Ad-hoc Semiquincentennial / Tri-centennial Committee

Meeting Minutes

March 10, 2026

City Council Chambers

37 Green Street, Concord NH

1. Having reached a quorum, the meeting was called to order at 8:05 a.m. by Councilor Kretovic. Attending:

Jennifer Kretovic, Council Representative Co-Chair	Cindy Foote
Amanda Grady Sexton, Council Representative	Brent Todd, Council Representative
Gabe Szczepanik	Donna Robie
Rik Yeames	

Absent:	
Mayor Byron Champlin	Jim Milliken
Co-Chair Jim Bouley	Jessica Martin
Fisto Ndayishimiye	

2. Meeting Minutes – Cindy motion to approve, duly seconded and passed unanimously

3. Budget: Co-chairs Kretovic and Bouley will be submitting an application to the City Events Committee for funding for the parade. Councilor Kretovic updated the committee on her conversation with the City Manager regarding how we book the dollars that are being committed for the banners. With this, Cindy and Jennifer will meet with the City Manager and Code Enforcement Banner Crews to coordinate where, when and how long the banners will be hung. If there is an opportunity for banners to be hung on Manchester Street, Penacook Village, etc. The group also spoke about attending Business After Hours again this evening to speak with local businesses.

4. Banners: Cindy Foote gave an update to the committee regarding banners and conversations with business owners at Business After Hours. The cost is $250.00 with Flag Works over America.

5. Fourth of July Parade discussion:

    a. Co-Chairs Kretovic and Jim Bouley met with Jaimee Tibbits to discuss planning for the event the parade.

    b. Meeting with Concord Monitor

    c. Memorial Day Parade.

6. Fireworks – managed by City Recreation Department at Memorial Field

7. Logo and Promotions:

8. Other Business: Ken Burns Event at Capitol Center for the Arts, can our committee do a table at the event on June 9th. Jennifer will check with NH Humanities Council

9. Calendar and website sending information – Jennifer and Cindy will look at updating information.

10. Rik shared the State's License Plate

11. Motion to adjourn was made by Rik Yeames and was duly seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting closes at 9:00am

Minutes submitted by Councilor Kretovic.