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Thursday, February 27, 2025

Officers Present: Harrison Greenlaw, Kay Patterson, John Tyler, Denise Wellman, Frank Adams, Pat Brown. Website Director Katy Renfroe

The meeting was called to order by the president, Harrison Greenlaw. The agenda was reference and the audience informed that the meeting would proceed as outlined by the agenda. There were no January minutes due to meeting cancellation due to weather conditions.

Speakers

1. Krista Hampton- Director of Planning & Development

Ms. Hampton and her Planning & Development team (Jonathan Chambers, Lucinda Statler, and Andrew Livengood) presented a PowerPoint presentation to the audience to help neighbors understand the role of the Planning and Development department. They explained their responsibility for making sure new development in the city was being established according to city regulations. The audience was invited to contact the Planning and Development office with their personalized questions. Ms. Hampton agreed to send a copy of their PowerPoint presentation to CCN which can be posted on the website at a later date.

2. Katy Renfroe- CCN Communications & Marketing Administrator

Ms. Renfroe previewed the new website and presented access codes for the CCN website and Facebook which will be launched on February 28, 2025. The new website address is www.ccnsc.org The Facebook access will be ccnsc.1977. CCN Instagram: ccn.sc

Scheduled Announcements

- 1. City Councilman Will Brennan's** request to have the flyer advertising vacancies for City of Columbia Boards and Commissions was acknowledged as flyers were handed out and President Harrison made the request for volunteers.
- 2. Major Chris White- Columbia Police Department**
Major White announced an anti-scam program that will be available for senior citizens that will be conducted by the regional office of AARP. This is an attempt to help citizens become more aware of scam tactics.
- 3. President Harrison** talked to members about the possibility of incentive discounts from the City for neighborhood events if you are a member of CCN. The membership was

reminded of the CCN grant from the City to help CCN achieve its Strategic Plans to provide assistance to neighborhoods as outline in CCN's Strategic Plans for 2024-2026.

Neighborhood Announcements

1. Cotton Town is having their annual Art Crawl on Saturday, March 8 from 10:00-2:00.

Agenda Topics for CCN in upcoming months

March- Robert Anderson, Columbia Director of Public Works

April- Facebook training for start up activities or ideas for upgrades and variety

May- Planning for CCN elections

June- Election and swearing in of new officers.