TUCKERTON PRIDE & CELEBRATIONS COMMITTEE

FEBRUARY 28, 2018

Joanne McAndrew called The Tuckerton Pride and Celebration Committee meeting to order on Wednesday, FEBRUARY 28, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. at the Borough Hall.

<u>OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT STATEMENT</u>: "Provisions of the Open Public Meetings Act have been complied with as notice was published to the Beacon and the Asbury Park Press, stating the time, date and place of this meeting."

<u>The following members of the Tuckerton Pride & Celebrations Committee were in attendance:</u>

Joanne McAndrew, Mike Santo, Doris Mathisen, Brooke Salvanto, Brian Martin,

Ryan McAndrew.

Welcome new member, Ryan McAndrew!

Bernie Gaffney is absent this evening.

Joanne McAndrew called the salute to the flag.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Brian Martin made a motion, second by Doris Mathisen that the meeting minutes for January 10, 2018 be approved. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of the Pride & Celebration Committee at 7:10 PM.

RECORDING OF IN-KIND HOURS:

The Pride & Celebration Committee recognizes their members' donation of time and knowledge of studies and research along with attendance of monthly meetings and available workshops /seminars. The following is for the month of JAN 2018.

Joanne McAndrew	50.0	Doris Mathisen	10.0
Brooke Salvanto	10.0	Bernie Gaffney	
Mike Santo	10.0	Brian Martin	5.0

OLD BUSINESS:

Doris Mathisen made a motion to table the fishing flea market this year, motion was seconded by Mike Santo. All in favor. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

Joanne said the date and time for the Easter Egg Hunt will be as follows: Saturday, March 31, 2018 at the Tuckerton Seaport. Registration will begin at 10:00am. The egg hunt will begin at 11:00am. Age groups will be ages 6 months to 12 years. Brooke will take care of sign up.

Brooke Salvanto suggested we have our next meeting on March 28th at the Hunting Shanty and fill the plastic eggs with candy during the meeting. This will be advertised according to the Open Public Meetings Act. Our meeting will begin at 5:30 PM. Brooke stated people calling the Seaport asked if there were nuts in any of the eggs. Pocahontas buys the candy and Joanne will tell them no Snickers or Reese's Peanut Butter Cups. Nothing with nuts.

Doris Mathisen made a motion that we purchase 3,000 plastic eggs this year. The cost is \$75 per 1,000 eggs. Brooke Salvanto second the motion. All in favor.

Joanne McAndrew asked for suggestions for a name of a person to be honored for our Arbor Day event,

Brian Martin nominated Chris Chiaro, motion was seconded by Mike Santo. All in favor, motion carried. Chris Chiaro was a member of the Pride & Celebration committee for many years.

The Arbor Day event will be held on Friday, April 27, 2018.

MEMBERS FORUM:

Pride and Celebrations Committee welcomes new member, Ryan McAndrew.

Ryan McAndrew discussed the summertime concerts and suggested Pride and Celebration could host a "Tuckerton Has Talent" for a competition of bands and other entertainers to perform during the Summer.

PUBLIC FORUM:

Mayor Marshall is present at our meeting tonight.

Mayor Marshall asked Pride and Celebrations members if they would like to include a "writing contest" for our Arbor Day event on April 27th. Members agreed they would like to include this contest. Mayor Marshall will attain permission from the school administration. Invitations will be sent to Chris Chairo's family, inviting them to the dedication.

INVOICE:

Doris Mathisen moved, seconded by Mike Santo, to pay the invoice of \$75.00 to Susan Maguire for Secretarial Services for the month of FEBRUARY 2018. It was so moved by the unanimous consent of members at 7:55 PM.

ADJOURNMENT:

Doris Mathisen moved, second by Brian Martin, that the meeting be adjourned. The motion was unanimously approved at 8:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Susan Maguire, Secretary
Pride & Celebrations Committee