### **MINUTES**

REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY OF GOSHEN COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMISSION Tuesday, January 13, 2015, 7:00 P.M., Goshen City Hall, 202 S. Fifth St.

Commissioners present: Bob Rademaker, Ed Ahlersmeyer, Nathan Mateer Rempel, Sandra McMasters, Kelly

Huffman

Commissioners absent: Bryce Gast, George Smucker, Sreekala Rajagopalan

**Consultant present:** Darin Short

Visitors: Mayor Allan Kauffman, John Kline - Press, Glenn Null

## 1. Call to Order & Opening

a. Nate called the meeting to order at 7:04 p.m.

- b. Kelly Huffman was introduced as New Commissioner
- c. Bob gave reflection discussing family documents/ letters, and their historical significance.
- d. February reflection: Nathan Mateer Rempel

#### 2. Review minutes for December 9, 2014

a. December minutes were reviewed and approved. (Bob/Sandra/Carried)

### 3. Treasurer's report

a. Bryce couldn't be present, Nate indicated transfer forms in mailboxes, and reviewed Vision Project Budget

## 4. Reports and statistics

 Darin reports a private business phone call to the CRC offering memberships. No other calls or emails to report.

#### 5. Subcommittee recommendation on Sundown Town

- **a.** Nate introduces Sundown Town Resolution. Bryce's proposal w/ edits was submitted.
- b. Bob moved to accept Resolution as amended by Bryce. (Withdrawn)
- c. Nate offered to give edits back to the Goshen Ministerial Association (GMA) for review.
- d. Few notes: LTE's are in support, CRC Commissioners May vote in Feb. meeting. Has Bluffton, IN attempted a sundown resolution?

#### 6. Subcommittee recommendation on Neighborhood outreach proposal

- **a.** Sandra will be working w/ Gilberto Perez
- b. Neighborhood Outreach Proposal was submitted/ reviewed/ approved. (Ed/ Sandra/ Carried)

# 7. Vision Project update

- a. Nate reviewed the vision project for guests and new members.
- b. Darin submitted an update on the project. Requests members invite others to dialogue meetings on schedule. Appreciates Nate and his participation. Budget was also submitted

#### 8. Taste of Goshen

- **a.** Nate looks for planning help, May 1<sup>st</sup> Taste of Goshen/ Diversity Day.
- b. CRC to offer Entertainment, Food, and Educational Opportunities
- c. CRC to meet w/ Downtown Goshen, INC to discuss budget needs

#### 9. For the good of the CRC

# 10. Announcements by CRC members

a. Shreekala finds family member???

#### 11. Adjournment (Bob/Sandra/Carried)

Next meeting is February 10, 2015