

Manchester Tourism and Community Development Commission  
Meeting Minutes  
October 13, 2025  
6:00 pm

Members Present-Erin Kehely, Joseph Sherrill, Lori Watson, Lori West, Lori Perry & Mark Messick

Members Absent- None

Others Present- Katie West, Katy Riddle, Diane Murray, & Mike Anderson

Lori Perry called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm. Lori West called rolled, quorum was present.

Approval of Agenda- Erin Kehely made the motion to approve, Joseph Sherrill, seconded, motion carried.

Citizens Comments/Questions-NONE

Lori Watson made a motion to approve the September 8, 2025 minutes, Joseph Sherrill, seconded, motion carried.

New Business-Diane Murray & Mike Anderson from Tennessee Backroads presented the committee with packets regarding MTCD grant funding in the amount of \$4000.00 to repair sign located on the courthouse lawn and advertising for Manchester through the organization. Discussion was had on, using a local business for sign repair, and utilizing the MVC for a future conference.

Mark Messick made the motion to grant Tennessee Backroads funding in the amount of \$4000.00, Lori Watson, seconded, motion carried.

Other New Business items such as the discussion on the Skate Park addition, was tabled by Mark Messick, and to be moved until the meeting in November.

Old Business-Ice Rink Updates-Katie West stated contract for the ice rink had been signed, sound and lighting was in the process of being bid. More updates in November.

Manchester Chamber of Commerce Report-Katy Riddle discussed the upcoming holiday Christmas Stroll that will be held December 12<sup>th</sup>. Katy also requested, dates from MRD on ice rink so she could start planning for advertisements per the grant contract.

Manchester Parks & Recreation Report-Katie West reported, Trunk or Treat was canceled. Annual Pool Pawty was canceled for this year due to pool maintenance. Repairs and painting of recreation complex were also reported from the annual shut down. Christmas lighting quotes were reported to the mayor's office for approval.

Committee Reports-None

Mayors Comments-None

Erin Kehely made the motion to adjourn the meeting, Joseph Sherrill, seconded, motion carried.

Adjournment 6:40 p.m.