

**Cascade Chamber of Commerce
Meeting Minutes 5/10/2022**

Meeting Attendance: 14 in person and 2 via phone

Meeting Start: 12:00 pm, Lakefront Bar & Grill

Meeting Minutes

Minutes approval for last meeting on April 26, 2022. Belinda motion to approve April 26, 2022 minutes. John second. All in favor. Motion passed.

Treasurer Report – No report

Secretary Report- No report

Welcome guests:

Bruce Maccoy, Verizon, Business Acct Mgr for our region introduced himself and encouraged everyone to contact him with questions regarding Verizon services. (208)631-1646, bruce.maccoy@verizonwireless.com

Chamber Office – Julie

Requested approval to purchase remaining Christmas lights for 2022 Holiday Main Street. Will purchase lights from Forever LED (same provider as last year). Kevin moved to approve light purchase not to exceed \$700.00. Belinda second. All in favor. Motion passed. John and Jeff expressed desire for light pole installation in front of Tackle Tom's. Discussion over topic took place. Julie and Mayor will get together and explore options. In the meantime, we will order extra Christmas lights for use at Tackle Tom's.

Media Assistant

On May 7th, had booth at "Experience Idaho" at Expo Idaho in Boise. Had a good crowd, will need to man the booth with two folks next year. Recommended Chamber attend a snowmobile/winter sports show in either Spokane, WA or Salt Lake City, UT. Sharon will research show options and associated costs.

July 4th Parade Theme, Grand Marshal, Parade Route - Tom

Theme ballot distributed for votes. Outcome will be announced at a later time. Mike Keithly was nominated as grand marshal. Scotty moved to appoint Mike. Second by Belinda. All in favor. Motion passed. Tom will contact Mike to confirm availability. Tom will speak with Sheriff Bolen and Kathy Hull about extending parade route just past Tackle Tom's along easement by Family Dollar.

Duck Race – Phillip

Planning to offer some sort of incentive to encourage folks to collect ducks at the South bridge. Duck race will begin on July 4th, 1pm, duck drop at KWP bridge. Duck sales will begin May 28th.

Fireworks Contract /Vendor – Tom

Securing firework display/contract in final stages. Need to confirm final cost. The Chamber will not be sponsoring any vendors for the fireworks. However, any vendors interested need to contact City Hall, State Parks, and BOR for vendor requirements, etc.

WCM Interactive Arts Festival –

No update.

Waterfall Project – Phillip

Phillip is meeting with Mike Powell, Valley Bait & Tackle to discuss timeline and work schedule to line up final materials and electrician to finish project. Can expect two working weekends with some volunteers needed.

Spring Fling (May 28th) - Julie

Donations are coming in and will be accepted through the morning of sale. Set up volunteers (7am-8:30am) are arranged, still working on take down volunteers (3pm-4:30pm). Belinda moved that Chamber purchase detour signage for the Valley Store (directly impacted by W Market St closure from 7am-4:30pm, Sat, May 28th) no to exceed \$200.00. Second by Tom. All in favor. Motion passed. Phillip motion to place a color ad in The Star News on May 19th, not to exceed \$270.00. Second by Belinda. All in Favor, one (1) opposed (Scotty). Motion passed.

E-bike Fundraiser – AJ

E-Bike Raffle: \$20.00 per ticket. Bike currently at the Cascade Hardware. On May 28th, will move to Spring Fling Yard Sale, and then Tackle Toms for Music in The Mountains event. Drawing on July 4th.

Hog Wild (Oct 22nd) – Scotty

Space for 150 folks. Maybe we can do a costume party. More details to follow.

OPEN FLOOR

Tackle Toms - Jeff

Planning a “Music in the Mountains” concert May 28th at 6pm. May 29th, Gospel Concert at The Roxy, 2pm, no tickets, donations accepted. July 23rd, Gospel Concert at The Roxy, tickets on sale now (\$50.00 each), doors will open 7pm.

Cascade Schools – Kevin

Graduation scheduled for May 28th, 1pm, at Kelly’s Whitewater Park (KWP) weather permitting. If too cold/wet for outside, graduation will be held in school gym.

American Legion purchase of Flags for July 4th Parade – Jack

Working on ordering flags (2,400 ea.). Will split cost of flags with Chamber. Will provide copy of invoice when available.

Next meeting, Noon, Tues, May 24th, at Lakefront Bar & Grill.

Meeting End 1:11 pm