

B.U.I.L.D. MEETING
Minutes-March 7, 2006

“Alone We Can Do So Little; Together We Can Do So Much!”

Members Present: Paul Pankonin, Nancy Mc Manis, Dee Arias, Lexie Scholting, Terri Scholting, Lynn Berner-Smith, Carla Knott, Joan Payne, John Plucknett, Todd Ray, Ken Kratky & Bruce Breitreutz.

Visitor: Rick & Laura Setchell – Plattsmouth Journal

Approved minutes of previous meeting-February 7, 2006.

Treasurer’s Report by Terri Scholting: \$2470.99

Old Business: Terri reported for the BBQ Team Championship Cook-off. The dates BUILD suggested will not work out with the “Event Coordinator”. Terri will check back with them for an alternative date and report back to the group.

Welcome Committee: Carla Knott, Chairperson reported that there was one new homeowner for the month and 1 Gift bag was delivered. She indicated that there are plenty of supplies on hand from the businesses.

Events Committee: Nancy Mc Manis & Dee Arias Co-Chairpersons both announced the \$50 winner of the “Louisville Daz” Parade Theme Contest. Joe Tesar came up with the idea: “We Built This City On Rock ‘n’ Roll” Joe works at Cople’s and commented that the idea came from Ash Grove Cement Company’s “Rock” and Copples Cars “Rolling” down the streets of Louisville. Parade entry forms are available on the City’s Website. The committee is Strongly Encouraging Floats for this year’s parade. BUILD will need help in finding a Theme for theirs and Nancy will be mailing entry forms to out of town businesses. A “Best Dressed Doggie Contest” will be held. A volunteer is needed to help with this event. Cass County Visitors need “trinket” items for bags & Last Hot Sunday In July will be held along with Art Chick’s Talented Women’s Fair.

Presentation Committee: A huge “Thank You” to Joan Payne who has volunteered to take on this committee; She is working with Louisville Businesses on New “Welcome To Louisville” Flags. There are 24 Businesses who are purchasing sponsorship. The flags will name each Business and will carry the City of Louisville Logo. Joan will also check into replacing the sign North of Louisville with help from volunteers Nancy Mc Manis & Terri Scholting. A motion was made by Nancy Mc Manis to go ahead with the sign replacement, seconded by Todd Ray; All Ayes, Motion Carried.

Marketing Committee: Lexie Scholting reported that a new Logo for B.U.I.L.D. is in the works. She will ask for assistance from Mike Krambeck.

New Business: Discussion was held concerning formation of a committee to develop a “slush fund” in which contributions would be made once per year by Business Owners. Rod Little has volunteered to take this on and get back to the group.

B.U.I.L.D. Members applauded and thanked Bruce Breitzkreutz/Ash Grove for their generous contribution of \$750.00 for the 2006 “Ring In The Season” Carriage Rides.

Next meeting will be held April 4, 2006 at the Senior Center.