

THE WESTPORT AREA BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

October 17, 2017 MINUTES

ATTENDANCE: Sandra Billieu, Mark Koors, Jackie Elliott, Mike Gasper, Terri McGrath, Greg Watkins, Teresa Watkins, Bryan Gatewood and Bonnie Hahn

ABSENT: Diana Wildman

MEMBERS & GUESTS: Terri Jones, United Fund, Joyce and Roy Brindley, Cindy Gasper, Rex Mc Kinnley CEO of DCMH.

The meeting was called to order by Sandi Billieu, President. There were enough board members for quorum.

Bonnie read the minutes from the Meeting from September 19, 2017. Mike Gasper moved to accept the report and Joyce seconded. Minutes approved as read.

Teresa presented the Treasurer's report including the current balance and accounts receivable. October 17, 2017 report – Mike moved to accept the Treasurer Report and Jackie seconded. Report is ready for audit.

New Membership: Reached out to Meat Locker – kick stand saloon and left info.

Public Relations: With the wider range of 25 miles, Crier needs a larger area to be sent we need 4 new members signed up to offset that cost.

Main Source to close Jan 5, 2018 looking at getting a bank in Westport

Covered Bridge Video is complete

Healthy Fair sitting up Oct 27th 9A-11A need any help

Santa Village – Need Decoration and vendors

Main Street Westport asked for funding to cover the paint but they will paint the windows downtown. Mike made a motion to donate \$200.00 Jackie seconded Motion passed.

Veteran's memorial should be completed by next week

New Business: Loudon heating & cooling

YEARLY MEETING

Nominating Committee for three board member's and president –

Keep current board members and keep Sandra as President.

Sandra accepted the nomination

2017 President reviewed

- 8 New Member this year
- Several Donation to help the community
 - Rabies Clinic
 - Veterans Memorial
 - Covered Bridge Festival
- Westport Clinic reopening
- New owner to some local business Restaurant, grocery store, liquor store
- Helth Fair
- Tree Lighting @ 6:30PM Nov 25
- By Laws extended to 25 miles
- If anyone has ideas ask please don't be shy
- Gazebo is in need of some repairs and cleaning

Upcoming Events:

Health Fair and Business Expo October 28, 2017 - Need help with set up 9A-11A Friday Oct 28, 2017

Santa Village - November 25, 2017 4PM-7PM

Joyce made a motion to adjourn and Mike 2nd Motion passed.

Signed: Bonnie Hahn

Next Meeting November 21, 2017 11:30AM