

Alton Beautification and Clean City Committee  
Minutes of the Meeting March 11, 2010  
Haskell House 3:30 p.m.

Members Present: Laura Wallendorf, Rhonda Lewis, Brad Cunningham, Joe Blair, Carolyn Gronemeier, Carolyn Dooley, Tom Weathers, and Margaret Renken.

Members Absent: Sara McGibany, Sue Weber, Mike Drake, Darrell McGibany, and Sue Hardin.

Also Present: None

Chairperson Laura Wallendorf called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the February 4, 2010 meeting were presented and approved by motion of Carolyn Gronemeier, seconded by Brad Cunningham.

**Old Business -**

Budget: We have been informed that we will have funding in the 2010-2011 budget, as of this date we do not know how much that will be.

**New Business:**

Web Page Awards Update: No report.

Mini Grants: Until we know how much money we will be awarded in the new budget, the mini grant program is on hold.

New Chairman: Laura Wallendorf is concerned that other issues she is currently dealing with may be hindering her as chairman of the Beautification Committee. We discussed electing a new chairman or possibly two co-chairs or a chairman and vice chairs. Carolyn Gronemeier is willing to be a co-chair or vice-chair; Laura Wallendorf will talk to Darrell McGibany to see if he would be willing to serve in one of these capacities.

Litter Clean-Up: The Pride All-City Litter Clean-Up is scheduled April 17<sup>th</sup>, Carolyn Dooley attends their meetings to represent the ABCCC. Carolyn Dooley has a list of needy places; Carolyn Gronemeier will help her expand the list. The ABCCC will man two stations for the clean up- Downtown and The Family Learning Center.

Education Committee: Reminder letters were sent to the school for the Liter'ature program. Carolyn Dooley suggest Anti-Litter Pledge Cards for the K-5<sup>th</sup> grades, give them out with the car litter bags.

**Announcements:**

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:05. Our next meeting will be April 1, 2010 at 3:30 p.m. at Haskell House.