

Minutes of the Dallesport/Murdock Community Council **July 10, 2014**

Flag Salute

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm.

Roll Call was taken with 6 out of the 9 council members present. Anthony Rizzi, Gary Buffum, and Susan Martin were excused. There were 13 citizens in the audience.

Speakers: Chuck Covert and Rolf Anderson from the Columbia Gorge Regional Airport gave an update on the airport. Roads & utilities are in. The runway taxi project has been completed. A 12-15 thousand sq. foot flex-based bldg. is being designed, and will be located at the far end, near the runway. LifeFlight will lease about 40% of it. Groundbreaking to be within 60 days. They have talked with Fire District #6 and would like to have that station located at the airport. This would also help in getting FHA funding.

Jeff Baker introduced himself as a candidate running for Judge in the West Dist. Court, and of his qualifications. A lawyer for 27 yrs. And defense lawyer for 18 yrs. Current Judge Weisfield is retiring. Also running are Lizzie Hallek of BZ Corners, and Dave Brown of White Salmon.

Secretary -Minutes (Anthony): MM Elaine K., 2nd Jack K.. to accept the minutes—passed.

Correspondence: License renewal for 2nd trailer.

Reports:

Treasurer's Report (Renee): Bank balance is \$1398.66 as of June 30th, 2014.

Bills to Present: Anthony Rizzi \$50 for newsletter printing. Trailer License fee \$45.75. Show in the Shade fees \$40.00 Cash box money for Jammin' July Fest \$100.00. MM Elaine K., 2nd by Renee B. to pay-passed.

Ways and Means (Elaine): none.

Public Relations (Renee): Still in need of volunteers or ice cream sales.

Beautification (Elaine): None

Lyle School District (): none.

Dallesport Water District: (Pauline): Monthly meetings will now begin at 7:30 pm from now on.

County Liaison (Don): Jack K. talked about SR1. zoning change at property at NW corner of Gertrude St. between D and Central. 12 acres. Request to change to Single Family Res. (R-1)

Public Comment: Jess Jones, Postmaster wants input from community and has requested that we do a survey to see what P.O. hours would be preferred. Current hours are 10am-4pm. Proposed change would be 8am-2pm. A notice will be posted in the newsletter to contact Jess at Post Office to voice opinion.

The audience voiced that they thought that the airport people have been very supportive and have kept our community informed on the improvements at the airport. All in agreement.

Old Business:

New Business: Renee suggested that we sell ice cream at the Arts Festival in The Dalles on Aug. 23rd. She will check into the vendor application and fees.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:20 pm

Respectfully Submitted,
Renee Briggs, Treas.