

Keep Waxahachie Beautiful Committee
April 3, 2025

A regular meeting of the Keep Waxahachie Beautiful Committee was held on Thursday, April 3, 2025 at 4:30 p.m. in the Hatchet Conference Room at the Charles Beatty Municipal Services Building, 408 S. Rogers, Waxahachie, Texas.

Members Present: Brent Gundert, Vice Chair
Julie Mendenhall
Forrest John
Andrew Weyand

Member(s) Absent: Madeline Bracken, Chair
Polly Williams
Jesse Gibson

Ex-Officio Kevin Strength, Waxahachie Chamber of Commerce
Member Absent:

Others present: Kyle Cooper, Director of Parks & Recreation
Brad Barnes, Assistant Parks & Recreation Director
Morgan Massey, Administrative Coordinator

Others absent: Travis Smith, City Council Liaison

1. Call to Order

Vice Chair Brent Gundert called the meeting to order.

2. Public Comments

None.

3. Consider approval of Keep Waxahachie Beautiful Committee meeting minutes of March 6, 2025

Forrest John requested that the minutes reflect that the Keep Waxahachie Beautiful Committee Liaison, Travis Smith was not in attendance.

Action:

Brent Gundert moved to approve the minutes of the Keep Waxahachie Beautiful Committee meeting of March 6, 2025 with the proposed amendment. Motion was seconded by Andrew Weyand and carried unanimously (4-0).

4. Discuss and consider PIN Award recipient

Mr. Gundert nominated 273 Atlas Drive for the PIN Award and provided photos of the property to support the nomination. No other nominations were proposed.

Action:

Julie Mendenhall moved to award the Pride in Neighborhood Award to the property owners of 273 Atlas Drive. Motion was seconded by Forrest John and carried unanimously (4-0).

5. Discuss and consider Spring Cleanup day

The Committee discussed postponing Spring Cleanup Day until April 12, 2025 due to weather.

Action:

Brent Gundert moved to postpone the Spring Cleanup Day until April 12, 2025. Motion was seconded by Julie Mendenhall and carried unanimously (4-0).

6. Discuss and consider Dumpster Day

The Committee discussed postponing Dumpster Day until April 12, 2025 due to weather.

Action:

Brent Gundert moved to postpone Dumpster Day until April 12, 2025. Motion was seconded by Julie Mendenhall and carried unanimously (4-0).

7. Discuss and consider guidelines for the Pride in Neighborhood (PIN) Program

The Committee reviewed proposed revisions to the nomination guidelines, including the suggestion to nominate a home on a bi-monthly basis. It was agreed that nomination submissions should be sent to Morgan Massey, Parks and Recreation Administrative Coordinator, no later than the Monday prior to each meeting. Additionally, other minor revisions, including grammatical corrections, were made. Forrest John will present the updated guidelines at the next meeting for review and consideration.

No action taken.

8. Adjourn

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Morgan Massey
Administrative Coordinator