

BLOSSBURG V.I.B.E.

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Blossburg Visions in Business & Entertainment Minutes of the Monthly Meeting March 22, 2017

Location: V.I.B.E. Office

Administration

- Minutes – Feb. minutes approved.
- Treasurer's Report: General Checking: \$574.84, United Fund: \$6206.46
 - Spent around \$400 in November/December on custom furniture for the V.I.B.E. Office
 - Spent \$191 with Tioga Publishing on an advertisement in the 2017 Landmark Magazine

Projects

- Bylaws - Tonya sent out a revision of the Bylaws for review. Heidi sent out another revision for review. Members will want to review the bylaw proposals for the next meeting.
 - Types of membership - Could we do a "Voting Member" and "Non-Voting Member" structure? Voting members attend regular meetings (last 3 meetings or x meetings a year). Non-voting members would be donation level based.
- Community Garden - Jackie brought a folder of information for Janet and Nicole. There are a number of maintenance needs that need to be taken care of: Street Light out (report to Penelec), Grape Vine needs to be cleared. Need a set of garden tools that are in good shape.
- Community Yard Sale - Add Momma's Restaurant to the Map & Coffee pickup location list on advertising. Possible future coordination efforts - Business Sidewalk Sale, V.I.B.E. yardsale in the office. We're extending this year's hours to 8 am to 4 pm.
- Partners - remove from agenda
- Branding - Transferred to the Borough for final implementation. Remove from the agenda.
- Business List Flyer - Do a small run to get updated information out there.
- Partnerships - Remove from agenda
- Fundraising - Need to create a list of community relations contacts for area companies (Shell, Keane, etc.)
- Economic Development - Remove from agenda
- Marketing - no update
- Freenet - Can we add a node to Decades of Beauty? Borough is ok with adding an outlet in the large pavilion on Island Park to add another Wifi node. This will help to fill in the gaps and get a better signal to the Pool.
- Office Needs - We'll look at needs as funds become available.
- Chambers - After further investigation of becoming a member of other town Chambers of Commerce, we identified that there were limited reasons and benefit to move forward with it at this time. We may look into it in the future. We do find the Tioga County Visitors Bureau to be a good resource.

News & Views: Deadline 5 pm, Saturdays – news@blossburg.org

Calendar and Community Sign: news@blossburg.org

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The next meeting will be April 26th, 6:30 pm at the V.I.B.E. Office.

Josh Jones

Secretary

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