Keep Grand Prairie Beautiful Commission Meeting Minutes September 10, 2019

MEMBERS PRESENT

Burke Hall Joshua Kim Aaron King

Sharon Luman Chelsea Pavey Ann Stevenson

MEMBERS ABSENT

Jessica Everitt Darren Ferrar Marcela Gonzalez

GUESTS

Trini Pineda Colby Maron

STAFF

Dr. Patricia Redfearn – Solid Waste and Recycling Manager Amanda Lindbergh – KGPB Coordinator Derald Smith – KGPB Crew Leader

<u>CALL TO ORDER</u> – Mr. King called the meeting to order at 6:31 p.m.

COMMISSIONER APPOINTMENTS -

- a. <u>Commissioner Introductions</u> Ms. Lindbergh asked that the commissioners go around the table and introduce themselves as this meeting was Ms. Pavey's first.
- b. <u>Recognize Barbra Thomas</u> This was postponed until later in the meeting when Ms. Thomas arrived. Ms. Lindbergh provided Ms. Thomas with a certificate from Mayor Jensen recognizing her for eight years of service to the Keep Grand Prairie Beautiful commission.

<u>REVIEW OF MINUTES FROM July 2019</u> – Mr. Hall made a motion to approve the minutes as written. Ms. Stevenson seconded the motion and it passed 6-0.

KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL YLAC SUMMARY – Ms. Lindbergh shared that she is one of eight affiliate leaders from around the country that was appointed to the first Keep America Beautiful Young Leaders Advisory Council. She met with the KAB staff and YLAC in August at the KAB office in Connecticut. YLAC was asked for ways to make KAB relevant and better known. One of the ideas was a YouTube channel called "Minutes with Affiliates," in which affiliates can submit a video about an event or program that they are working on. Another was to have a sponsor spotlight which would provide an opportunity for KAB sponsors to highlight their relevant work in the community.

<u>MARKETING OF KGPB</u> – Ms. Lindbergh provided examples of new KGPB marketing including a mini auto trash can, super dry cooling towel, and logoed cleanup gloves. She will proceed with getting a quote for the items and ordering before the next meeting.

TCY SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE -

- a. 2020 Application Ms. Everitt was not in attendance and so this item was tabled.
- b. 2020 Fundraising Ms. Everitt was not in attendance and so this item was tabled.

<u>SUMMARY OF RECENT EVENTS MEETING AND UPCOMING EVENTS LIST</u> – Ms. Lindbergh shared a PowerPoint with photos and social media posts from several events that occurred since the previous meeting. These events included a webinar that Ms. Lindbergh presented with Keep America Beautiful on July 31st. The webinar can be viewed at

https://register.gotowebinar.com/recording/4486669747859827723 The PowerPoint also included photos from several Adopt-a-Street groups which were featured on the city's Facebook page to promote a litter free Grand Prairie. The Green and Clean Campus Program held an Open House this year for their kickoff event.

Ms. Lindbergh invited the commissioners to attend National Night Out and the November 9th volunteer appreciation dinner hosted by Dalworth Park Church of Christ. Ms. Pavey and Ms. Stevenson volunteered to attend National Night Out. Ms. Lindbergh shared that the South Grand Prairie High School JROTC will be completing their annual service learning project at the Luckett and Crosspoint Community Gardens in September and October.

GUEST COMMENTS - None

ADJOURNMENT – Mr. King adjourned the meeting at 7:13 p.m.