

TOWN OF WALKERTOWN

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FESTIVAL COMMITTEE:

RANDY MENDENHALL – CHAIRMAN
ENOS JUMPER
TOM LANE
KAREN MENDENHALL
LYNN MCKINNIE

MINUTES JANUARY 11, 2010

Randy Mendenhall, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. at Town Hall. Present were Mr. Mendenhall, Doc Davis, Lynn McKinnie, Pam Tuttle, Sarah Welch, Scott Snow, and Tom Lane.

Mr. Snow gave a brief summary of the Town's application for a PARTF grant indicating that the proposed park will be located behind Town Hall. It will consist of approximately 2.64 acres and will include multi-functional facilities which include:

- Walking track
- Gazebo
- Playground equipment
- Picnic shelters
- Restrooms
- Horse shoe pits
- Parking

He closed by stating the Town Council would be considering this issue at this month's council meeting and asking for comments from the attendees.

The Festival Committee discussed ongoing issues; some of which were:

- Time of festival would be:
Friday evening – 4 until 9
Saturday 10:00 until 7:00
- Approximately 13 hours of festival time
- Should have T-shirts and hats with logo - "good" ones – not cheap ones
- Advertisers could be listed on shirts
- Should have long-sleeve and short-sleeve shirts – 100% cotton
- We don't want all "same-type" entertainment
- Entertainment - Bands/groups should play 45 minutes sets
- Add Homeland band to our prior listing of bands and groups

- Dixie Classic Fair has stages – they deliver and set up – they take down – Lynn can call and get prices and other info
- Brinkley Fairs might have stages – Pam will call
- The Arts Council may have stages – Lynn will call
- Wesley Hutchins will be contacted for using Fire Dept for parking
- Sheriffs will be contacted to provide security (off duty)
- Trash pick-up – Doc Davis volunteered to be in charge of this
- It was agreed that we will need lots of volunteers for set up – to tell people where to go; where to park; getting everybody in and out without mishaps
- Lynn will call Caudill and get some type of estimate to install more power poles as we may need more spaces with electricity provided
- Security will need to be provided Friday evening and all night Friday night – then Saturday

The next Festival meeting will be held Monday, **February 8th** at **4:00 p.m.** at Town Hall.

At 5:00 p.m., Ms. Welch motioned to adjourn and Mr. Lane seconded.

Submitted by:

Lynn McKinnie
Festival Coordinator