**Chester Beautification/Tourism Commission Agenda**

**May 16, 2024**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes** Brenda Owen

**Treasurer’s Report** Brenda Owen

**Public Petitions & Correspondence**

**Standing Committee Reports**

* Take Pride Award JoAnn Simmons/Linda Rader
* Planters Linda Schafer/Scott Marcinkowski

Caretaker for plants

* Riverboat visits/Tours Linda Rader/Patti Carter
* Tourism Brenda Owen
	+ Popeye 100th birthday event

**Special Committee Reports**

* Riverfront Improvement JoAnn Simmons
* Fairground Place Cynthia Lawder
	+ Lighting

**Commission Function Reports**

* Public Relations Bob Lockhart/Brenda Owen
* City Council update
* Welcome Center update Bob Lockhart
* Randolph County Tourism

 **Old Business**

* Laser projector for use at water tower Jay Cooper
* Bridge demolishing event—“Well, Blow Me Down”

**New Business**

* Commission membership
* Any other business that may come before the Commission

**Adjournment & Next meeting: Thursday, May 16, 2024** at 6:30 PM at City Hall

Members & Liaisons:

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|  City Council Rep | Barry Harle | Brenda Owen, Ch | Tony West |
| Patti Carter, City Rec. Director | Mary Ann Heberlie | Linda Rader, Treas |  |
| Jay Cooper | Cynthia Lawder | David Randall, C of C |  |
| Carla Draves | Wendy Lochhead | Linda Schafer |  |
| Melissa Gross, Sec | Bob Lockhart | JoAnn Simmons |  |