Falcon Heights Environment Commission May 8th, 2017 6:30 p.m. Meeting Minutes

Present: Chair Miazga, Staff Liaison Moretto, Mayor Lindstrom, and Commissioner Meah, Holmes, Hartman, Hall.

- 1) Approval of Minutes April Minutes tabled.
- 2) Discussion Gardens in Falcon Heights

Staff discussed the various issues regarding gardens and the types of ground cover in Falcon Heights. There was discussion about the appropriateness of the Environmental Commission in the planning aspects of gardens and zoning.

A question of native plans and grass was also discussed. Commissioners discussed the history of plantings and front yard spaces and further discussion is required.

A final topic of discussion was vacant houses in Falcon Heights and our ordinances. It was discussed that we do not require vacant properties to be recorded. The Environmental Commission motioned and recommended that staff look into this topic for next meeting.

- 3) News and Announcements
- 7) Public Comment

No public comments were provided.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 PM

Next Meeting: Monday, June 12, 2017