

Pikeville Main Street
Regular Meeting
November 6, 2008 at 11:00 AM
Pikeville City Hall

Chairman Randall Roberts called the meeting to order. Members present were Jennifer Brown, Jerry Johnson, Wayne T. Rutherford, and Rebecca Hamilton as proxy for the Mayor. Others present were Amber Campbell and Candi Sawyers.

Jerry Johnson made a motion to accept the minutes from the September 9th meeting. Jennifer Brown seconded the motion. Minutes were accepted as is.

Candi Sawyers introduced herself to the board as the new Main Street Director. All members present gave a brief description about who they are.

Candi explained that she was working on the Christmas Parade. The application has been printed in the News-Express and also announced on East Kentucky Broadcasting. Judge Rutherford suggested getting the radio station to co-sponsor parade.

The Christmas Parade is going to be held on Saturday, December 6th beginning at 5:30pm. The line-up will begin at 4:00 p.m. at the Big Sandy Community & Technical College. The parade will start at the college and go down Main Street, turn at Pike Street, turn at Second Street, and end at the City Park.

Amber Campbell discussed Christmas in the Park which will take place in the City Park immediately following the parade at 6:30pm. There will be hot chocolate, cookies, pictures with Santa, carolers, and a Tree Lighting Ceremony. Barry Chaney will be dressed up as Santa and will read the True Christmas Story to the children. The East Kentucky Miners are interested in participating and WYMT may also be interested.

Jennifer Brown suggested making flyers for the event and getting the Miners to participate in the parade.

Jerry suggested contacting Joshua Ball at the Medical Leader for publicity.

Judge Rutherford asked about having carolers to go to nursing homes and assisted living homes to sing. He also asked about having a Grand Marshal. Hal Smith was suggested by Randy as it is his last year with Pikeville College. Amber and Candi will contact different nursing homes and find carolers.

Nominations for Board Members were presented. Mike Thompson was nominated by Jerry Johnson. Judge Rutherford seconded the nomination. Mike Thompson is a member of the Main Street Board on a 3 year term. Paula Spradlin was nominated by Candi Sawyers. Jerry Johnson made a motion to accept the nomination. Judge Rutherford seconded the nomination. Paula Spradlin is a member of the Main Street Board on a 2 year term.

Members of the Main Street Board are as follows:

Randy Roberts, Chairman (Preservation Council)
Judge Wayne T. Rutherford (County Representative)
Frank Justice II (City Representative)
Bambi Phillips (Chamber of Commerce)
Gerald Robinson – Term Expires 7/2009
Paula Spradlin – Term Expires 7/2010
Eddie Jackson – Term Expires 7/2009
Jennifer Brown – Term Expires 7/2010
Mike Thompson – Term Expires 7/2011
Jerry Johnson – Term Expires 7/2011

Randy suggested revising and updating the by-laws in January or February.
Regular scheduled board meetings will be held on the 2nd Thursday of each month beginning in December.

Another meeting will be scheduled this month by Candi and sent via email to all board members.

Randy made a motion to adjourn. Jerry seconded the motion.
Meeting adjourned at 12:00 p.m.