

Thursday, April 14, 2011
Michigan Tile & Carpet, Community Room
7-9:00 p.m.

1. **Call to Order / Time Convened: 7:00 p.m.**

2. **Attendance: All present signed in? Yes**

Members: Cynde Foster, Susanne Moreno-Thurman, Phyllis Hopkins, Ward 4 City Commissioner Elizabeth Fulton, Tim Conlogue, Trudy Hall, Gloria Russo**

Absent: see excused.

Excused: Kirk Scott, Vice Mayor Chris Simmons, Joel Fulton**

City Officials: Susan Bedsole, Mayor Susan Baldwin

Guests: Mary Lou Ramon

3. **Addition or Deletions to the Agenda: None. Any complaints about lack of minutes or agendas in a timely fashion should be directed to the secretary.**

4. **Approval of the Previous Minutes: No quorum present.**

5. **Correspondence and Announcements: 2011 Calhoun County Household Hazardous Waste Collection in Battle Creek will be at the Toeller Building on Saturday May 7 and Saturday September 17.**

6. **Speakers: None**

7. **City Staff Reports:**

- a. **Golden Service Reports: Code Report: Susan Bedsole – Property surveys were started on 3/7/2011. Inflated Housing Code issues are as a result of the targeted property surveys and should be resolved promptly. Spoke about NSP programs and how the funding was working.**
- b. **Police Department: Officers Shawn O'Bryant was present. Very busy; a lot of retail fraud, most of them caught. B&E's and larcenies are up. Drive offs at gas stations are up.**

Committee Reports:

a. **Commissioner Reports:**

b. **Schools: None**

c. **Membership (new additions/deletions): None**

d. **Beautiful Battle Creek Award: 1 Grand Blvd Court – Steven Burley**

e. **Businesses –**

8. **Old Business to be finalized: None**

9. **New Business: None**

10. **New Business for Future Meetings: Discuss Cancelling meetings for the summer (June, July, and August)**

11. **Public /Guest Comments? None.**

12. **Members Comments?**

13. **Adjournment (Time 8:42 pm) BY: Susanne Moreno-Thurman, 2nd by Cynde Foster**14. **Next Meeting: April 14, 2011, Michigan Tile & Carpet, Community Room, 99 East Columbia Avenue, Battle Creek, MI 49015**

****In the absence of the Chair, this meeting was run by the Vice-Chair, Tim Conlogue. Thank-you, Tim!**

