

Attendance: Dar Wolnik, Audrey Warren, Musa Eubanks, Mark Juedeman, Jason Neville, Willis Rey(?)

Minutes by: Audrey Warren

Materials distributed: none

Future Meeting: emergency meeting tba depending on outcome of bond unveiling Wed (10/6), next regular meeting November 1, 2004

Items voted: none

Action Items:

<i>Action</i>	<i>Lead</i>	<i>Completion date</i>
Find out about process for getting a booth at Mirliton Festival	Dar	10/18
Reserve space at Green Project Home Fair	Mark	Before Nov 13
Update membership brochure with information about date of first membership and expiration	Dar	Nov 2
Update website	Audrey	Friday 10/8
Pursue logo designer	Jason Neville	10/15
Look into whether the Wed. Bond unveiling is a public event. Send email announcement to friends and members	Audrey	Tuesday 10/5
Write thank you letters to City Council, Mayor, et al. after bond budget is announced on Wednesday	Liz	Friday 10/8
Write and distribute press release	Dar	Friday 10/8
Find out when next levy board meeting is scheduled	Audrey	Friday 10/8
Draft letter to Levee Board and ask to speak at next meeting	Musa	
email update to friends & members, plus blurb for Urban Conservancy (by Friday 10/8)	Audrey	Friday 10/8

Treasurer's Report - \$205.98 in the bank

Membership

- membership drive in November, after the elections

- canvassing at three events:

The Green Project's Home Fair (November 13th)

Mirliton Festival (Nov 6th & 7th)

Farmers Market Festivus Holiday Market

- membership brochure should be updated to include date of first membership and expiration information (Dar)

Bond Update

- Wednesday is a big announcement by the Mayors office unveiling the bond (12 noon at Gallier Hall)
- Possibly send out email to friends and members announcing the unveiling (audrey)
- Executive committee members (DW, AW, MJ, ME) agreed that any funding for bikes at our original ask of 5% or more (~4.9 million) would be acceptable to MBC and that we will actively support the bond if it is included, provided there are no other offending proposals. An emergency meeting will be called by MBC if the funding level is 0-4.9 million dollars to discuss strategy.
- MBC will send thank you letters to our elected officials after the bond budget is announced (Liz)
- MBC will send out a press release on Friday in response to bond budget

Logo

- Jason will ask his brother for help with an MBC logo

Website

- Audrey will update website

Seabrook Bridge Incident

- Willis Ley (former NORBAC member) has already drafted a letter as a concerned citizen and will send it to city council members, and Times Picayune
- MBC should draft a letter to the Levee Board in response to the death of a cyclist last week (Musa)
- MBC will ask for time to speak at next Levee Board meeting

Fiscal Sponsorship

Audrey will follow up with completing fiscal sponsorship process for Urban Conservancy