

NOVEMBER 19, 2018, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMM. MTG. MINUTES-NOVEMBER 23.

4:30 p.m. Members present: J. Pearson, B. Stoneberg. Absent: J. Fields. Others present: A. Christianson 1 and 2, K. Gorsegner, A. Kenyon, L. Klink.

Call to Order:

In Mr. Fields' absence, Mrs. Pearson called the meeting to order and presided.

Goose Your Neighbor:

*It was decided to use a flock of one dozen geese. Any of several authorized to use City charge account at Ace could accompany Mrs. Stoneberg to buy geese.

*As "the holidays" are already upon us it was decided to start this after New Year's Day.

*Mrs. Pearson distributed copies of a similar pink flamingo fund raiser's leaflet for review.

*It is assumed Mr. Fields will be the go-between with media whose support will be needed.

*Adm. Christianson will talk with Dennis Weimer about a sign for use with this activity.

*The activity will be publicized on the Mayor's Facebook page.

Updates:

Vet's Murals

Hoover Const. will pick up the Vet's Murals Nov. 20th at Butternut, WI and, hopefully, mount them before long.

Fish Murals

We have quotes for these from our mural artist, who likes to do something other than military murals just for a change. There may be other location options to consider.

Native American Carving

No update.

Swivel Plow

Trying to locate plow component dimensions had become a dead end. We may have to go back to a previous approach of measuring parts that may be standard and using a computer program to project sizes of other parts accordingly. The main beam may have to be an original sand casting. There is apparently a small foundry in the blue hills, although contact hasn't yet been established.

Full Sized Covered Bridge

No progress.

Former Residents Mural

Adm. Christianson has had difficulty finding photos of the 6-8 candidates he has on a list of folks who became well known after leaving Ladysmith. Several prominent local businessmen were also mentioned.

Rail Vehicle Occupants

Depictions of three living rail display volunteers were approved at a recent meeting. Two will be seated inside the motorcar in the Lake Ave. Rail Display. A third will be taking tickets in the doorway of a passenger car displayed by the visitor center.

Museum Workshop

Upgrades to the plow museum workshop are underway.

Website

There was discussion of updates to the City's website.