



CITY OF ANGLETON
KEEP ANGLETON BEAUTIFUL COMMISSION MINUTES
120 S. CHENANGO STREET, ANGLETON, TEXAS 77515
MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 2025 AT 5:30 PM

THE FOLLOWING REPRESENTS THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE KEEP ANGLETON BEAUTIFUL COMMISSION IN THE ORDER THEY OCCURRED DURING THE MEETING. THE KEEP ANGLETON BEAUTIFUL COMMISSION CONVENED IN A MEETING ON MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 2025, AT 5:30 PM., AT THE CITY OF ANGLETON COUNCIL CHAMBERS AT 120 S. CHENANGO STREET ANGLETON, TEXAS 77515.

DECLARATION OF A QUORUM AND CALL TO ORDER

With a quorum present, Tracy Delesandri called the Keep Angleton Beautiful Commission Meeting to order at 5:30 P.M.

PRESENT

Heather Brewer
Pattie Cooper
Tracy Delesandri
Suzanne Dellinger
Andrea Demopulos
Dianna Matthys
Cheryl Scarborough

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Discussion and possible action to approve the minutes from Keep Angleton Beautiful Commission meeting on August 26, 2024.

Upon a motion made by Member Dellinger and seconded by Member Matthys the motion to approve the minutes was approved unanimously.

2. Discussion on Keep Angleton Beautiful Fund Balance and YTD financial statements as of December 31, 2024.

Assistant Director O'Mara presented the fund balance and year-to-date financial statements as of December 31, 2024. The reserve fund balance began FY 2023-24 at just over \$55,000 and ended the year positive, increasing by roughly \$17,000 to just over \$73,000. This reserve is separate from the operating budget and may be used for future major projects as approved by the Commission. For FY 2024-25, revenues and expenses were each budgeted at just over \$61,000; however, due to turnover in the Budget Office and the transition into ENCODE, some columns on the current reports reflect prior-year figures and are being corrected, with updated reports expected by the February meeting. Revenues posted include October trash bag sales, with November and December still being uploaded on the regular timeline (the 10th of the following month). Waste Connections' \$500/month contributions for October and November are

reflected; trash bag revenue is tracking near \$3,000 for the season and water-bill donations continue. On the expense side, primary activity has occurred in Cleanup Costs and Beautification. The H-GAC Solid Waste grant of approximately \$23,000 has supported Spring 2024, Fall 2024, and will partially support Spring 2025; most of the grant is now committed, and the City has budget capacity in Cleanup Costs to cover the remainder of the spring event as needed.

3. Discussion on the 2024 Fall Sweep event recap.

Assistant Director O'Mara recapped the 2024 Fall Sweep event held in November. Diversion totals included about 1,400 pounds of latex paint, 215 tires totaling about 3,000 pounds, approximately 4,000 pounds of electronics, and roughly 4,200 pounds of shredded material, for a total diversion of just over 12,000 pounds. Solid waste collected was about 6,000 pounds. Attendance included 269 vehicles and an estimated 403 participants. The litter pickup component was canceled due to weather for safety reasons and will return in the spring. Event costs were lower than Spring 2024, with paint decreasing from about \$4,000 in spring to approximately \$2,500–\$2,800 this time; electronics were slightly higher and shredding remained steady. To date, about \$21,000 of the grant has been spent. The next Arbor Day tree planting is scheduled for Friday, April 25, 2025, with the Spring Cleanup on Saturday, April 26, 2025.

4. Discussion and possible action on the 2025 TxDOT traffic controller cabinet art wrap submissions.

Assistant Director O'Mara reported that last year's Cemetery Road installation has been weather-delayed and is rescheduled for this week, while the second 2024 location was not completed due to low submissions. For 2025, the budget includes \$3,000 to complete three wraps. The 2025 Call for Artists is tentatively scheduled for the Spring and would be publicized through City channels, PublicArtist.org, local colleges and schools (including AHS), and the Brazosport Art League. Per Legal guidance, artists will submit directly to staff for Board ranking and site matching. The Commission discussed prioritizing south-side locations and engaging junior high and high school art programs.

A motion was made by Member Demopolos and seconded by Member Scarborough to postpone selection of the remaining two 2025 locations until the February meeting to allow members time to review the location list and visit sites; the motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 5:52 P.M.

These minutes were approved by the Keep Angleton Beautiful Commission on the 27th day of October 2025.

CITY OF ANGLETON, TEXAS

Jason O'Mara
Director of Parks and Recreation