

**Minutes of the
QUAD CITIES RIVERFRONT COUNCIL (QCRFC)**

Tuesday, July 23, 2019, 12:00 p.m.
Quad Cities Chamber of Commerce
331 West Third Street
Davenport, Iowa 52801

Council Members in Attendance:

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| Mr. Larry Burns* | Ms. Jan Occhi |
| Mr. Ralph Heninger** | Mr. Jeff Reiter |
| Mr. Tim Huey | |
| Mr. Tim Knanishu* | |

* *Current QCRFC Officers*

** *QCRFC representative to BSRC*

Others in Attendance:

Ms. Tara Cullison
Ms. Jessica Brooks

1. **Call Meeting to Order.** Meeting was called to order by Mr. Knanishu at 12:02 p.m.
2. **Approval of the May 28, 2019 QCRFC Meeting Minutes.** A motion to approve the minutes was made by Mr. Heninger. Mr. Burns seconded the motion to approve the May 28, 2019 meeting minutes. The meeting minutes were approved unanimously.
3. **July Field Trip – National Weather Service – Quad Cities IA/IL.** Ms. Brooks, Service Hydrologist with the National Weather Service, presented on the fall 2018/spring 2019 flooding in the Quad Cities area and the role and services the NWS provided and can provide in the future. The NWS Davenport office works with the Regional Forecasting Center, which provides flood forecasting for the entire Upper Mississippi River Basin. NWS staff then push out forecasting information to local and regional decision makers. Ms. Brooks explained the weather and situational factors in chronological order that resulted in the record highest crest and longest duration in the flood stage at the Rock Island river gauge.
4. **Certificates of Appreciation Discussion.** Certificates of Appreciation discussion was tabled to allow time for questions to Ms. Brooks' presentation. It will be discussed at September's meeting.
5. **Meeting Time and Location Discussion.** Meeting time and location discussion was tabled to allow time for questions to Ms. Brooks' presentation. It will be discussed at September's meeting.
6. **Review QCRFC By-Laws.** Review of the Quad City Riverfront Council By-Laws was tabled to allow time for questions to Ms. Brooks' presentation. It will be discussed at September's meeting.
7. **Individual Riverfront Reports.** Member reports were skipped in lieu of the field trip.
8. **Next Meeting.** The next meeting of the Quad City Riverfront Council will be September 24, 2019.
9. **Other Business.** There was no other business.
10. **Meeting Adjourned at 1:10 p.m.**