

## **Committee Reports:**

### **Beautification Committee: (Keep 5-10 minutes.)**

- MURALS
- Committee has met and discussed near-future plans of putting up two murals by artist, DERKZ, on the Old Billiards Plus building and on the side of Amloze Pizza.
- Both property owners have been contacted and both are eager and excited at the opportunity.
- The committee is seeking Board approval to move forward with execution with a maximum budget of 15k.
- Open to artwork ideas from the Board for content by Friday, May 20th as committee hopes to have final decisions on content for artist to begin mock ups Tuesday, May 25th.
- Before DERKZ can begin design concepts, 50% payment will be required. With appropriate approvals, the committees goal is to start project mid June.
- The goal of these murals is to promote Tourism by creating interactive, photo opportunities.
- Photos of murals can be purchased as a keep sake – this concept is being explored.
- The committee believes these will bring great 'life' to the DT core and will be a long term opportunity for the betterment of DT Tecumseh and the CIP Project.
- In working with other local BIA's who have commissioned these projects with much success from the community & membership, we've created a 'Mural Installation Contract' between the BIA & Property Owners.
- Should the committee receive Board approval on this project, the next steps will be to have the document reviewed with a legal eye.
- BIKE RACKS – Looking for confirmation these are all complete and installed. Committee believes so.
- BUS STOP - Esthetics of the bus stop in front of Public Parking Lot #1 is being discussed to remove weeds, old newspaper stands, roof, etc. No current updates on this project at this time.