

Chehalis Community Renaissance Team General Meeting Notes
Friday 9/10/21

Attendees: Daniel Murray, Lindsey Senter, Brian Wilkins, Annalee Tobey, Andrea Culetto, Brandon Rakes, Michael Ervin, Justine Pense, Shannon Glenn, Susan Delaire, Willie Painter, Terry Harris, Kate McDougall, Steve Wohld, Dolly Tardiff, Eric Sonnenberg, Shannon Glenn, Larry McGee, David James, Lilly Wall, Laura Six, Jill Anderson

Steve Wohld - Lewis County Campus Update

- The county has purchased property near the Law and Justice Center.
- The goal is to have a one stop shop for all Lewis County services.
- The area surrounding the historic Royal Bakery/Star Tavern, the LC Health Dept. building and LC Juvenile Justice Center will be remodeled.
- \$3 million in recent acquisition/upgrades of property
- \$15 million estimated total for the project.
- Parking had been considered and additional parking will be added downtown.
- The recently purchased the former Masonic Temple building for its parking lot and will resell in the near future.

Promotion Committee – David James

- Continuing work on postcard project to offer local businesses opportunity to carry postcards featuring Chehalis.
- Color Chehalis! activity/walking tour books are printed and will begin distribution this month.
- LTAC application to the City of Chehalis has been submitted.
- CCRT rebranding effort is upcoming in the next months.

ERC - Laura Six

- Paperwork has been submitted for a work study student and has been approved by the state. We will be reviewing applications from applicants to hire part-time work study student this fall/winter.
- Several new facade grants have been submitted and approved.

Design and Organization – Annalee Tobey

- Thomas Sutley finished CCRT's latest mural at the Chehalis-Centralia Airport highlighting the history of the airport.
- More murals are in process. One will be created on the City of Chehalis' Parking Lot C retaining walls. Another "selfie wall" will be painted on the Boistfort St side of M&K Town Store.
- Policy and procedures are being reviewed in the organization committee
- B&O tax donations - looking forward to 2022 and continuing to promote our existing supporters.

Good of the Order:

Dolly Tardiff, Lewis EDC - monthly luncheon on Sept 15 is open to public and \$25 to attend. October's luncheon will feature keynote speaker Bruce Vincent. The first Lewis EDC golf tourney is Sept 17. Email Dolly at dolly@lewisedc.com with questions or to attend upcoming events.