



City of Kent
Thursday June 30, 2022 4:30 PM
City Flag Committee Organizational Meeting
320 S. Depeyster Street, Kent, Ohio 44240

MINUTES

The meeting was called to order at 4:40 PM. Mario Morelos, Zach Garster, Jon Ridinger, Tracy Wallach, and Mike DeLeone were in attendance. Valerie Landis arrived at 4:42 and Ken Crookston arrived at 5:04.

1. Selection of Officers

- a) Secretary
 - i) Tracy Wallach moved to nominate Zach Garster as Secretary, and Mike DeLeone seconded. The motion carried by 5-0 vote.
- b) Chairperson
 - i) Tracy Wallach moved to nominate Jon Ridinger as Committee Chair, and Mike DeLeone seconded. The motion carried by 6-0 vote.
- c) Vice-Chairperson
 - i) Zach Garster moved to nominate Valerie Landis as Vice-Chairperson and Jon Ridinger seconded. The motion carried by 6-0 vote.

2. Determination of Flag Parameters

- a) Committee discussed “Good Flag, Bad Flag” parameters written by Ted Kaye, and decided on additional parameters for the creation of a new flag for the City.

3. Brochure for Heritage Day Festival

- a) Zach Garster created a flyer for the Heritage Day Festival using the parameters and additional verbiage the committee agreed upon. It was sent via email to each committee member and pertinent members of City Council for copies to be produced for Heritage Fest this weekend.
- b) A motion to approve flag parameters and “CALL FOR DESIGNS FOR THE NEW CITY OF KENT FLAG” flyer was made by Mike DeLeone and seconded by Zach Garster. The motion carried by 7-0 vote.

4. Other Business

- a) Heritage Fest – Committee and council members discussed times they would be in attendance to staff the booth for Heritage Fest this coming Saturday, July 2, 2022 from 10-5 PM.

- b) Valerie Landis raised a question as to whether the committee can market the call for designs on the City of Kent's social media page(s), or if a new page can be created specifically for flag committee use. Tracy Wallach to confer with Council attorney regarding use of social media platforms and content creation for posting.

5. Next Meeting Date, Time, and Agenda

- a) Thursday, July 28, 5 PM - 6:30 PM

6. Adjournment

- b) Mike DeLeone made a motion to adjourn, and Tracy Wallach seconded. The motion carried by 7-0 vote. Meeting adjourned at 6:00 PM.