



Tuesday, April 12th, 2022, 7:30 – 8:30 am
Design & Placemaking Committee Meeting
Location: Partnership Office, 110 W. Main Street

Committee Purpose Statement: The purpose of the Design & Placemaking Committee is to lead projects and initiatives that will elevate the quality of public space throughout the communities of Stephenson County. The goal of the committee's effort is to 1) create inviting public spaces that are inclusive and attractive to all ages and abilities, 2) acknowledge and incorporate our shared history in placemaking and beautification efforts, 3) galvanize business, building owner and volunteer efforts to engage more locals, increase community pride, and maintain downtown assets.

AGENDA:

- 7:30 – 8:15 am: Downtown walk-around. Note trouble spots. Partnership will compile list.
 - Update from City of Freeport
- 8:15 – 8:30 am: Workplan Update:
 - **Main Street Accreditation:**
 - **Placemaking:**
 - Seasonal Plantings
 - Fundraising event: Back Country Roads Concert: Saturday, April 9th
 - Street Trees
 - Grant
 - Public Art Commission
 - Pocket Park update
 - Wayfinding Signage update
 - Banners – Elliot Graphix current repair banners/making new ones
 - **Historic Tour:** – next meeting, Tuesday, April 26th, 2022
 - **Clean-ups:**
 - Countywide Clean-up this week, April 10-17
 - Ongoing help via Probation Department

Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 10th, 2022, 7:30 am. Meet at Partnership Offices at 7:30 am.