



## Keep Cass County Beautiful

Minutes – August 9, 2017

6:30 p.m. Exposition Center, Cass County Fairgrounds

Meeting called to order at 6:34 pm.

Attending: L. Behrns, Exec. Dir; M. Pearrow, President; T. Lorenzen, VP; J. Baroni, Treasurer; R. Yoder, Acting Secretary.

### OLD BUSINESS

1. Approve July Minutes
  - Moved to approve by R. Yoder, second by J. Baroni. **Approved.**
2. Treasurer's Report
  - Moved by T. Lorenzen, second by R. Yoder. **Approved.**
3. USDA Green Business Program update

### NEW BUSINESS

1. Union United Golf Tournament donation request
  - No action.
2. Executive Director's report

### FUTURE MEETINGS- 2017

Sept. 6, Oct. 4, Nov. 1, Dec. 6

### PROGRAMS, INITIATIVES, & DEADLINES

- Booth at Cass County Fair & recycling on fair grounds – Aug. 9 – 12
- Household Hazardous Waste collections- Aug. 18
- KCCB recycling bins at Manley's "Pillage the Village" event – Aug. 19
- Keep Nebraska Beautiful Annual Conference & Awards – Aug. 23 -24
- Electronic Recycling Events: Aug. 26 – Manley; Nov. 4 – Louisville
- International Coastal Cleanup – TBD
- KAB/UPS Tree Planting Grant project – TBD in Sept.
- 2018 DEQ Grant Applications – due Sept. 13
- Keep Nebraska Beautiful Golf Tournament – Sept. 21
- KCCB Youth Environmental Fair – Wed. Sept. 27

Meeting adjourned 6:50.

Respectfully submitted, Rick Yoder.

## **Director's Report for August 9, 2017**

- Attended July B.U.I.L.D. meeting
- Submitted KNB award application for KCCB gold award
- Held a litter cleanup with Louisville Cub Club at Louisville State Recreation Area; collected 4 small bags of litter
- Gave a recycling presentation at the Summer Reading Program at Palmyra Public Library for 40 youth & 18 adults
- Gave an environmental presentation for 14 youth at Louisville Summer Cub Club
- Ordered & delivered 2 plaques and year plates to corporate members
- Submitted Qrt.2 DEQ Ed Grant & Litter Cleanup grant reports for reimbursement
- Completed Keep America Beautiful annual reporting requirements
- Held litter cleanup in Louisville on July 22
- Loaned recycling bins to Cedar Creek for Jaggerfest event on July 22, to Plattsmouth for Friday Night Out event, and to Louisville for "Last Hot Sunday in July" car show – July 30
- Made recruitment/training visits to Plattsmouth businesses on July 25 and July 27 for Green Business Program
- Sent out invitations for 2017 Youth Environmental Fair to Cass County School principals
- Contacted several vendors for booths at the KCCB Youth Environmental Fair
- Wrote news articles for Plattsmouth Journal and Cassgram about KCCB and other events; updated Facebook & webpage
- Prepared flyer for Manley Electronic Recycling Event
- Participated in KAB affiliate call about KAB Resources on website
- Prepared supplies for Cass County Fair Booth and made arrangements to recycle at fair