

**CITY OF CAYCE
EVENTS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
Council Chambers
September 14, 2017**

Present: Dave Capps, Danny Creamer, Maxine Creamer, Brenda Cole, Frankie Newman, Cindy Pedersen, and Rachel Scurry

Absent, Excused: Brandon Young, Susanna Young

Absent, Unexcused: Calvin Bowen and Robert Myers

City Representatives Present: Mendy Corder, James Denny, and Katinia Taylor

Consultants: Sheila Starkey

Guest: Bruce Cotner

Chairperson Danny Creamer called the meeting to order.

The minutes of the August 10, 2017 meeting were reviewed and approved as written.

Congaree Bluegrass Festival

Sheila Starkey discussed social media promotions and proposals for the upcoming festival.

Katinia Taylor and Mendy Corder discussed the program with Committee Members. The submission deadline is September 27. Following discussion, the Committee decided on purchasing 500 programs for approximately \$780.

At this time, promised sponsorships total approximately \$4200 with around \$1875 received thus far.

The “Mash” sign is expected to be erected near the entrance to the speedway area. Cayce residents, military, and military families will not be charged an admission fee. The regular adult admission will be \$10. Each group will be issued a different ticket so that we can determine attendance by each group.

Mr. Denny will double-check the sprinkler valves to ensure that the sprinkler system will not operate during the weekend event.

The cruise-in is scheduled for Saturday only.

Mrs. Scurry suggested that a city fire truck and city police car be added to the children's area. Mr. Creamer may also be able to obtain a tractor for display.

Mr. Bruce Cotner with the Military Timeline Impressions discussed the military displays and the representation of 200 years of United States military history. His group will be on site for both Saturday and Sunday.

The Committee and volunteers will meet at the Speedway on Thursday, September 28 at 5:30 pm to review the lay-out for the event.

Christmas in Cayce

The Carols Subcommittee expects five returning groups to perform. The Subcommittee will meet in mid-October to finalize proposals that will be presented at the November meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Rachel R. Scurry