



CHAMBER/MAIN STREET MINUTES –July 10, 2018

Present: Amie Johansen, Chris DeBack, Cathy Harris, Bob Sadler, Mike Johnson

Absent: Nick McIntyre, Cam Granger, Jason Knox, Sandy Klosterman, Adam Keller, Gail Hackman, Sam-FCED

1. Meeting was called to order at 7:05a.m. by President Bob Sadler.
2. Motion was made by Cathy, seconded by Amie, to approve the Agenda as presented. All Aye. Carried.
3. Motion was made by Chris, seconded by Cathy, to approve June minutes as written. All Aye. Carried.
4. Discussed adding a Utilities line and Training on the Financials, Motion was made by Mike, seconded by Cathy, to approve financials as presented. All Aye. Carried.
5. Discussed Green Spaces. Norm Einck has expressed interest in having his lot on E. Elm as a Green Space. Chris will continue to organize as it is an action item through 5-2-1-0 meeting.
6. Discussed getting a chip reader for the cell phone. Good Sam has requested to begin purchasing chamber dollars at \$200/month via their credit card. Reader is free, and can assess the fees to each customer. Motion was made by Chris, seconded by Cathy to approve. Square. Com is where we will get it from. Cathy will sign us up and order the reader.
7. Committee Reports
Promo – (Amie) 4th of July was rained out, so fireworks will be shot off on Tuesday, July 24th to kick off the Fair. Plaza will start July 12. Holy Name set up as the backup for rain.
Design & Business Improvement –Birdhouses are at Bob’s. He needs to get the list of businesses that asked for one and then set out.
Community Development - (Amie) Meeting was on July 6th at City Hall. Jason gave an update on the coupon books. Business pays \$20 and UIU will make the coupon up. Unionland, Neighborhood Closet and West Union Hardware are the only ones that have signed up so far. Nick will follow up with Stress Less on how the West Union video is coming. Started planning a BBQ Cook off in conjunction with NFV Homecoming for Saturday, Oct. 6th.
Organization – (Cathy/Mike) Golf tournament made \$2200. Dueling Pianos Nov. 24th – 3 tables reserved. Tickets are ready to sell.
7. **President’s Report** – Shawn Alber asked for our help at the Fair on Tuesday night to serve the meal. Bob asked everyone that can help to come and show our support to them. They would like help from 4-7pm. Sandy had her surgery on July 6th and is back at home, but in a lot of pain. Motion was made by Chris, seconded by Amie, to have Mike pick out flowers at Old Mill to send to her. All Aye. Carried.

8. **Director’s Report** – no report. Sandy on medical leave.

Chris made a motion to adjourn, Amie seconded. All Aye. Meeting Adjourned at 8:02 am.

Next meeting: August 14, 2018 at 7:00 a.m. at the Chamber/Main Street office.

Total Volunteer Hours to be Logged: 5 Hours Submitted by Amie Johansen

Mission: Investing in the Community by bringing people together to achieve a support system that seeks to promote business success, downtown revitalization, and a sense of Community Pride
Vision: Through Community Engagement, create a unique and prosperous downtown to enrich the entire business community of West Union and beyond that embraces History, Preserves Natural Environment, and Promotes Quality Events that instills a Sense of Community Pride