Frederic Area Chamber of Commerce





October 2, 2023, Chamber Minutes

President Shari Chadwick called the meeting to order 6: 00 pm.

Secretary's report: Rich P motioned to accept minutes as sent out, Rose H seconded, carried.

Treasurer's report: Rich P reported checks have been cut for the second half of last year's royalty and first half this year's royalty. Rose H motioned to approve reports, Anita L seconded, carried. Current balance \$ 5263.82

Unfinished Business

Budget: On-going, current financial reports provide accurate information.

Business After 5 Update: Rich reported about 12 people attended the first gathering. Possible to send personal invites to nonmembers. Next gathering at will be at Friendly Tavern. Will need a November host.

Mission Statement: Table until November. Check out Pine City Mn page.

Christmas in Frederic: Rose still looking at Friday December 1. Visit Santa, sleigh rides, choir to sing, Indianhead Chorus, hot chocolate served by a youth group, decorate depot, lighting tree with help from NW Electric, candy bags for kids, 5:30 visit Santa, 6 pm tree lighting, event to run from 5-7 pm.

Shop local coupons, reach out to businesses. No lighting contest this year, due to poor participation.

New business:

Any other business:

Next month agenda: Christmas update, November after 5 host, recruit officers for 2024.

No other business President Chadwick adjourned the meeting. 7:04 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Phyllis Wilder, Secretary

Members present: Shari Chadwick, Frederic Design; Phyllis Wilder, Frederic Lions; Rich Potvin, JA Counter, Anita Lundquist, SCRMC, Rose Houtari, Rose's Garden, Steph Williamson via zoom.