

4-21-2025 WCCHCP Meeting Minutes

Attendance:

Orrville City Mayor Matt Plybon, Orrville United Way Jenny McFarren, Wayne County Health Department Elesa Eaken, Orrville Chamber of Commerce Dan Franks, Orrville Boys and Girls Club Josh Nolan, Anazao Jaime Shaw, Orrville City Schools Barbara Lorson, Job, & Orrville Citizen Kim Keith.

EE led the meeting & opened with introductions.

Playground updates:

Swing sets have arrived

Chains and Seats ship separately – should arrive soon

The rest of the equipment should arrive soon, but will probably not be in time for United Way Day of Caring. City will support the remaining installation.

Farmers Market updates:

1. Signs that were donated

- These will stay at the city
- Designated locations are to include – the Chamber, Buehlers, Lorson, BGC, Depot parking lot, United Way, YMCA, Wayne College

2. Crayons and Coloring books are in and A-frame design completed

3. Still looking for a Market Master, EE will be there to serve in place of for at least the first market.

- EE has reached out to churches to see if they are willing to volunteer

4. The Chamber will be setting up for passport drop off with “Buy Here, Thrive Here” campaign.

5. Depot park will be under construction after July 4th weekend.

- Orrville HS will need area for that weekend too and will need to ID alternate location.

6. Falls Prevention would like to organize a walk through the Famer’s Market and or new park. No date has been set as of yet.

7. Entertainment

- Currently no entertainment has been booked

8. Vendors

- We still have not heard back from the dog shelter
- EE will talk to Caring Canines – therapy dogs
- 9 vendors are signed up for the opening day
- Have not heard back from Otts Coffee
- Team in agreement to open vendor slots to local crafters – Kim will share with Lincoln Way

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- Promised donation are up to \$400 for market master

9. Grant for FY26 has been written and ready for Rittman activities

10. Grand Opening:

- EE purchased sidewalk chalk to kmark spaces
- Mayor and EE will map out space before hand

Next Meeting Date:

Monday, June 16, 2025 from 9:00-11:00 a.m. at the Orrville area United Way.