Enhancement Meeting Minutes
9/6/25

Iris gave the treasurer's report: Income from the banquet was 31,601. Expenses were 8,522. Net proceeds were 23,079. We currently have 35,708.05 in the bank.

Crystal thanked everyone for their help and participation. The banquet was a huge success. Next year's Banquet will be Sept 6th, 2026.

Pros/Cons of Banquent: Discussion
*Very good feedback on the food.
*Some people were upset about the cancellation of desserts. We are thinking maybe next year to buy cakes from Sam's to slice and bag instead of asking people to make them.
*Everyone on the committee needs to sell at least 10 tickets so all sales don't rest on a few people.
*Taking tents down and putting tables up before the auction started worked out well.
*We discussed having a cut off date for ticket sales…maybe late Friday and let the caterer know how many plates on Saturday.
*Maybe block off the area for the caterer and ice cream truck on Friday night.
*Do we want to continue with the banquet? You can charge a $100 assessment fee and make 25,000. This idea was not popular.
*People are saying that we need to change the name of the banquet. Going forward,,,this will be called the Goose Creek Landing (GCL) Enhancement Banquet. We will remember Terry Andrews as the founder of the banquet.
*Do we want to send out a form for people to fill out to make suggestions of what they would like to be enhanced. We will include this in an email/fb post.
*Rob Baker will make new banners for next year for us to put up at the park. Nel will call to get this done.
*Set up a booth on Friday at the waterfront for people to come and buy last minute tickets. This will be the last chance to buy food tickets.
*Cornhole tournament success. 34 teams. People complained about no children in the tournament. We are going to suggest that a kid's tournament be held the same day as the pinfish tournament. (Chris will handle cornhole tournament communication for next year.)
*Sold 425 plates.
*The ticket process went well.
*Auction prizes - committee members should not be expected to donate to the auction. Have a deadline (August 21st) for auction donations and if we don't have enough…use some of our money to add more prizes. We would like to have at least 30 items.

Old Business:
*Thank you to Joni and Hal for picking up new poly wood chairs that are at the waterfront.
*Thank you to Danny for filling up the holes under the swings.

*Ginnie will get in touch with Mike Truelove about fans for the shelter. We are looking at getting spotlights for the front entrance to shine on the trees. Ginnie and Mark are looking into this project.
*Rocks at the front entrance. Joni discussed replacing brown rocks with white rocks to brighten up the front entrance.
*When will we begin building front entrance fencing to cover utility poles? We hope to start this at the beginning of October. Then we will work on the front entrance lighting and then we will look at replacing the rocks.

The next meeting will be Nov. 1, 2025.
We would like to encourage anyone in the community to attend in order to help with future projects and banquet participation.

The meeting was adjourned.