

ERC MEETING MINUTES SEPTEMBER 18, 2014

Attendance: Claude Tankersley, Dave Gustafson, Mindy Piantanida, Brian Henry, Gary Kinder, Curtis Johnson, Kenny Simunovic and Holly Lundgren.

Guests: Tom Orehowsky

Meeting officially opened at 9:02 am.

- I. Public Works & Utilities Updates
 - a. Stage, Barricades and Cones: A cost analysis is being processed.
 - b. Cigarette Litter Prevention Program: All receptacles have been installed; however, four of the receptacles have been vandalized. Keep Manatee Beautiful has been notified. All documentation has been provided to Keep Manatee Beautiful.
 - c. Camera Signage: The signs have been delivered. Dave, Kenny, Gary and Claude will go to Riverwalk to determine placement immediately following the meeting.
- II. Event Review and Collaboration
 - a. Stage Request for Library: Mana-Con is an event taking place including martial arts demonstrations and Cosplay Runway. ERC approves the usage of the stage.
 - b. Manatee Association of Realtors: Two additional Officers may be required due to the event manifesting to a larger scale.
 - c. Festival of Worship: One Officer will be in the Park. Solid Waste and Electrical services will be required. This event begins at 2 pm. Additionally, Manatee Performing Arts Center will be showing 2 plays. ERC recommends changing the date due to potential parking issues. October 26th has only one performance at 2 pm and November 9th and 15th has two performances.
 - d. Jim Gay CPA Client Appreciation Night: One Officer is required 3:30 – 8:30 pm. Solid Waste and Electrical services will be required. Brian will be meeting with Event Holder prior to date to provide a price quote. More information will be required regarding parking/shuttling plans prior to approval.
 - e. Downtown Hanukkah Celebration: Road closure. Two Officers required. Solid Waste services will be needed. This event is going to Council September 24, 2014.
 - f. Pirates and Princesses: 11 Officers will be required for the 5K. The event on Old Main will require additional Officers and Public Works & Utilities services.
 - g. DeSoto: going to Council Sept. 24th. The application is showing no alcohol.
 - h. Introduction to Finch Run – Darwin Brewing Co.: The event holder sent an email explaining they are planning a 3 mile run every Wednesday at 6 pm beginning October 1st that will take runners through the Village of the Arts, Downtown Bradenton, and the Riverwalk. They are not asking for road closures or permission.
 - i. Sounds of the Season: estimated 3,000 people, music, alcohol, and food will be served. The event time is planned 4 – 10 pm. The Farmer's Market breakdown will take place by 3:30 pm and this event would like to setup at 2 pm. Collaboration of Farmer's Market breakdown and Sounds of the Season setup will need to take place. Officers will be required due to alcohol being served and sold at this event. This event is pending.
 - j. February 7th Power boat Regatta: a street closure will be needed.
 - k. Blues Fest Main stage is arriving December 4th. Security will be provided.

Meeting adjourned at 10:45 am