

## **Main Street Board Meeting**

July 20, 2023

8:00 AM – Mabrey Meeting Room

**Call to Order:**

**Minutes:**

**Financials: April/May/June**

### **New Business:**

**Congressman Brecheen Rep: Joseph Silk**

**Vote New Board Members:**

- 1. Donnie Alexander (replacing Misty Thompson)**
- 2. Katie McElhaney (replacing Lacie Gonzalez)**

**August Director Training: Guymon Aug. 8-10**

**Transformation Strategy Training: Aug 21-22 (see agenda)**

**Big Brain Trivia Night: September 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**Chili/Pecan Festival: October 28<sup>th</sup> (Pecan Festival 26-28)**

**Brochures/Website:**

**City Contract:**

**Committee Chairs:**

- **Organization/Membership/Fundraising- Hayden Sharp (1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday 11:00am MS Office)**  
**Objectives: Communication & Membership, volunteer development & Fundraising**  
**Goal: Establish a strong Main Street organization by communicating the mission and accomplishments and utilizing a growing number of participants in the implementation and funding of the revitalization program**
- **Promotions- Kamie Crawford (1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month 9:00am MS Office)**  
**Objectives: Image enhancement of the downtown, Retail events & Traffic building and special events**  
**Goal: Establish a unified image and encourage an exciting variety of activities for all members of the community**

- **Economic Vitality- Trisha Bailey (2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month 4:30pm MS Office)**  
**Objectives: Market data collection & interpretation, Space use & Business retention, expansion & recruitment**  
**Goal: Strengthen the economic base of the downtown**
  
- **Design- Andy Goodnight (3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month MS office 11:00am)**  
**Objectives: Design education & technical assistance, financial assistance & incentives, Public improvements and open spaces & regulations and enforcement**  
**Goal: Encourage improvement of the visual appearance of the downtown**

**Okmulgee Rising Updates:**

- 1) **GCTC:**
- 2) **Muscogee Nation:**
- 3) **OSUIT:**
- 4) **City of Okmulgee:**
- 5) **Chamber of Commerce:**
- 6) **High School Reps. Report:**
- 7) **Downtown Updates:**

**Old Business:**

**Directors Comments:**

**Date of Next Meeting: Aug. will be the Transformation Strategy dates**

**Adjournment:**