**Far East Area Commission**

**Meeting Minutes**

February 22, 2012

 The meeting was called to order at 6:45pm. Those in attendance were: Jennifer Chamberlain, Chair; Summer Moynihan, Co-Chair, Scott Gallagher, Treasurer; Larry Marshall; Wayne Hamner; Dustin Thompson; Eric Watson; Lynne LaCour, Manager of Far East Side Pride Center; Mark Hutsko, Religion Commissioner-At-Large; Max Lallathin, Education Commissioner-At-Large; and Catherine McKinley, Secretary.

 From here forward, the Far East Area Commission will be referred to as FEAC.

 The FEAC is voting on demolition of the AT&T building. A contractor has been hired to demolish the building. Summer passed around a picture of the building to all Commissioners present. Larry made a motion to approve the demolition and Wayne second the motion. All Commissioners present approved the demolition.

 Lynne LaCour said that the City Council has it on the agenda to approve the FEAC. Wayne is might not be able to be there to be sworn in on March 5. All are to be there at 5pm. If Wayne is unable to be there, it was asked if maybe have someone come to the Pride Center to swear in everyone. Everyone being sworn in at City Council can park in the police parking lot. There are also meters on Broad Street. Lynne will try to get parking spaces for the Commissioners.

 Lynn gave the city budget to Commissioner Marshall. City Council is asking if FEAC has any capital improvements.

 The Barnett meeting starts at 5:30pm on March 3. Lynn strongly suggests the FEAC to look at what other commissions are in need of that is similar to the FEAC needs.

 Upcoming events:

 March 15 & 29 – capital needs – City Hall

 March FEAC meeting – representative from the Department of Development

 Future FEAC meeting guest – Steve Lindsey of Lindsey Honda. To speak about

 the purchase of the old Meijer building.

 May FEAC meeting – Zoning 101. We need to stick to the by-laws

 Cedar Run received approval from the city to change the green space to a park.

 Summer stated the city is taking over the lighting for Independence Village.

 Jennifer made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Larry made a second to the motion.

 The meeting was adjourned at 7:10 pm.