

## Pickens County Beautification Committee Meeting Minutes

Monday, January 31, 2022

4:30 PM

Virtual via Zoom Conference Call

### **Board Members Present:**

Claiborne Linvill – *District 1*

Glenda Lofink – *District 3*

Candice Heatherly – *District 4*

Lisa McAdams – *District 5*

Derrick Phillips – *District 6*

Kate Byrd – *At Large*

### **Board Members Absent:**

Michael Utley – *District 2 At Large*

### **Pickens County Staff Present:**

Brooke Van-Derpoel, PRT

Meagan Nations, Clerk to Council

1. Welcome and Introduction of Committee Members and Staff
  - Meagan Nations, Clerk to Council, opened the meeting at 4:32 p.m. All Committee members were present, with the exception of Michael Utley. All Committee members introduced themselves.
2. Election of Chairman and Secretary
  - The committee nominated Candice Heatherly to serve as Chairman, and Kate Byrd to serve as Secretary of the Beatification Committee.
3. Discussion of 2022 Meeting Schedule
  - Meagan Nations introduced a tentative meeting schedule to the Committee. All committee members agreed that the 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month, at 4:30 p.m., works best. The next meeting will take place on Monday, February 28<sup>th</sup>.
4. Doodle Trail Clean Up event on Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup>
  - Brooke Van-Derpoel gave a brief overview of the Doodle Trail Clean Up event on Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup>. Other discussion included:
    - i. Partnering with Girls Who Hike, but will also be open to the public
    - ii. Will share event on KPCB Instagram and Facebook pages
    - iii. Logistics and volunteers
5. KAB Great American Cleanup (GAC) March 21 – June 22
  - Brooke Van-Derpoel gave the committee a brief overview of KAB Great American Cleanup event and asked for their interest.

6. Cigarette Litter Prevention Program
  - Brooke Van-Derpoel gave the committee a brief overview of the Cigarette Litter Prevention Program and provided the Committee with the following link: <https://kab.org/programs/cigarette-litter/>. Other discussion included:
    - i. PalmettoPride and Terracycle
    - ii. Interest/input from committee members
7. NexTrex Plastic Bag Recycling
  - Brooke Van-Derpoel gave the committee a brief overview of the NexTrex Plastic Bag Overview and provided the Committee with the following link: <https://recycle.trex.com/view/programs#programs1>
  - Other discussion between the committee included:
    - i. Discuss interest in this program, possible locations, and volunteer availability
8. Questions/comments from Committee Members
  - The Committee had detailed discussion on the following topics:
    - i. Clemson Park Discussion
    - ii. Doodle Trail Plantings
9. Adjourn
  - The Beautification Committee meeting was adjourned at 5:25 p.m.