

**CLEAN AND BEAUTIFUL COMMISSION
MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD JULY 28, 2015
PUBLIC WORKS CONFERENCE ROOM
155 WEST 14TH STREET
YUMA, AZ 85364**

Chairperson David Psolka called the meeting to order at 4:03 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Chairperson David Psolka
Sharon Craig
Donald Strickland
Mary Ann Easterday

MEMBERS ABSENT: Linda Collins

STAFF PRESENT: Martin Agundez, Public Works Manager
Lalenia Ohn, Administrative Assistant
Hannah Thompson, Vista Employee

OTHERS PRESENT: None

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

June 23, 2015 Minutes: Motion was made by Donald Strickland to approve the June 23, 2015 Minutes, motion was seconded by Sharon Craig.

Motion carried unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Call to the Public: none

Beautification Award Nominations: Mary Ann Easterday presented one (1) nomination and suggested one (1) letter of recognition. Chairperson David Psolka presented one (1) nomination. Discussion held as to the date awards and recognition letter will be presented. Motion was made by Mary Ann to approve the two nominations and one recognition letter, motion seconded by Sharon Craig.

Motion carried unanimously.

Mary Ann Easterday advised Commissioners that the Department of Housing and Urban Development Newsletter mentions the Beautification Awards presented. **Mary Ann Easterday** spoke in regards to an Anti-Ugly Ordinance property. **Chairperson David Psolka** advised the Commission that the property is not within city limits. **Mary Ann Easterday** stated that she will attend the County Supervisors Meeting to present the concern. Discussion held in regards to authority being given to beautify the property at 16th Street and 9th Avenue; **Martin Agundez** will follow up with concern. Discussion held regarding various locations under review for mini beautification projects.

Hannah Thompson advised Commissioners that there will be an update in the Yuma Sun regarding the alley to roadside trash container conversion, and that the issue of keeping alleys clean will be stressed. **Martin Agundez** advised Commissioners that the conversion has begun and explains how the conversion will take place.

OLD BUSINESS

Adopt-a-Street Update: **Hannah Thompson** advised Commissioners that participating organizations are still being contacted. Discussion held in regards to suggested recognition for the Adopt-a-Street participants.

Five-Year Plan: No discussion.

Recognition Letter/List of Recipients: The list of names was passed out to Commissioners.

Status of Current Events

Staff Updates: **Martin Agundez** reported that the last **Household Hazardous Waste Day** event had a higher participation than the previous event. **Martin Agundez** also reported that about 60% of previous **Adopt-a-Street** participating organizations have confirmed, 20% have dropped, and 20% have not yet responded.

2015 Calendar of Events: No discussion.

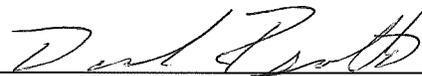
FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Mary Ann Easterday advised Commissioners that adding lines on Orange Avenue for bike paths is a great idea and discussion is held. **Martin Agundez** advised Commissioners that repainting of the lines on Orange Avenue, to include a bike lane, is under review by the Public Works Department.

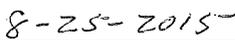
ADJOURN

Motion by Donald Strickland, motion seconded by David Psolka, to adjourn the meeting at 4:52 p.m.

Motion carried unanimously.



David Psolka, Chairperson



Date