



City of Hamtramck

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Beautification Commission

March 4th, 2021; 6:00PM

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1. Call to order
 - a. Paris moves; Fortino seconds
 2. Roll call
 - a. Present: Angela Fortino, Julianne Bursinger, Julia Sosin, Michele Oberholtzer, Sean Cote, Jessica Paris
 3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
 4. Public Comment (two minutes limited to Beautification Commission issues)
 5. Approval of Agenda – Add or Delete Items
 - a. Paris moves; Sosin seconds
 6. Approval of Minutes
 - i. Minutes of February 4th, 2021 normal meeting
 - ii. Paris moves; Oberholtzer seconds

SECTION I: AGENDA ITEMS – For Discussion/Action/Information

- i. Joe Louis Greenway Discussion
 1. Christina Peltier, City of Detroit, presented briefly on the Framework Plan and the bike lanes planned for west side of Joseph Campau between Carpenter and Caniff, and Holbrook and Hamtramck Drive.
 2. What does Hamtramck want to see on Jos Campau? How can both cities collaborate?
 - a. Example: planter box protected bike lanes (no delineators in Hamtramck)
 - i. General Services will maintain in Detroit.
 - ii. Might need to be crash-resistant
 - b. Example: way-finding signage to cultural destinations
 - c. Example: murals
 - i. Residents want to feel like they are going to a different neighborhood
 - d. Community Foundation of Southeast Michigan, Ralph Wilson Foundation, \$50,000 grant for improving streetscapes and walkable environment, due January 2022
 3. Next steps: set up a meeting with City of Detroit and two commissions – Beautification and Arts & Culture; Christina will give us estimate of planter boxes, street sweeping and snow removal

- ii. Discuss Clean Sweep date and ideas
 1. Saturday, May 1st – Plant Sale Fundraiser at Pope Park
 2. Saturday April 24th – Spring Clean-up
 - a. Attend City Council Meeting on March 23rd to get approval for event and dumpster use - unless Mara can get us on last minute for March 9th
- iii. Follow up on tasks
- iv. General Discussion
 1. Downtown Development Authority meeting – Wednesday, 3/17

SECTION II: OTHER ITEMS

1. Chairman's Report
2. Members' Report

ADJOURNMENT

Paris moves; Cote seconds

Meeting adjourned at 7:00

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