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Building for the Future

2021-2022 Officers

Chair – Mike Williams

Vice Chair – Matt Murray

Secretary – Holly Schmeltzer

Treasurer – Judy Emmons

19 August 2021

The meeting of the Montcalm County Republicans was called to order by Chair Mike Williams at 7:03 P.M. at the Montcalm County Administrative building. Invocation by John Johansen, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Executive Committee Members Present:

Mike Williams
Holly Schmeltzer
Judy Emmons
Ann Marie Wubbeling
Marty Posekany
John Johansen
Armon Withey
Mary Catherine Vierhielig
Ronald Vierheilg
Matt Murray

Others Present:

Amber Wubbeling
Bill Jaglowski
Denise Jaglowski
Pat Stuller
Jeff William
Angie Foli
Joe Hansen
Kim Hansen

Motion by John Johansen with a second by Armon Withey to approve the July 15, 2021 minutes as presented. Motion passed.

Motion by John Johansen with a second by Dawn Miles Armon Withey to approve the Aug 19, 2021 meeting amended agenda. Ryan Kelly was added to the agenda in place of committee reports. Motion passed.

REPORT FROM OFFICERS:

Chair:

Mike Williams discussed the republican booth and Danish festival parade time.

Vice Chair:

No report from Matt Murray

Secretary:

No report from Holly Schmeltzer

Treasurer:

Judy Emmons discussed that she spent \$150 for the booth for Danish festival and \$125 for the parade entry fee.

Ryan Kelly

Ryan Kelly spoke in regards to his race for Michigan governor and why he is running. He spoke and took questions on critical race theory, the Constitution, Alma zone board, and his Michigan 1st policy.

Old Business

No old business discussed.

New Business

Mike Williams is looking for suggestions and ideas for the Lincoln Day event.

UPDATE FROM ELECTED OFFICIALS:

Marty Posekany discussed zoning ordinances for Eureka township.

Armon Withey informed the group that MTA meeting on Aug 17 had a great turnout.

Judy Emmons discussed that the senate has group meetings discussing the Michigan budget.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Marty Posekany discussed all the Michigan billboards in favor of marijuana.

John Johansen wanted everyone to be aware that the Montcalm Advisory Veterans Board has an office now. This board can help veterans of Montcalm County.

Mary Catherine made comments on the critical race theory. She and her husband are also donating bumper stickers for the GOP party. They will bring them to the next meeting and have them available at Harvest Festival.

Public comment was made in regard to wind ordinances. Mike Williams clarified the mission of the party and encouraged those concerned about the wind ordinances to contact their local representatives.

Committee involvement and more social media presence was discussed.

Adjourned at 7:49 P.M. Motion by Marty Posekany with a second by John Johansen to adjourn. Motion passed.

Respectfully submitted,

Holly Schmeltzer — Secretary