

Milford Commercial Club Minutes

March 13th, 2014 | Catered by: Perkins

Board Members present:

Nick Origer, Chris Hinshaw, Susan Reiser

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Susan Schoning, Kelcey Mergen, Russ Mitchell, Beth Sorenson, Karleen Noteboom, Georgia Sheley, Gary Jansen, Roger DeVries, Mary Dannatt, Josh Sandbulte, Matt Skaret, Don Lamb, Ken Hansen, Sharon Mayer, Bobbi Schmelling, Jack Walsh, Russ Beckendorf

Meeting was called by Chris at 12:01PM.

Introduction of members present

Secretary's Report: Will be emailed out this afternoon.

Treasurer's Report: 79 members (3 New) Balance \$15965.24. Karleen made a motion to approve, 2nd Matt; Passed.

Chamber of Commerce Report: Georgia talked about Stacy leaving and a replacement needed. Upcoming RAGBRAI and Walleye weekend. Don mentioned that the RAGBRAI route are talking about is coming in and out of town on A34 and up and down Hwy 71.

Regular Business:

Pioneer Days: Chris, Dawn went to the park board to ask about inflatables. How much they would give toward them. Inflatables - how much insurance we would have to carry. Russ answered that you can't get premiums unless you know what you are buying and that the insurance is very expensive. He recommends no owning and just renting. Motion made to get a list of what to own and an estimation on insurance; 2nd by Russ.

Paid Position: Matt said there were 5 applicants for round 1. 1 male and 1 female to screen yet with a full interviews on all the rest. Estimated next week. Matt, Kevin, Dawn, Jack, Chris are on the committee.

Planters: Bids on planters will be taken. Roger - winter ones were just greenery, color costs more. Summer 5 different plants in each one if planted by Roger. Planted by may 20th. Roger asked to put bid in, will invite other bids

RAGBRAI: Ken and Matt on advisory committee. Effort led by 7 advisory committee members, 5 executive committee members, 19 sub-committee members for all areas. May 1 Campground registration opens. Needs volunteers. Will have an Okoboji Website. Can only accept housing registrations from registered riders. T-shirts are available. School will set up stands at the school. 4 major areas to camp - HS is one. Can't use City park. Cities might have ordinances. Homes offering welcomed. Cell phones may not work due to the amount of people. To feed people you will need to go through committee. Lasagna is a favorite-More than 1 line! Might want to think about breakfast on Monday morning.

Announcements:

Adjourn: 1:00PM Karleen / Ken