Westport Area Business Association Meeting – Minutes

Date: Wednesday, December 8, 2021 6:00 meeting.

Call to order/Roll Call for Quorum – Board Members: Ila Cottone, Mark Koors, Bonnie Hahn, Bryan Gatewood, Barb Winchester, Jackie Elliott, Terri McGrath, Becky Tichenor, Joann Smith, Mike Gasper,

Committees:

Membership Committee Chairman Report – Becky Tichenor

Public Relations Committee Chairman(s) Report – Jackie Elliott/Barb Winchester

New Business Committee Chairman Report – Mike Gasper

Crier Improvement Committee: Ila Cottone, BonnieH, BryanG, BarbW, BeckyT, JoAnnS, SandiB,.

BryanG to ask Bonnie to bring several invoices from Crier printer to Jan 19th Crier Improvement meeting.

Current VP – Mark Koors, Current Treasurer – Bonnie Hahn, Current Secretary is Bryan Gatewood

Motion to keep current 2021 officers for 2022 - Terri $Mc - 1^{st}$, Jackie 2^{nd} , Motion carried unanimously

Meals for 2022 were updated. Bryan will send the new meal list to Lila, and Bonnie.

Meetings still on 3rd Wednesday. Crier Improvement 5:00, Meals at 5:30, meetings at 6:00.

Ila asked everyone to go look at the Business Association website <u>www.westportindiana.org</u> to be sure it is up to date and functioning.

Ila is still looking to get with Mark Koors about a grant for the WBA.

Idea for 2022 – Find a distressed property for sale and buy it, and get it prepped for improvement.

BSG made motion to adjourn, 2nd by TerriMcG – Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:55.