250th Committee Meeting Minutes November 10, 2014

Present: L. Gund, C. Kustra, M.Banks, P. Jenkins, J. Allen, A. Gasowski, B. Seeley, and M. Woodward

Minutes for the October meeting were approved as read.

The Committee welcomed Mary Woodward who presented the idea of Lee in Bloom for 2016 developed by Bedrock Gardens. Their idea to have planters of mix of flowers thru the seasons from the Transfer Station to Little River Park and out at the corner of George Bennett and 125 was enthusiastically endorsed. Mary provided sketches of their concept and outlined who had been contacted for permission to display the box planters. Mary is working on grant funding and hopes to involve school students in the planting. Marianne mentioned the Master Gardeners as a possible resource.

The budget request to be presented at the December 2 ABC meeting was discussed. Brian, Annie and Jan will finalize and present.

Laura presented logo designs created by Amy Daskel. The Committee deeply appreciates the time and effort that went into the presentations. Much discussion followed and Laura will go back to Amy with some suggestions.

Annie provided an update on banners and the Committee agreed that using a local company would be the preference. The NH company used for the Lee Fair will be contacted.

Coins as souvenirs were discussed and a vendor needs to be located.

The deadline for the Calendar of Events was discussed, as the list will appear in the 2016 calendar being done by the Heritage Commission. Pat and Jan will continue to coordinate.

Developing a Facebook page was briefly discussed. Annie will seek someone to create one for the 250th.

Next meeting set for December 8th at 10 am at the Lee Safety Complex.

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 am.

Respectfully submitted – Clara Kustra, Chair