YOUTH COUNCIL PLANNING RETREAT MEETING MINUTES CITY HALL CONFERENCE ROOM

308 E. Stadium Drive April 15th, 2013 6:00 p.m.

- 1. Meeting called to order by: Jesse Barnes, Chair.
- 2. Roll call: Logan Boothe, Vice Chair. Members absent include Sheridan Hodges. Late to the meeting was Heather Jachimiak. Also present is Sean McClure.
- 3. With a quorum, the meeting shall proceed.
 - a. Pledge of Allegiance.
 - b. Approval of the minutes of the previous meeting. Motion: MacKenzie Woods. Second: Winston Griffin.
- 4. Commitment for 2013-2014
- 5. Brainstorming/Idea Generation/Open Discussion
 - a. Comments, Advice, and Suggestions- Mr. Burnettte. Matters discussed includes recommitment, the city's effort for a Chick-Fil-A, changes in communication, involvement in projects, decisions and discussions, and long term and short term projects. b. Projects Underway: Adopt-A-Street. Kennedy Street was chosen for the Youth Council to maintain, Service Coordinator Laura is to contact the YMCA to see if they're interested in helping also.
 - c. Break into working groups.
 - 1. Ideas discussed during working groups: Recycling bins in the school and for the city, having a youth council tent at Riverfest, a winter formal, benefit concerts, a back to school event, a dunking booth at the Riverfest, an anti-bullying campaign, Christmas caroling, raking leaves, the March of Dimes, a talent show, more speed limit signs in Eden, basketball courts at Freedom Park, volunteering at the animal shelter and working in the donation garden.
 - d. Open Discussion/Direction.
 - 1. There will be some type of social in June to welcome new members to the council.

There will be no July meeting and the youth council will convene again in August. Mr. McClure has offered the members of the youth council to go on a trip with the Morehead band to a leadership conference sponsored by Chick-Fil-A on May $10^{\rm th}$.

6. Adjournment. Motion: Ann Fitts. Second: MacKenzie Woods.