



Grove CID Joint Executive & Finance Committee Meeting Minutes  
July 11th, 2016: 10:00am  
at 4512 Manchester, St. Louis, MO 63110

**Committee members in attendance:** Brian Phillips, Tom Boldt, Kelly Kenter, Pete Rothschild

**Committee members not in attendance:** Jack Baumstark

**Others in attendance:** Matt Green, Brooks Goedecker, Barry Williams

1. K. Kenter called the meeting to order at 10:00am.
2. **Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes**  
T. Boldt made a motion to approve the May meeting minutes. B. Phillips seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0-0.
3. **Grove Street Signs Conversation**  
B. Williams, a resident and engaged citizen in the 17<sup>th</sup> Ward, came to the Committee to talk about his concerns with the decorative street signs along Manchester Avenue (the yellow, star-burst signs). He said that he thinks that the signs are attractive and work very well during the day, but he has concerns about visibility at night, since they are unreflective. Barry made the suggestion that the CID Board support the reinstallation of the standard, reflective, green street signs on existing street poles (and also keep the decorative street signs). The Committee was OK with that idea, so long as Alderman Roddy supports it as well.
4. **SBD Conversation**  
P. Rothschild started a discussion about looking into a long-term strategy for funding various initiatives and improvements in the Grove and FPSE neighborhood. The Committee talked about various long-term planning efforts that have and are taking place in FPSE. Brooks said that he will continue to inform the Committee of conversations and outcomes from the ongoing FPSE Needs Assessment initiative. He said that the Committee will have an Action Plan finished by the end of 2016.
5. **Public Improvements Projects**  
B. Goedecker showed the Committee a rendering for a proposed mural on the side of the Gramophone. He said that the wall was prominent and the property owner supported the design and using the wall. Grace McCammond designed and would paint the mural.

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B. Goedecker also informed the Committee that the signal box located at Sarah and Manchester was very faded and would need to be sanded (because of the anti-graffiti coat) and repainted. He said that Grace McCammond was coming up with a new design for the box right now.

P. Rothschild made a motion to approve up to \$5,000 for the mural installation and up to \$1,500 for repainting the signal box. T. Boldt seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0-0.

**6. NSI Contract**

M. Green presented the Committee with the final contract for Security services with the Central West End Neighborhood Security Initiative. T. Boldt made a motion to approve the contract. P. Rothschild seconded the motion. Motion passed 4-0-0.

**7. Other**

None

**8. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 10:55 am.

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