**Clearview-Maltby Community Improvement Group**

**Meeting minutes**

**Date: 6**/11/2013

**Meeting started at 6:15**

***Attendees:***

 Karmel Ackerman

 Tim Paulson

 Gene Whiteside

 Kat Summers

 Trina Eddy

 Stefan Grunkemeier

 Jeff Thomas

 Janet Miller

 Gene Livermore

 Jared Adams

 Pam Bennetsen

***Guest from the other Clearview group (Jared Adams) discussion:***

Jared:

 Is a parent of Cathcart student

 Is a member of LDS church

 Is an attorney

 Has studied incorporation.

Details about the other Clearview group:

 They do not want to duplicate efforts

 Their main interest is in stopping green crosses and slut huts

Information gathered by Jared:

 Charter City has the same legal rights as the county. It’s a simpler way to create a legal standing that is equivalent to a larger city.

**Officer reports:**

***Trina:***

Dave Somers is acting like a politician (selective hearing, answering the questions he feels like, etc) but agreed to meet with us in September.

Possible invitees for September meeting:

Clay White (county planning division).

Erik parks (Dave’s assistant)

John Koster

Dave Somers

Sherriff Brant

Troy Holbrook

Dan Kristiansen

***Karmel:***

 Will print business cards and wants a voting confirmation on logo and overall look. Ribbon missing.

 We need email address and contact phone number. We can get free number from google voice.

 We have a Facebook page, and this will be sufficient for now, but we will still buy a domain.(cmccommunityimprovementgroup.com)

 We will use the info@cmccommunityimprovementgroup.com

Jeff Thomas will provide business cards and banner. Karmel will work with Jeff on this.

***Gene:***

 Spoke with Todd Marshall. He is interest in being a part of the group, but could not make it tonight.

***Janet:***

Troy Holbrook said that they want the new civic center to be like Mill Creek.

Sherriff Brant. 1 for 40,000, when we need 1 for 1,000. Willing to come to meeting

***Kat:***

 Vendors are hit and miss at the Flower World farmer’s market. The owner of Flower World is opening up to the idea of growing and offering more food, etc. If anyone wants to advertise their business. Sundays 9-5 flat $10 vendor fee. Musicians are encouraged to participate. All proceeds go to the Maltby Food Bank.

**Promotional discussion**:

Banners above businesses and community group

“Save your neighborhood!”

Karmel moves to have a table at Flower World on Sunday the 23rd.

Scott seconds this motion.

Stefan offers to supply tent, tables and chairs.

Set a date in August for a kids fundraiser/attention awareness.

Party at Bottega for kids

Carnival before school starts

Gene mentioned Sees candy

Date/time/location of meetings on back of business cards.

Sept 3rd Maltby meeting:

We need representation

Janet will find location and time of meeting.

List of questions for county:

Trina wants to develop committee.

Karmel will invite people to have brainstorm session

Green crosses, Baristas, road divider, signs.

If you can’t come, then send an email if you have an issue to discuss.

Message to County: You become a viable venue, or we will create our own.

Positive family brand.

***Next meeting:***

July 9th at 6pm

**Meeting adjourned at 8:30**

**Secretary notes:**

***Specific Calls to action:***

Janet will find location and time of Sept 3rd Maltby meeting with County.

Jeff Thomas will provide business cards and banner. Karmel will work with Jeff on this. Time and address of meetings on back of cards.

Karmel will invite people to have brainstorm session

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Stefan will purchase domain: **cmccommunityimprovementgroup.com**

***Action items still to accomplish:***

Set a date in August for a kids fundraiser/attention awareness.

Party at Bottega for kids

Carnival before school starts

Get email address and contact phone number.

Get free number from google voice.

Set up FB page

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***Secretary Thoughts:***

We’ve done a really good job brainstorming, and we should now focus our thoughts and goals, so we can prioritize our resources, and organize our next steps.

We should elect someone to be in charge of the online presence ie FB, Meetup, website, email.