



N2N COMMITTEE MINUTES

Time and Place: Friday, August 21, 2015 @ 7:45 a.m. City Hall Boardroom
Members Present: Dick Holster, Janet Herring, John Prey
Others Present: Marie Schmidt, Amy Forst, Officer Ben Graham, Joan Jackson,, Sheila Mabry, Kathi Groeschel, Brian Stahl, Ric Mohelnitzky
Absent: Deanna Schuette, Jon Radtke, Mayor Tipple

1) Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Holster and seconded by Prey to approve the June 19, 2015 draft minutes. Motion carried by voice vote. Motion approved.

2) Clean It Up, Wausau Discussion

The Good News Project is not able to assist with this event if we hold one this fall. It was suggested by the committee to contact other vendors: 5R Processing, Harter's Garbage and Recycling, Best Buy, IROW, and Schultz Recycling. Groeschel will contact Best Buy and 5R. Mabry will contact Schultz and IROW. Groeschel indicated that the Clerk's Office is getting calls regarding the dates. The committee would like to stay with the October 2 and 3 dates. Discussion ensued regarding setting up annual dates going forward so our residents have that on their radar each year...Perhaps the 3rd weekend in April and the 1st weekend in October each year.

3) Neighborhood Updates

Officer Ben Graham provided an overall update on the participation of all neighborhood groups and it's estimated that 146 individuals attend overall on a monthly basis. The newly developed Athletic Park Neighborhood has about 9-14 attendants each month. In the future, Officer Nate Stetzer will be the Neighborhood Liaison replacing Officer Graham.

Forest Park Neighborhood – They are promoting a Neighborhood Picnic on September 15th.

Southeast Side Neighborhood – They are developing their own website. They have a Facebook page but it's too wide-reaching and they would like to have a group specific within their boundaries. It was suggested that they look into the website "Nextdoor.com" as that website is neighborhood specific and you have control of setting your own boundaries. They held a Garden Walk in August and that was a huge success.

4) Old/New Business

The next meeting is scheduled for September 18, 2015 at which time the schedule for volunteering at the "Clean it Up, Wausau" event can be discussed. There was no old/new business. A motion to adjourn was made by Holster and seconded by Prey. Meeting adjourned at 8:05 a.m.