

minutes

City of Molalla **Planning Department**

May 13, 2008

Call to order

Mr. Dick Miller called the meeting to order of the Planning Commission at 7:17pm on May 13, 2008 at the Molalla City Hall.

Roll call

Chair Dick Miller, Vice Chair Harry Ruth, Secretary Michelle Mills, Commissioner Joe Greenman, Commissioner Bob Trexler, and Molalla Planning Director Shane Potter.

Approval of prior minutes

No minutes exists for approval

Open issues

No open issues were addressed.

New business

PD Potter wanted to know what the Planning Commission thought of getting the Downtown Development Award back on track and provide a better way to recognize those developments that have gone the extra mile to rehabilitate there properties. All those in attendance were very excited about getting this back on track. We discussed coming back at the next meeting with concepts of recognition as well as nominating some developments for work they have done over the past couple of years.

PD Potter discussed the creation of a Yard of the Month award that Mary Robertson thought of. This award would be given to 1 local resident a month after review and selection by the committee of nominees provided by the public. The Planning Commission would be the organization that picks these winners and they were very excited about this program getting started.

PD Potter discussed how great it was to see so many people attend the Urban Reserve meeting and especially how many people attended the 1 on 1 work session prior to the meeting at 6pm. The Planning Commission agreed that it was a great turnout.

PD Potter stated that he will be taking pictures at the next meeting for the web page. The last pictures that exist of some of the Planning Commission are nearly two years old now.

PD Potter briefed everyone on the meeting from April 30, 2008 regarding the sports complex and sporting field needs. Based on the amount of tension there are from groups associated with this project we decided to provide some contacts from the Planning Commission to the Buckeroo and Rotary. Michelle Mills will be the contact person with the Molalla Buckeroo and Dick Miller will be the liason for the Rotary.

Adjournment

The Planning Commission adjourned at 8:35pm.