

Friends of the Panhandle Pathway, Inc.

Meeting-7/16/09 Thursday Noon to 1 p.m.

Town Municipal Building

Present: John Bawcum, Ron Simshauser, Carl Anspach, Pat Shellhart, Larry Spiewak, Nancy Spiewak, and Michael O'Connor.

Absent: Tom Anspach

1. Ron Simshauser gave report on trail construction. Trail heads are being cleared by Stacy Ringen. Paving bids should be in soon. Bracket drawings for the bridge railings should be ready soon. Approximately 75 brackets will be needed. Bridge ties are being used for trail heads. Rebar is not needed. Fence-Barrier at the south end of Tippecanoe River Bridge is in need of attention. Mike O'Connor said he would drive posts and secure fencing.
2. Star City Sesquicentennial. Panhandle volunteers are not needed for the parking area clean up.
3. Public Relations Committee. John Bawcum and Bill Bauman will be on the air talking Panhandle this Sunday, 7/19 on 1230 AM at 7:05 a.m and 103.7 FM at 9:15 a.m. There is a parade in Francesville on 9/19/09 if interested. Recognition of recent donations from Jon Chapman (\$200) and Pat Shellhart (\$100) will be made with possible article in papers and photos along with Panhandle Rail Road Spikes.
4. Land. Mike O'Connor will work with Dave Bennett to organize formal written offers to land owners between Panhandle and town properties.
5. Minutes from previous meeting were approved as written.
6. Next meeting Tuesday evening, 6:30 p.m. Town Municipal Building, 7-28-09.
7. Meeting adjourned 1 p.m.

Approved at 7/28 eve meeting.

s/Tom Anspach, Secretary