

**HEPPNER BEAUTIFICATION COMMISSION
HEPPNER CITY HALL, 111 N. MAIN STREET, HEPPNER, OR
APRIL 11, 2024 AT 8:00 AM**

ATTENDEES:

**Blas Elguezabal
Cody High (arrived at 8:06)
Janelle Ellis
John Doherty
Tarina Foster**

Absent: Angie Hanson, Chad Doherty

Members of the Public: Kay Proctor

1. Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance.

The April 11, 2024 meeting of the City of Heppner Beautification Commission was called to order at 8:00 AM by Janelle Ellis.

2. Minutes of March 11, 2024

Minutes could not be approved as there was not a quorum.

3. City Park Playground Equipment

John is still working on getting quotes. The rubber mat is \$30 per square foot installed. It is best to have installers do the work. The mat requires a 4" concrete base. Due to cost we won't be able to have much of that and may also have to go with some bark chips. John is working on seeking grants from WCVEDG, MCURD, Wildhorse, and Heppner Community Foundation. This will be discussed more at the May meeting.

4. Mustang Mop Up

Mustang Mop Up will be on June 6th. The Commission discussed possible projects that could be on the list. There will be more discussion at the May meeting.

5. Yard of the Month

The Commission discussed the situation that was discussed at the last meeting. Should there be a different award? Kay Proctor gave a little history of the Heppner Garden Club and the Beautification Commission and how Yard of the Month started. Kay wants to continue with it for a couple more years. The Commission decided to do all the credits for Yard of the Month in October. Kay will send an email with the winners at the end of the season. The City will provide a certificate and the credit will be increased to \$10.00. The

recipients will be told that the credit will show up on their October bill. We will see how it goes and discuss it next year.

6. Additional Discussion

The City will be doing the Dump Vouchers again this year. It is for city residents who are on city water/sewer service. Limit of one per address. The vouchers will be good for 5 weeks.

7. Adjournment at 8:59