

Balancing Sheet for Cascade Chamber of Commerce as of February 11, 2019

Account No. 5980402859 Checking account has a Current balance is \$10,896.30

Check # 680 was written to Frontier to pay our phone bill in the amount of \$71.86 this check has not cleared yet.

Account No. 5980402859 Money Market account has a current balance of \$16,069.31

Date: 2/19/19

Meeting called to order: 12:03 pm

Number of attendees: 15

Minutes

Motion of approval of 1/22/19 meeting minutes- Belinda

Discussion- Jenni

Second- Patty

All in favor- yes

Opposed- no

Updates with Peppershock from Drew

There is now a slider on the website to show upcoming events happening in the area. There are also other accounts and ways to reach the public about Chamber events and happenings through Twitter, Facebook, Instagram etc. Any information that we have that we want to put on these media sources or the website we can and just email them. They have done a great job with the website.

Treasurers Report was sent from Pam via email since she could not make the meeting.

Secretary report- everything is up to date for this year and on the website.

Guest Tammy McCloud was sitting in on the meeting. She is a part of this years Leadership Academy.

We are currently raising Chamber dues. The dues run during the fiscal year which is a calendar year (Jan-Dec). There was discussion on the By Laws and what they state as far as changing the dues, if they have to be approved at the meetings or if the Board can approve them. The By Laws also state that during separate Board Meetings, those minutes have to be documented as well. Larry had mentioned pro-rating dues for those businesses or individuals who join mid-way through the year.

Patty- motioned to approve the raised dues

Belinda- seconded

Jenni- Discussion

Larry mentioned that we talk about and include the pro-rated dues in our next Board meeting. Bill agreed.

All in favor. No opposed.

The survey for businesses is attached to the new dues. We want businesses to fill it out in hopes of giving us good feedback on what they want to see out of the Chamber and Cascade as a whole. The Chamber wants businesses to benefit from being members by also giving them a chance to write bios, ads and promotions so we can put them on our website and other social media sources. Larry

mentioned getting a specific form for bios with questions that every business answers to streamline the process.

Upcoming Events

Fishing For Kayden was a success. They raised over \$3500 for Kayden. Kayden got to spend the day out on the lake and fish too. There were about 36 teams that had signed up.

Rec Center is starting their Find Your Fit program which will run until the end of March.

There are numerous Paint and Sips going on. One of the 22nd from 6-8:30pm at the CCAC and is \$10 per person and includes all materials. Another one is on the 23rd for Mom/Dad and kids. Also held at the CCAC.

The school is opting for a supplemental levy. The vote will be held on March 12th.

The City has been plowing snow a lot. They are looking for extra help in order to help the elderly or physically disabled who cannot shovel snow or get themselves out. It was brought up that maybe school sports teams could help out with this.

The City is also implementing an adopt a tree box program, and that you need to sign up to do so before May 3rd. There are 75 tree boxes with about 26 boxes that have been adopted already. They are planning on getting the drip systems fixed for the boxes, and also hand out suggested plants lists for those who adopt one. Business owners who have boxes in front of their business will have first priority on those before others can adopt them.

The Father Daughter Dance that happened at the Legion on the 16th was a great success! All kids had fun as well as parents and spectators. It was the 2nd annual event.

There is another Snow Golf tournament happening on February 23rd at the Cascade Golf Course. All proceeds will be going to Sally Grossi who is in need of medical assistance. Also, all sales at both the Lakefront and Valley Club that day will go towards the cause. Register at the Pro Shop.

The Events Committee for the Chamber is looking at doing a fishing tournament at the end of April. They are also looking at doing a Spring Fling Disc Golf Tournament at the beginning of May.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday the 26th at Route 55 café at Noon.

Meeting adjourned at 1pm.