

MEETING MINUTES

The City Beautiful Commission held a planned meeting at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday January 23, 2025, at Little Rock City Hall, 2nd Floor, Board of Directors' Chambers, 500 W. Markham St. Chairman Steven Homeyer called the meeting to order.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Steven Homeyer Robert Walker

Lee Cowan
Louise Miller

Adam Wierciak
Bob Winchester

Mallory Mounce

MEMBERS ABSENT: Dax Chance

Troy Laha

ALSO PRESENT: Simone Blagg, Little Rock City Attorney's Office

Romie Price, Department of Planning and Development Debra Stafford, Department of Planning and Development

APPROVAL OF THE NOVEMBER MEETING MINUTES:

Motion: A motion was made that the December 16, 2024, minutes be approved.

Second: The motion was seconded, and it passed unanimously.

VARIANCE REQUEST:

None requested.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Expense Report:

Staff will coordinate with Adam Wierciak and Brad Jordan for bank account information.

COMMITTEE REPORTS, UPDATES:

Public Relations:

None discussed.

KLRB:

KLRB will be having a trash pick-up day on March 8th. CBC has been invited to attened

Landscape Awards:

Chairman Homeyer finalized the award frames. Recipients have been notified. Working to determine the dates of the awards. Staff will investigate coordinating with City media teams once dates have been set with recipients.

Eye of the Beholder:

The Eye of the Beholder cards need to be updated.

T.R.E.E. Fund:

Next month we are expecting a request to remove trees. More information next month.

NEW BUSINESS:

- 2025 Retreat Chairman Homeyer suggested March 6th, 2025 from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Chairman Homeyer plans for the retreat to be atop of the "Brave New Restaurant".
- Natural Landscape Ordinance Staff presented the idea of trying to introduce a natural landscape ordinance to the city code. A discussion was held about the different city departments that will need to be involved. Staff will put together a more detailed presentation to bring before the commission at the retreat.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The next Commission meeting will be February 27, 2025.

ADJOURNMENT:

Chairman Homeyer entertained a motion to adjourn the meeting.

Motion: A motion was made for the meeting to adjourn.

Second: The motion was seconded, and it passed unanimously.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:34 pm.