

Columbia City Council
Pre-Council Meeting Minutes –October 6, 2008, 5:45 p.m.
Fourth Floor Conference Room, Daniel Boone Building

Council members present: Mayor Hindman, Paul Sturtz, Chris Janku, Karl Skala, Jerry Wade, Laura Nauser and Barbara Hoppe.

Absent: None

Meeting Reminders:

Thursday, October 9, 10:00 a.m. Bernadette and Tiger Lane, Columbia Solar One Dedication.

Sunday, October 12, 1:00 p.m., Ribbon cutting/re-dedication ceremony Cosmo-Bethel Park Improvement Projects.

A public meeting to provide an overview of the Natural Resources Inventory (NRI) project is planned for October 13th from 7-9 pm at the ARC. **(Prior to one of the Council meetings/work sessions, set up maps/boards for Council to review).**

October 18, 9 a.m. until noon, ARC - "Keys to the City" event

October 29, 8:00 a.m., meeting with City/County and Columbia Public Schools, Chamber, Boone County Government Center.

Work Session Dates:

October Work Session dates – Wednesday, October 22, 6pm, IRP (Integrated Resources Plan) and Police Oversight Report.

Monday, October 27, 6pm, Downtown Leadership Council/Development and process for comprehensive plan update/Growth Management Planning.

Wednesday, November 5

Monday, December 8 (Mr. Janku may have a conflict)

The City Manager made Council aware of a request in which a request was made to the city to pay the cost to exhumate a body at Rockbridge cemetery. He reported the cemetery is not located inside the city limits and the city has no legal authority to pay the costs.

Bill Cantin, Neighborhood Specialist, delivered a power point presentation – see attached. The Council reviewed and discussed the existing policies pertaining to neighborhood organizations, homeowner's associations, and business recognition policy