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**Zoom meeting**

**June 19th, 2024**

**4:00 PM**

Participants: Debra Irvine, (President), Sue Todd (Treasurer), Barb Tabb, (Secretary), Becky Foote (Chair, Scholarship), Barbara Peterson (Chair, Publicity and Internal Communications), Jini Clare (Chair, Marketing/Social Media), Bill Peterson (Associate member), Al Bacher (Associate member)

**Call to Order**: 4:00 PM

**May 15th Minutes approved**

**Treasurer's report - Sue Todd**

Sue presented the budget. There were questions regarding the $63.21 expense under the category “Zoom”. Sue will research and report at next official meeting. Treasurer’s report is posted at the end of these minutes.

**Insulated bag sales update – Becky Foote**

Becky indicated there were no sales on the bags since the last meeting. There was a question regarding the bag that was given to the employee at Uptown and not paid for. Barb T suggested that it be a gift and to gift one to Cindy next time we use Uptown for our meeting. They accommodate us at their restaurant, and this can be an appreciation gift.

**Scholarship**

Thank you to Becky for volunteering to be Chair. Jini and Barb T will send emails to Becky on the original requirements and committee members. Theresa Eckert volunteered to assist. The Committee has the authority to make decisions on the scholarship requirements, but not the budget amount.

**Marketing and Social Media**

There was discussion regarding the ads in the SDN for 4th of July and including the Summit County Republican Central Committee (SCRCC) logo. Most agreed that SCRCC should pay half of the ad if their logo is on the ad. Jini will send an email detailing the cost for the ad to Mike Tabb, SCRCC Treasurer.

**New Business**

**Donations to non-profits and use of 2024 Scholarship fund**

There was a discussion regarding how to use the $1000 that was budgeted for 2024 scholarship but will not be used. Barb T suggested that she could create a document that would be accessible to all and begin listing donation suggestions to organizations. The link to the document could be shared and there would be a request for others to add to the list. Later, we can review and decide how to prioritize the money between the organizations. Most in the group felt it is important to provide publicity regarding the donations such as a press release and photos of Republican women presenting the check to the organizations. Debra volunteered to promote it to SDN. Jini volunteered to do the write up and photos. Barb T will create a document to begin tracking the suggested donations.

**Next Meeting**

Social at Barbara and Bill Peterson’s house July 17th 5:30. Bring appetizers and drinks. Barbara will send out details.

Meeting adjourned at 5:28 PM

**May Treasurer report**

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