

**Farmersville Main Street Board  
Minutes April 21, 2015  
City Hall**

The meeting was brought to order at 5:05 PM by Andrew Washam. Present were Main Street Manager, Adah Leah Wolf, and board members Andrew Washam, Leaca Caspari, Anne Hall, Matt Busby and Sarah Jackson-Butler. Also present was Ben White, City Manager and guest Ethan Busby.

**Consider for approval March 17, 2015 Meeting Minutes:**

Anne Hall made a motion to approve the minutes as written; Sarah Jackson-Butler seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

**Consider for approval March 2015 Financial Statements:**

Andy Washam made a motion to approve the financial statements as printed; Matthew Busby seconded the motion. The motion passed.

**Audie Murphy Day Update (June 27)**

Preparations are underway for a 400 piece mailing to local veterans, as well as a 400 piece mailing to potential sponsors. The Fort Hood band played for the governor's ceremony last October; we'll contact them to see if they can come to this event as well. The library has arranged for an actor to give his Audie Murphy one-man show on June 26 at the Civic Center.

**Chalk the Walk Coordination (May 2)**

Ten prizes are needed, five for adults and five for children. We may add a prize category with a Mother's Day theme. Three judges are needed. Fliers and posters were distributed to be placed downtown. Andy to contact Tatum Elementary and the middle School. Chalk and bag supplies were ordered and have been received. The bike ride organizers have been sent information about Chalk the Walk so they can promote it to their participants and their families.

**National Register Update**

There will be a public hearing for the project during City Council on May 12; board members were encouraged to attend. Mary Tate has submitted the nomination application (82 pages) to the Texas Historical Commission. We are awaiting comments from THC. After final changes have been made and it is approved by the state, it will be sent to the National Park Service for approval. This will take approximately 60 days. When approved, the district will be listed on the National Register of Historic Places.

**Main Street Managers Report**

Adah Leah Wolf presented a written report for March. The shoppers guide has been revised and now includes the year's events on the back side. The Pink Pug hosted the last downtown merchants get together; the May meeting will be hosted by the Rike Library. Laura England is the new barber who will be opening in Eddy Daniel's

building. Donna Spivey is close to opening Spiveycakes Bakery. The city has placed a 50 amp plug on a pole in the field just East of the Onion Shed. It can accommodate food trailers, and has already been used during two events. Museum construction has begun on the small Onion Shed. The downtown building maps have been updated and copies distributed. City board applications were distributed and board members encouraged to ask potential candidates to submit their applications. The quarterly Texas Lakes Trail meeting will be hosted by Farmersville on May 27. All are encouraged to attend, the theme is how hike and bike trails contribute to regional tourism. The Pink Pug will have a large event on May 9 at the Onion Shed. May 23 will be the Taste of Farmersville event organized by the First Methodist Church.

**Discussion of placing items on future agendas:**

No items discussed

**Adjournment:** With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned by Andrew Washam at 5:46 PM.