

ERC MEETING MINUTES SEPTEMBER 4, 2014

Attendance: Claude Tankersley, Dave Gustafson, Mindy Piantanida, Rene Raymond, Brian Henry, Curtis Johnson, Holly Lundgren.

Guests: Mark Young, Bradenton Herald. Sondra Guffey, Manatee Glens.

Meeting officially opened at 9:00 am.

- I. Public Works & Utilities Updates
 - a. Ladders have been received and getting ready to be installed.
 - b. Cigarette Litter Prevention Program: Dave and Ingrid walked through Barcarotta and Main Street to determine placement. Gary installed 15 receptacles on Riverwalk. We plan to place 40 on Riverwalk and 20 on Main Street. We will utilize the unused portion on Barcarotta (approximately 6 or 8 will be needed). Chip may let us utilize his extras from the courthouse.
 - c. Camera Signage: 3 signs have been ordered. Placement will be determined.
- II. Collaboration on Upcoming Service
 - a. Walks/runs that cross 9th: There will construction downtown for the new chiller on the corner of 4th and 9th. Additionally, chiller pipes will be installed on streets in close proximity. The timeframe is estimated to take place November through May. The Public Works and Utilities department is hoping to replace the water lines at the same time to reduce the amount of roadwork in the future. The County and City will be working together to collaborate on successful execution of both projects. The City will be installing the water lines based upon the open trench method. We are planning to phase it for the County to do their work first and the City will be working behind them. This is a public/private partnership with FPL.
 - b. Realize Bradenton Football games/tailgate event will be postponed until the Spring.
 - c. Snooty's Gala: The theme is James Bond / 007.
 - d. Manatee Association of Realtors: They have been notified that 2 Officers are required for the event. The timeframe for the Officers is 9 – 3. They will be having a scavenger hunt.
- III. Future Event Review:
 - a. Main Street Live will begin on October 31st.
 - b. Grind for Life: Rene contacted the EMS services that can sometimes provide free services; however, they will not be able to provide services due to the special training needed for potential head traumas. They recommended the utilization of EMS services trained in this area. FDOT would like to set-up a booth at the event to offer information on a future project they're planning. One Officer needed 10 am – 2 pm. Two Officers needed from 2 pm to 8 pm. The event is on the Council agenda. Dave is contacting the Event Holder regarding their plans for emergency care.
- IV. Events with Guests
 - a. Sondra Guffey Manatee Glens Walk for Life (September 27th). This is their 12th year organizing this event. This is a fundraiser to benefit Depression Awareness and Suicide Prevention. There is a ceremony for the victims of suicide with a butterfly release at the end of the event. First Responders, the Army Reserve,

and a Manatee Glens Nurse will be at the event. There will be a lane closure on the west side of the Green Bridge which has been approved by FDOT. The Event Holder has been made aware that two Officers are required. The City of Palmetto is providing all necessary services.

- V. Realize Bradenton
 - a. The engineering division is working on site plans.
 - b. They are requesting a key for the Pavilion doors.
- VI. Miscellaneous – Ongoing Projects
 - a. Fees: will be presented at the Council Workshop on September 17, 2014.
 - b. Exercise Classes: Bill Lisch is working on the legal aspect. ERC should have a policy established by the Council Workshop. Claude will contact other communities regarding this topic.

Meeting adjourned 10:02 am.