



TOWN OF KILMARNOCK

Council Committee Report – Streets, Sidewalks, Playground

Date: November 6, 2014 **Time:** 9:30 AM **Location:** Town Hall

Town Council Member Attendees:

X = present

Chair: Council Member Keith Butler X
Council Member Michael Sutherland X
Council Member Dr. Curtis H. Smith X
Mayor Mae Umphlett (ex-officio) X

Town Staff Attendees:

Town Manager Tom Saunders X
Deputy TM Susan Cockrell X
Public Works Supervisor, P.J. Jones X
Planning\Zoning Director Marshall Sebra X

Visitors: None

Discussion items:

1. The committee review and discussed priorities for existing sidewalks following the Town Council neighborhood walks. They are:
 1. Rt. 200 in front of Ross’s Rings and Things
 2. E. Church St. near Currie Funeral Home
 3. E. Church St. at 66 E. Church St.
 4. (next areas not prioritized) S. Main at the Learning Center
 5. Weekends\S. Main St. (exposed pipe to be removed)
 6. Immediately in front of Currie Funeral Home
 7. Last square at Planing Mill on S. Main Street
 8. At Post Office
 9. N. Main St. from Post Office to School St.
2. The committee was updated on the next steps in master plan project for “Peoples’ Park”. They endorsed and accepted the park committee’s plan and authorized staff to proceed with the next steps in the design process.
3. The committee reviewed 2014 streetscaping successes and staff commitment to same.

FYI:

1. Citizen complaints continue about appearance of Fix-It Shop on N. Main St. This business is not in any violation.
2. Holiday decorating is underway in prep for Steptoe’s Illumination Tuesday, Nov. 25th at 5:30 PM; invitations have gone out.
3. Recap of Kilmarnock Kandy for Kids. May request some street closures in 2015 (Augusta, W. Church as examples)
4. Business Holiday Lighting Contest: Nov 23rd at 7:00 PM
5. Residential Holiday Lighting Contest Dec. 14th at 7:00 PM

Recommendations to Council:

1. Endorse and accept the “People’s Park” concept plan as submitted and authorize staff to proceed with obtaining further design and engineering services for the park.

Recommended for further study: None