debbie Rowden will contact Building and Zoning to talk to the City Inspector.

-It would be a good idea for AB&CCC to have a facebook page, Debbie Collier will talk to Dan Herkert about setting up one for us.

-A Litter Report Card has been turned in to APD, Carolyn Dooley will talk to Sgt. Cranmer about it.

Announcements – None.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m. Our next meeting will be March 4, 2015 at 3:30 p.m. at Alton City Hall.