

Alton Beautification and Clean City Committee
Minutes of the Meeting November 5, 2009
Haskell House 3:30 p.m.

Members Present: Laura Wallendorf, Carolyn Gronemeier, Carolyn Dooley, Sara McGibany, and Margaret Renken.

Members Absent: Rhonda Lewis, Sue Weber, Darrell McGibany, Tom Weathers, Joe Blair, Brad Cunningham, Mike Drake, and Sue Hardin.

Also Present: Matt Asselmeier (Mayor's Office)

Chairperson Laura Wallendorf called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the September 3, 2009 meeting were presented and approved by motion of Carolyn Gronemeier, seconded by Sara McGibany.

Old Business -

Budget: No report.

New Business:

Web Page Awards Update: The first award will be in January. What are the criteria? Carolyn Gronemeier will get a copy of Pride's criteria to Laura Wallendorf.

Circle of Caring: We have given out an adopt-a-trash can application and we have received an adopt-a-block from Alton High for Humbert Road. We would like to recognize the adopt-a-block program by doing another Mayor's tour. Matt Asselmeier will follow up on the overflowing trashcan at Broadway and Ridge.

Litter Signs: We would like to get rid of the "Keep Alton Clean" signs and replace them with "Adopt-A-Block" signs.

We think we need to revise the contracts, Carolyn Dooley will check with Jim Schrempf; she will also get a big City map from the Growth Association

Announcements: - We will not have a December meeting.

We need to recruit new members, Carolyn Gronemeier will ask at the next Pride Meeting.

Caring Corps – Littler clean-ups, they may take over the spring and fall clean-ups.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:50. Our next meeting will be January 7, 2010 at 1:30 p.m. at Haskell House.