

**CITY OF CAYCE
EVENTS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Council Chambers
November 19, 2020**

Present: Maxine Creamer, Alexis Moore, Johnathon Moore, Cindy Pedersen, Danny Creamer, Dwede Dennis, Brianne Siciliano, Evony Reed, Johnathan Palance.

Absent, Excused: Dave Capps

City Representatives Present: Amanda Rowan and James Denny

Review of Minutes – October 8, 2020

Chairperson Danny Creamer called the meeting to order. Danny provided a brief introduction of the Events Committee. October minutes were amended to approve March 12, 2020 minutes. Cindy Pederson made a motion to approve the March 12, 2020 minutes and October minutes, Alexia Moore seconded the motion which was unanimously approved.

Christmas in Cayce Event

Christmas in Cayce and Carols along the Riverwalk will be combined into a Drive-Through Event around City Hall with four (4) carol groups performing. The Women's Club of Cayce will be handing out pre-packaged treats to cars as they enter the event. Cars will drive up the hill and find carolers at the museum, back of City Hall, Public Safety side, and back down the hill leading towards the exit. The city is coordinating with Public Safety and parks. There is not a tree lighting ceremony this year due to the nature of the event, the tree will already be lit. Ms. Pederson wanted to know if Piecewise Coffee would be involved but was told no due to Covid restrictions. Danny mentioned past light displays the committee purchased. Ms. Pederson inquired if people would be exiting vehicles and James Denny provided logistics involving the flow of traffic. Ms. Pederson asked who would provide carols and Mr. Creamer explained all previous carolers were invited but most declined due to Covid. Mr. Palance suggested time slots for carolers and Mr. Denny stated he would discuss it with the city. The Events Committee itself would not be heavily involved this year.

Buffalo Soldiers Convention

Mr. Creamer began by discussing a brief overview of the Buffalo Soldiers and the event that was supposed to occur in July 2020. Due to Covid the convention had been canceled. Mr. Creamer stated the convention would return in 2021. This will be a chance for the City of Cayce to add to its historical value. Mr. Creamer stated there would be more information forthcoming due to the magnitude of the event.

Discussion of Next Meeting

Ms. Creamer reminded everyone that there will be no meeting in December due to the holidays. January 14, 2021 meeting will be elections.

Other Business

Ms. Moore asked for clarity on dates of the Christmas in Cayce Drive-Through event, which were provided by Mr. Creamer. Mr. Creamer stated he would email with any changes.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. Ms. Moore made a motion to adjourn, Mr. Palance seconded.

Respectfully submitted,

Amanda Rowan