

Community Development Commission

November 30, 2017 7:00pm

Rock Hill City Hall .

320 W Thornton Avenue, Saint Louis Missouri 63119

Respectfully Written: Leonmarie Benner

7:10 pm **Meeting called to order** - Debra Donner - Chairman

7:10 pm **Roll Call** - Leonmarie Benner - Secretary made note of who was present and absent

Attendees: Chair: Debra Donner, Vice Chair; Sylva Neubauer, Secretary: Leonmarie Benner, Alderman: Ed Johnson, Maud Jeanty, Pat Harris

Absent: Mayor; Ed Mahan

7:05pm Approval of minutes of the September, 2017 meeting.

Ed Johnson motioned to approved the minutes as written and Sylva Neubauer seconded the motion.

Reports - Comments;

1. Still discussing what works and what does not work for the CDC with meeting dates and times.
2. Holiday Party for City of Rock Hill will be December 15, 2017 at noon. The CDC will set up and decorate the room the evening of December 14, 2017 at 5:30pm. Several of the CDC members will bring a dish to share at the gathering.
3. Volunteer Service hours. We are trying to bring together the needs of the community and coordinate service hours needed by high school students, scouts, and other organizations. Could be the first Saturday of the month on designated months. An example would be painting, landscaping, yard clean up, organizing, ramp building. Still discussing.
4. THE FALL FESTIVAL was October 7, 2017 at Hudson Elementary School grounds.

WHAT WORKED -

- Hudson school the site is fantastic - the open field the ability to have a large crowd and parking.
- Weather was a plus in the beginning and then a huge rain storm and wind issues.
- Tent for patrons to gather under
- The entertainment was truly a success with The Hudson Harmonies, The Bucket Drummers and The Panics
- Games - children enjoyed the games and the prizes.
- The food was fantastic

WHAT NEEDS IMPROVEMENT

- More signage in the community
- Banner at City Hall
- Banner at Hudson Elementary School
- More teen games

Adjourned 8:05pm

