



Frederic Area Chamber of Commerce



February 7, 2022, Chamber Minutes

President Shari Chadwick called the meeting to order 7:01 pm.

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

Treasurer's report: Mike C provided the treasurer's report. No outstanding bills. Dennis C motioned to accept the report, Rose H seconded, carried.

Election of Officers:

Vice President: Phyllis W nominated Rose Houtari, Rose accepted, no other nominations. Voice vote taken all in favor, opposed none.

Unfinished Business

Christmas in Frederic: Winners of the coupon book chamber bucks are Roberta Hand, Jeanne Des Jardins, and Bob Beuc.

Membership directory: Rich reported that we are having been receiving updates. Discussion on amount to print, Rose H motioned to purchase 5000 at \$548, Dale C and Mike C, seconded. Carried.

Royalty/Pageant guidelines: Director has reached out to students at school for upcoming year. Recommend having director attend meetings for updates. Princess Chyanna Hochstetler attended the St Paul Winter Carnival in Scout's place. Night lighting for the float was done by the families.

New business

Tammy S reported that Frederic Arts will be hosting the Festival on the Gandy Saturday, August 20, from 9 am to 5 pm. They have emailed 67 craft vendors, and plan to have music and food trucks.

Dennis C asked about having a business district sign like other villages do, He will attend the next village board meeting on Monday, February 14.

Shari reported that the pavilion had been broken into, items stolen were recovered.

Committee updates:

Citizen, Business, Volunteer of the year: The committee will be checking with the Harlanders.

Family Days: Lahti has volunteered to oversee the parade. It will be on Sunday at 1:30 pm with line up at the elementary school and proceed down Highway 35 and end at the park. Plans are to have an announcer, Discussion on charging politician's participating in parade a few of \$50 with money used as awards for best band and best group. Discussion on having a 50/50 raffle, winner will have 30 days to claim prize. Family day buttons selling \$5 per button, award four cash prizes for to be awarded as chamber bucks. Advertise for design of buttons. Street dance will be on Saturday from 9-1. Fireworks on Friday night. Queens tea to start at noon prior to the parade.

Scholarship: The committee recommended that the scholarship be awarded to a Frederic High School graduate that has been involved in volunteering in the community with good attendance. The \$500 scholarship would be paid at the end of the first semester to the full-time student.

Next meeting: Monday, March 7, 2022, at 7:00 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 8:23 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Phyllis Wilder, Secretary

Members present: Shari Chadwick, Frederic Design; Rich Lee, ICCPA; Mike Callahan, Red Iron Studios; Phyllis Wilder, Frederic Lions; Dale Marx, Family Pathways; Rose Houtari, Rose's Garden; Tammy Seebach, Frederic Arts. Attending by zoom: Roxanne Howe, MK Howe Distributing; Leif Adams, Shell Lake State Bank; Kessia Adams, St Lukes Methodist Church; Krista Mattson, and Mattson Equine.