MARION COUNTY LITTER TASK FORCE COMMITTEE MEETING NOTES December 6, 2021

The Litter Task Force Committee held a public meeting on December 6, 2021 at the Marion County Public Library Headquarters - Conference Room C.

Litter Task Force Members:

Beth McCall, Task Force Chair Sam McConnell Shane Alexander Jack Stackman Tom Schmitz Capt. Jon Turner Lauren Debick Jared Peltz Sammie Lucky Joe Reichel **Darren Parks** Chief Mike McQuig Shawna Chancey Scott Stutson Antoinette Davis **Robby Creech** Bobbi Perez Bill Gladson Gerry Lourenco Mike Bresnahan John Paglia III My Smith **Tito Comas**

OTHER ATTENDEES:

Jody Kirkman Lacey Larramore Russell Ward

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting began at 4:00 pm in the Marion County Public Library Headquarters - Conference Room C

INTRODUCTIONS:

- Beth McCall open the meeting up by welcoming everyone to the committee and thanking everyone for their hard work.
- Beth explained the purpose of this meeting is for the chair of each group to give a brief update on what the groups have been working on.

Community Outreach and Education – Chair Lauren Debick:

- Speaker's bureau list will continue to grow as people are added.
- Work on business, campaign ideals.
- Litter bags for cars.
- Litter awareness week.
- Finding the why (why do people litter).
- Creating a pledge to become litter free in our community.

Fiscal – Chair John Paglia III:

- Universal collection for the County.
- Break down of recycling centers and distance.
- Fund raising for litter control.

Jody Kirkman - Environmental Services Director:

• Gave overview of Solid Waste and hours.

Marketing – Antoinette Davis:

- Group would like to move forward with slogan No Horsin Around.
- Mascot- A horse name Marion and his side kick Rubbish the Raccoon.

Procurement Director – Susan Olsen:

- RFQ for Marketing and steps we must take.
- Advertisement for marketing firm should go out in 20 days or so.

Ordinances and Enforcement – Bill Gladson:

- Review Secure your load.
- Review of ordinances.
- Felony litter and what does that mean.
- Create a pilot program to land scape median.
- Collecting fines.

Chair Beth McCall:

- No meeting in January
- Next meeting February 7th.
- February 7th groups need to bring recommendation.

NEXT MEETING

Next meeting is scheduled for Monday, February 7, 2022 at 4:00 pm in the Growth Service Training Room.

Compiled by Lacey Larramore, Litter Supervisor, Environmental Services-Solid Waste