



MAIN STREET

## Board Meeting Minutes

Yukon Police Dept. Community Room  
100 S. Ranchwood Blvd., Yukon

**March 28, 2023 - 8 am**

**MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:** Kay Casper (President), Heather Samuels (Vice President), Angie McPherson (Secretary), Conrad Dudderar (Treasurer), Judy Austin (Past President) Stephen Kerr, Niki Fanning, Mallori Willis Rauch, Mitchell Hort, Cherie Logan.

**MEMBERS ABSENT:** Pam Shelton, Shelli Selby, Becky Floyd, Rick Cacini.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Andrea Griffin

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1. **Call to Order:** President Kay Casper called the meeting to order at 8 am.
2. **Secretary's Report:** Conrad Dudderar presented the secretary's report. Judy Austin made a motion, seconded by Stephen Kerr, to approve the minutes of the February 24 board meeting. Motion passed.

### 3. Staff Report:

**Kay Casper** – (Summarized written report prepared by Director Vicki Davis)

- **Keep Oklahoma Beautiful Grants:** Yukon Main Street has been awarded a \$2,399 grant for lighting on the Main Street "Yukon Sunset" mural.
- **Farmers Market:** Yukon Main Street has received more than 650 responses to determine interest in starting a downtown farmers market. More feedback is needed from growers, producers and farm-related businesses.
- **Annual Assessment:** This will be 9-11:30 a.m. April 19 after the executive board meeting. Board members were reminded to fill out the form if they haven't already.

**Andrea Griffin** -

- **Main Street Day at the Capitol:** Andrea and Vicki will be there at 8 a.m. April 4 at the Oklahoma State Capitol. Board members are welcome to come. Yukon Main Street will pass out Route 66 travel guides and maps, along with kolaches (purchased 100 for \$100).

### 4. President's Report:

- **Small Business Appreciation Week (April 30-May 6):** A sign-up sheet was circulated for board members to distribute cookies and thank-you cards to businesses. A proclamation will be presented at the April 18<sup>th</sup> Yukon City Council meeting.
- **Palette of Progress Awards & Recognition:** This will be 5:30-7:30 p.m. April 11 at Paint N Place alley. Angie McPherson reported that Design Point will start setting

up at 1 p.m. All board members should be there to help and are encouraged to wear special T-shirts with a Buffalo and the words "Oh Give Me a Home." Kay Casper said Vicki Kastl is looking for more artists to display their work at this "awesome" event.

#### **5. Main Street Point Reports:**

- **Design:** Chair Angie McPherson reported there would be no April meeting. Volunteer sign-ups will be out soon for the Downtown Clean-Up Day at 8 a.m. April 29. Planting Day has been moved to 8 a.m. May 6. A Yukon City Council proclamation will be presented April 18 for Historical Preservation Month. Carol Bond is working on a contest for May and June.
- **Economic Vitality:** Chair Stephen Kerr reported plans are being finalized for the EDGE Workshop from 5:30-8:30 p.m. May 9 in The Progress Room. The goal is to bring businesses to Yukon. Urban Boondocks will have a fifth anniversary celebration March 30. The next EV Point meeting will be April 12 followed by 5 O'Clock Somewhere at Flower Shop Winery.
- **Promotions:** Chair Cherie Logan reported the Alzheimer's Walk will be June 30 on Main Street. Style on 66 will be Aug. 3 at 10 W Main and Erika Stark is very excited. It will be a summer night under the stars with fashion show seating. Judy Austin has started working on Cruise-in For a Cause in September. The next Promotions Point meeting will be 8:30 a.m. April 11.

#### **6. Affiliate Reports:**

- **City of Yukon:** Mitchell Hort reported the City of Yukon received ACOG grants with federal money left over from the Coronavirus pandemic. Funds will be used to overlay Garth Brooks Boulevard from Main Street to Vandament. It will be a lengthy process that will take over a year. Also planned are two, 10-foot-wide trails. One trail will be on Yukon Parkway north across Yukon High School to the railroads tracks at Ranchwood/Highway 4 to make it safer for students crossing this area. The second trail will be on Garth Brooks Boulevard under I-40.
- **Chamber of Commerce:** Cherie Logan (for Pam Shelton) reported the Yukon Chamber is looking for auction items and award nomination for its annual gala.
- **Veterans Museum:** No report

#### **7. Other/New Business:**

None

#### **8. Adjournment**

President Kay Casper adjourned the meeting at 8:17 am.