

**SPECIAL EVENTS  
MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES – JULY 17, 2014**

**Present:** Joyce Kellogg, Don Gillette, Peggy Schneider, Mike Dougherty, Jim Reilly and Nancy Stisser.

**Absent:** Phyllis Revell, Jani Eichelkraut, Wayne Eichelkraut, Alaina Rivers and Heidi Eisert.

**Minutes**

The June minutes were read and approved on a motion by Joyce and second by Peggy.

**Old Business:**

**Music in the Park publicity:** Joyce and Don have kept the media supplied with press releases about upcoming music in the park shows.

Joyce reported that Gospel Night moved indoors upstairs in the 807 Building due to the threat of rain – one of the few times the music events have needed an alternate venue because of weather. The location worked well.

Don reported that Gospel Night organizers complained about the lack of an outdoor stage. Music in Park events have not used a stage in two seasons, with most acts and audiences preferring a ground-level setup in Washington Park instead.

Joyce and Don reported that people have spotted snakes in Washington Park.

**New Business**

Nancy reported that the city has purchased crowd barriers using approximately \$2,200 in SEC contingency funds. The barriers can be used for SEC functions and multiple city events such as parades.

**August Meeting**

The committee will not meet in August. Members haven't been officially reappointed, the future of the committee remains undetermined, and there are no action/discussion items on the agenda at this time. Nancy could call a meeting if there is a request for funds or other business to be conducted.

**Adjournment**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 5:55 p.m. The next regular meeting is TBA.

Respectfully submitted by Peggy Schneider.