

Town Council Meeting Minutes

Sept. 13, 2023

Attendees; Mayor Jamie Yeager, Comm. Deb Bush, Comm. Kelly Carver, Jeannette DeLude

Public Attendees: Mr. and Mrs. Levengood

The meeting was called to order at 6pm

Minutes were approved as submitted

Treasurers report was approved as submitted

Public Works – No report

Old Business:

Blessing of the Planter – Mrs. Levengood gave the council a sample donation letter to use for the event.

A suggestion was made to do a poster contest for all the elementary middle and high schools to promote the event and to give a gift card to the teachers for helping promote it. It would give us free advertising and we could have local farmers judge the posters.

A suggestion was made to send the information to all the churches in town to promote it at their Sunday service.

Mr. Levengood suggested sending a letter to the Farm Bureau asking for donations.

A suggestion was made to hand out tote bags with seeds, honey samples, info on farming etc

The possibility of having a car seat installer from MSP was made– The Levengood's niece does this and may be able to come.

We could have a USDA inspector attend to give info on various farming regulations.

Ms. DeLude suggested we could ask FFA to set up info booth.

Other suggestions for the donation letter to be sent to Tractor Supply and Agri lab.

Painting and flooring – Joe Cleveland will be coming next week to do a quote.

Tables – Ms. DeLude ordered 8 tables for the Town to use at Fall Fest on Amazon

Fall Fest Update –

24 vendors including food vendors , bouncy house and basketball ordered, port a potty ordered, 2 for talent show, six student volunteers,

Comm. Bush asked if Joel McGinnis was doing a hay ride for Fall Fest this year. The Mayor said he would ask him.

It was suggested we have pumpkins to decorate but not paint – 200 needed – The Mayor will handle getting these.

The Mayor will get mums and the corn stalks for decorating the tent

Ms. DeLude will email Jamie Lynn about doing a sign #TheHub for our photo booth

Ms. DeLude will also ask Mr. Carver about borrowing the stage from the Fire Dept. for the talent show.

The Town will hold a volunteer meeting on Oct 3rd with a final planning meeting following

New Business – None

Public comment – None

Council comment – Comm Carver met with DHCD re town hall grant and Rauch engineering, They toured the building and got some background. It will be helpful for them in deciding about the grant.

TM report – approved

Sheriff report – approved

Meeting adjourned at 726pm

Executive Session

Motion to enter executive session at 735p Kelly, 2nd Deb

Reviewed attorney response to LOI from Chaney. Set up conference call with Mr. Yeager and Mayor. No Monday or Friday.

Adjourned at 757pm