Hamilton Community Development Coalition April 10th, 2012 Meeting Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Roger. The minutes were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was given. Dick H. presented a bill of \$60 for webpage. The bill was approved.

For next year's Easter Egg Hunt each age group meets in their own locations. We hope this will help some of the problems.

Dick reported on the bridge. The engineer is to put their "stamp" on the plans. We will call a special meeting if this happens. Roger will check on if the walk way spread footings needs approval just in case. We want to make sure we are all approved before we get into action. The engineer is waiting on blueprint from concrete people.

A report was made on the monument. Dick talked to Kevin. They will leave hole to set the stone. W.L. Miller will donate the concrete. The platform will be 10 ft. sq. This will be done by May 2nd.

Homecoming planning is coming along. Habitat for Humanity is doing pies. The Community Band is set for Friday night. The proposed time is 7pm. The Teen Dance is all set. The HCDC will be serving root beer floats and ice-cream sundaes. The 4th annual Bob Califf 5K memorial walk/run & one mile fun run is set. The trunk sale time has been changed to 9am-1pm for June 23 Saturday. There were some concerns on having it in the afternoon.

The Lions should know by the end of April whether or not they will serve a lunch on Saturday. They are still planning on serving a breakfast on Saturday morning. At this time, no news if any group will do a parade. The Catholic Church is serving breakfast on Sunday. There will be a fishing tournament on Sunday. There will be a community church service at 10 am Sunday. Dadants has donated \$100 for prizes, etc. for the Made with Honey Contest.

There was some news on Fall Dance Fundraiser with the Friends of the Library. We will need insurance and a one day liquor license. Bob noted that the hospital will be having their Barn Dance on Oct. 20th. Names of 2 other band possibilities were shared. These are the Cheeseburgers and a band called "LMNOP" from Fort Madison.

New business shared was the need for volunteers at the junction. Things look nice at the junction. Dick H. asked for authorization for purchase flowers for the junction. Motion was made and approved on purchasing flowers for the junction. Dick also reported that the picture on the kiosk needs replaced. The sun was doing a number on the picture on the kiosk. A new one has been ordered. We may want to discuss having a roof over the kiosk. Also discussed was the 4 Welcome to Hamilton Signs.

The meeting was adjourned. The next meeting will be held May 8th at 7pm