Commission Report - March 5, 2024

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The following is my commission report for our regular meeting on 3/5/2024:

- I visited the Communications department Open House on 2/29 and was very
  impressed with the technology and ability for the team to integrate their efforts on
  combined projects. With both traditional and digital marketing techniques
  employed by the city it is increasingly important that staff specialize and hone their
  respective skills. This requires an increased need for collaboration and integration.
- 2. Attended the Pinewood Derby this past Saturday. Always a terrific event. Many kudos to the parents and scout volunteers who give our kids this kind of fun, leaning experience.
- 3. Attended the Spring Training Mingle event at Cool Today Park that was hosted by the city's Econ Dev team. Had the opportunity to speak with 2 companies who are thinking about locating their businesses here in North Port. Well done, Team!
- 4. Attended the Annual Employee Appreciation Luncheon and had a great time. Kudos to the team who planned and implemented this enjoyable event.
- 5. Met with a North Port resident who shared an idea for pumping mineral water from Warm Mineral Springs into a pool to enable bathing without potentially damaging the Springs itself. Encouraged her to get her team together and submit a plan to city manager and schedule a meeting with staff and city manager.