

**BOROUGH OF TUCKERTON
PRIDE & CELEBRATION COMMITTEE
MINUTES: Wednesday – November 27, 2019**

The meeting was called to order by the Chairwoman Joanne McAndrew at 7:04 PM. The Open Public Meeting Act statement was read by the Secretary. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairwoman Joanne McAndrew.

ATTENDANCE:

Brian Martin	Doris Mathisen	Joanne McAndrew	Ryan McAndrew	Catherine McLearen	Christine Peterson	Mike Santo
Present	Present	Present	Absent	Present	Present	Present

ABSENT:

Ryan McAndrew

Recording of Hours:

Brian Martin	Doris Mathisen	Joanne McAndrew	Ryan McAndrew	Catherine McLearen	Christine Peterson	Mike Santo
30	5	50	Absent - 0	2	15	8

Approval of October 23, 2019 meeting minutes.

MOTION	SECOND	NAME	YEAS	NAYS	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
	X	Brian Martin	X			
X		Doris Mathisen	X			
		Joanne McAndrew	X			
		Ryan McAndrew				X
		Catherine McLearen	X			
		Christine Peterson	X			
		Mike Santo	X			

Old Business:

No old business.

New Business:

Chairwoman McAndrew stated “Ye Olde Christmas”. Mr. Martin asked what is the rule with lights for the banner. Mrs. McAndrew stated she was advised there are to be no lights or extension cords, and that the County would not be responsible if someone takes them or trips over them. A discussion on similar activities of the Seaport and Tuckerton Pride occurred. Ms. McLearen mentioned that as far as the conflict of the train, the Seaport would prefer if “Ye Olde Christmas” and the Seaport’s event were held on different weekends so there would not be that conflict. Mrs. McAndrew said the problem is that there is no communication; but there has been talk of changing the weekend. Mr. Martin stated the reason it was not changed was due to the availability of the camel for the live nativity. Mrs.

Peterson mentioned her intentions of decorating in the borough hall where Santa will be. Mrs. McAndrew stated she will get the two trees again. Mrs. Peterson said afterwards who ever needs a tree will have to pick up immediately after. Mr. Martin mentioned the two snow machines are not working. After researching the cost of new motors, he determined it cheaper to buy a new snow machine for \$89. The snow solution is \$150, but it evaporates so there won't be bubbles. He expects to receive it next week. Mrs. McAndrew stated Santa is from 3 pm to 7 pm in the borough hall, and 3 pm to 7 pm at the little borough hall will be free clam chowder and cookies. From 5 pm to 7 pm at the United Methodist Church is the live nativity and from 4 pm to 4:45 pm is the music inside of the church by the OceanAires.

Members Forum:

Ms. McLearen distributed The Tuckerton Seaport – Seaport Festivals 2020; Celebrating 20 Years!

Public Forum:

No public forum.

Approval of Secretary Services.

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		Joanne McAndrew	X			
		Ryan McAndrew				X
		Catherine McLearen	X			
		Christine Peterson	X			
		Mike Santo	X			

Adjournment at 7:40 PM.

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X		Doris Mathisen	X			
		Joanne McAndrew	X			
		Ryan McAndrew				X
		Catherine McLearen	X			
		Christine Peterson	X			
	X	Mike Santo	X			

Respectfully submitted:

April D. Elley, P&C Secretary