

MINUTES

Longview Downtown Advisory Committee

Tuesday, July 19, 2022

11:00 A.M.

1. Meeting Details

- In Person – Longview City Hall, Training Room
- By Zoom

2. Call to order

Brad Whittaker called the meeting to order at 10:59 am.

3. Roll Call

- *In attendance: Brad Whittaker, Chair; Elizabeth Borders; Katie Bonus; Dawn Morgan; Pat Palmer; Karl Salzsieder; Ruth Kendall, Council Liaison*
- *Excused: Ariel Large*
- *Not in Attendance: Allan Rudberg, Co-Chair; Bill Hallanger;*
- *Staff present: Ann Rivers; Mary Chennault; Nancy Vandehey*

4. Approval of Minutes

- Minutes from June 21, 2022

Katie Bonus did attend the meeting on zoom; she arrived after roll was taken.

Pat Palmer made a motion, seconded by Katie Bonus, to approve the minutes with corrections. This passed unanimously.

5. Audience Participation or Correspondence

None.

6. Reports and Sub-Committee Assignments

- Parking Reports – LPD

Mary Chennault shared the parking reports.

- Downtowner's report – Lindsey Cope

Lindsey Cope was not in attendance to provide a report.

- Barriers to Businesses Downtown subcommittee report: Ariel, Elizabeth
Elizabeth Borders reported on the subcommittee.

7. Old Business

- Paid position for Downtowner's (Ariel)

Ariel Large was not in attendance to discuss this topic.

- Downtown Parking

Ruth Kendall provided an update on the approval of Phase I of the parking changes adopted by City Council.

- Topic: Idea to move the Tuesday Farmer's Market to Downtown (Ariel)
 - Table until October for 2023
 - LMC 12.40 allows for markets downtown, Special Event application

This item was tabled until October to start planning for 2023.

8. New Business

- Review 2011 Longview Downtown Plan Goals
 - Link to 2011 Downtown Action Plan
<https://www.mylongview.com/681/Downtown-Action-Plan>

Ann Rivers spoke on this item to begin the discussion on what our plans are for the future. She encouraged members to review action plan to bring ideas and suggestions to the next meeting.

9. Board Member Comments

Pat Palmer reported on the Downtowner's meeting with a full schedule of summer activities. Next Downtowner's meeting will be the 28th.

10. Adjournment

*Next meeting will be August 16th.
Meeting was adjourned at 11:23 am.*