



Almont Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors



Minutes – 17 July, 2019 Meeting at Maria's

Attendance: Members Present: 2019 directors: Christy Yarbrough, Andy Roosa, Jim Ligon, Michelle Belesky, Lisa Kniesteadt; Absent: Wayne Sutherby, Wes Wagester

- 1.) Opening and welcome at 8:40
- 2.) Approval of the Secretary's Minutes from June 2019 Board Meeting –Andy Roosa motioned to Approve as presented, Jim Ligon Supported **Motion Carried**
- 3.) Approval of the Treasurers report --Christy Yarbrough motioned to Approve as presented, Michelle Belesky Supported. **Motion Carried**
- 4.) Correspondence – Families Against Narcotics – inquired on hanging a sign, referring to DDA

5.) New Business

a. New Businesses in the area

Driving Range (Three Oaks Golf Center) was offered a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony - they respectfully declined but expressed willingness for us to hold an event there. Looking into possibility of an event in September

b. Networking Group -- Meeting location will move to Sippin' in the Mitten once they get opened.

c. Membership Drive – Set date of 08/14 2pm to meet & make personal visits to businesses.

- i. Jim Ligon motioned to offer Early Bird Incentive for rate of \$55 to include membership for the remainder of this year and all of 2020. Michelle Belesky supported **Motion Carried**

d. Upcoming Events

- i. Lunch & Learns – the Board decided to skip an event for August, and for September use a speaker available to us from the MI Chamber. Christy Yarbrough sent an email to check speaker availability. Tentative date set for September 10th, at Heather Hills
- ii. Heritage Festival – Sept 13th & 14th – discussion around giveaways, possible Cornhole Boards and a gift basket full trinkets/certificates from local business

e. Google Voice – Andy will record & update the VoiceMail

6.) Old Business

a. Music in the Park – Andy reported a successful turnout

- 7.) Adjournment at 9:38am