1. The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Hespen at 6:30 p.m.

Members Present: Hespen, Joiner, Buck, Kuiper, Barnard
Members Absent: Murdoch

2. Members discussed the 4th of July Parade. Comments given:
   - Need to mail save the date cards the week of March 7.
   - Parade applications need to be mailed May 1.
   - Commissioner Barnard commented she would make contact on having a band march in the Parade.
   - Check to see if a Coast Guard Boat was available to be in the Parade.
   - Commissioner Kuiper commented she would contact McDonalds regarding donating prizes and orange drink.
   - Commissioner Buck commented Leppinks will donate food and prizes.
   - Commissioner Barnard commented she would contact Culvers and Sporthouse and ask them to participate in the Parade.
   - Chairperson Hespen commented she would contact The Gateway Church and Ferrysburg Community Church for volunteers.
   - Commissioner Buck commented she has contacted Jesse Bruce to broadcast the Parade and has contacted the Face Painters.
   - Commissioner Joiner commented she would make contact to have a Boy Scout Troop march in the Parade.
   - Commissioner Buck will contact the Color Guard.
   - Chairperson Hespen commented she would contact Ralph Houston regarding playing the trumpet at the park.

3. Public Comments: None.

4. Board Member Comments: None.

5. The next meeting was scheduled for Monday, March 14, 6:30 p.m.

6. The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 p.m.

Craig Bessinger, Acting Secretary