## Jonesville Downtown Development Authority Minutes of March 14, 2017

Present: Don Toffolo, Joe Ruden, Abe Graves, Chris Fast, Penny Sarles, and Gale Fix.

Absent: Ron Gow, Don Germann, and Gerry Arno

Also Present: Tim & Christine Bowman and Manager Gray

The meeting was called to order at 7:33 a.m.

There were no changes to the agenda.

A motion was made by Joe Ruden and supported by Abe Graves to approve the minutes of January 10, 2017. All in favor. Absent: Ron Gow, Don Germann, and Gerry Arno. Motion carried.

Tim and Christine Bowman addressed the board about the recent changes to the Riverfest Committee. They have taken the positions of Vice President and President, respectively. Hannah Smith is Secretary, and Lenore has agreed to remain Treasurer for the year. Christine explained that sub-committees have been formed to assist with the planning. Dana has agreed to help with the Race Committee. The Jonesville Rotary Club has assumed responsibility for the River Clean Up. They thanked Dana and Lenore for their long-standing commitment to the festival. They also thanked the DDA board for the support and contributions they have made over the years.

The Slogan Contest entries were discussed, and a Committee was formed in order to select a few finalists. Penny Sarles, Don Toffolo, and Joe Ruden volunteered. The finalists will be posted to Facebook for voting. The winner will receive a \$50.00 gift certificate.

Fiscal Year 2017/18 Budget Committee appointments are: Mayor Arno, Don Germann, and Don Toffolo.

Manager Gray provided updates on the following: the Klein Tool building, the traffic signal project, and the update of the City's Master Plan.

The next scheduled meeting will be May 9, 2017 at 7:30 a.m.

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 a.m.

Submitted by,

Lenore M. Spahr Deputy Clerk