# LCTV ENDOWMENT FUND BOARD MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2013 7:30 P.M.

## 1. CALL TO ORDER; ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 7:37 p.m. by Chair Dennis Kent and City Clerk Betty Morlock called the roll.

Present: City of Lowell Sharon Ellison

Dennis Kent Patty Sellner Barb Zandstra

Lowell Charter Township Bill Thompson

Sue Simmonds

Absent: Tim Wittenbach (Vergennes Township)

Also Present: Betty Morlock.

IT WAS MOVED BY ELLSION and supported by SIMMONDS to excuse the absence of Boardmember Tim Wittenbach.

YEA: 6. NAY: 0. ABSENT: 1. MOTION CARRIED.

## 2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

IT WAS MOVED BY ELLISON and supported by THOMPSON to approve the agenda as presented.

YEA: 6. NAY: 0. ABSENT: 1. MOTION CARRIED.

## 3. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

IT WAS MOVED BY THOMPSON and supported by ELLISON to approve the minutes of the March 28, 2013 meeting as written.

YEA: 6. NAY: 0. ABSENT: 1. MOTION CARRIED.

#### 4. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No comments were received.

### 5. OLD BUSINESS

**a.** Receive and Review Information Requested at the March 28, 2013 Meeting. The Board reviewed the information provided.

**b.** Review Spreadsheet for the 2013 LCTV Endowment Fund Applications. Scoring was recorded from each board member and the applications were ranked as follows:

| Applicant         | Description   | Rank                  |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------|
| City of Lowell    | LCTV Fund Administration Expenses                   | 1st                   |
| City of Lowell    | Downtown Streetscape Plan                           | 14 <sup>th</sup>      |
| City of Lowell    | Riverwalk/Library Stage Planning                    | 3rd                   |
| City of Lowell    | Fairgrounds Electric Improvement                    | 9th                   |
| City of Lowell    | Cable TV Bldg. Roof Repair                          | 7 <sup>th</sup>       |
| City of Lowell    | Street Reconstruction-Sibley                        |                       |
| City of Lowell    | Cable TV Bldg. Exterior Improvement & Tower Removal |                       |
| City of Lowell    | Urban Forest Initiative                             | 8th                   |
| FROM              | River of Hope Capital Campaign                      | 15th                  |
| KCYF              | Golf Carts & Trailer of Fair and Community Events   | 10th                  |
| LACC              | City Christmas Tree                                 | 11th                  |
| Lowell Fire Dept. | 24' x 32' Storage Garage                            | 6th                   |
| LAHM              | New Redesigned Website                              | 17th                  |
| LARA              | Pavilion Project                                    | 5th                   |
| Lowell Schools    | Wireless  | 15 <sup>th</sup>      |
| Lowell Twp.       | Park Ash Tree Removal                               | $\dots 4^{\text{th}}$ |
| Lowell Dog Park   | Dog Park Drinking Water Source                      | 12 <sup>th</sup>      |
| Oak Hill Place    | Speakers "Series at Oak Hill"                       | 18th                  |

## 6. **NEW BUSINESS**

a. Make The Final Decision on the Amount of Funds to be Awarded and the Wording of the Recommendation to the City Council. After reviewing and discussing the rankings of the grant applications the following awards were made.

| Applicant         | Description   | Rec. Amt.   |
|-------------------|---|-------------|
| City of Lowell    | LCTV Fund Administration Expenses                   | \$4,000.00  |
| City of Lowell    | Downtown Streetscape Plan                           | \$0.00      |
| City of Lowell    | Riverwalk/Library Stage Planning                    | \$12,000.00 |
| City of Lowell    | Fairgrounds Electric Improvement                    | \$0.00      |
| City of Lowell    | Cable TV Bldg. Roof Repair                          | \$0.00      |
| City of Lowell    | Street Reconstruction-Sibley                        | \$50,000.00 |
| City of Lowell    | Cable TV Bldg. Exterior Improvement & Tower Removal | \$0.00      |
| City of Lowell    | Urban Forest Initiative                             | \$12,000.00 |
| FROM              | River of Hope Capital Campaign.                     | \$0.00      |
| KCYF              | Golf Carts & Trailer of Fair and Community Events   | \$4,000.00  |
| LACC              | City Christmas Tree                                 | \$0.00      |
| Lowell Fire Dept. | 24' x 32' Storage Garage                            | \$15,000.00 |
| LAH M             | New Redesigned Website                              | \$0.00      |
| LARA              | Pavilion Project                                    |             |
| Lowell Schools    | Wireless  |             |
| Lowell Twp.       | Park Ash Tree Removal.                              |             |
| Lowell Dog Park   | Drinking Water Source                               |             |
| Oak Hill Place    | Speakers "Series at Oak Hill"                       | \$0.00      |

IT WAS MOVED BY THOMPSON and supported by ZANDSTRA to recommend the City Council approves \$106,000.00 in grants as noted above.

YEA: 6. NAY:

0. ABSENT:

1. MOTION CARRIED.

**b.** <u>Schedule 2014 Meetings</u>. The following dates were scheduled for 2014.

Wednesday, January 15, 2014 at 7 p.m. Friday, February 14, 2014 at 7 p.m. Friday, February 21, 2014 Wednesday, February 26, 2014 at 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 5, 2014 at 7 p.m. Monday, March 17, 2017 at 7 p.m.

Organizational Meeting
Grant Applications Due
Grant Applications Delivered to Board members
Meeting to Review Grants
Meeting to Rank and Make Recommendations
Grant Applications on City Council Agenda

# 7. ADJOURNMENT.

IT WAS MOVED BY ZANDSTRA to adjourn at 9:26 p.m.

Dennis J. Kent Chair Barb Zandstra Recording Secretary