

CITY OF SULPHUR SPRING
DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION BOARD
MEETING MINUTES
FEBRUARY 19, 2008

Present: G.V. Hughes, Sara Gibson, Janet Hamner, Priscilla Massey

Absent: Roy Pelton

Staff: Johnny Vance, Dir. Com. Dev., Jennifer Graham, Administrative Asst.,

Others: Tammy Olague, Joy Wilson, Yolanda Williams, Rita Edwards

CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

DRB Chairman G.V. Hughes called the regular meeting of the Downtown Revitalization Board to order at 6:30 P.M.

DISCUSSION/ACTION ON DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION BOARD MEETING MINUTES OF JANUARY 15, 2008:

A motion was made by Priscilla Massey and seconded by Janet Hamner to approve the minutes of January 15, 2008. Motion carried, all voting aye.

DISCUSSION/ACTION ON MAIN STREET PARKING AND PARKING GUIDELINES FOR DOWNTOWN:

Board Members and Staff discussed some of the ways parking could be done in Downtown. Staff presented the Board with a picture depicting the parking areas in Downtown at this time, as well as the parking space count done by Billie Ruth Standbridge. One of the suggestions was 2 hr. parking, which is an ordinance already on the books, during 8am to 5pm. Another was getting the Downtown Business Alliance Members to talk with the businesses and churches Downtown that have off-site parking areas about using them for event parking, which would typically be in the evening. The drawings for Main Streetscape will be 100% finished the week of February 18, 2008 and based on that information a decision would need to be made on parking.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

The Board will revisit the Parking Guideline issue again and discuss the Façade Grant Project which would help business owners improve the look of the front of their buildings.

ADJOURN:

With no other business before the Board, a motion was made by Sara Gibson and seconded by Priscilla Massey to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried, all voting aye. Meeting adjourned at 7:04 P.M.