

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES April 5, 2021 via Zoom

7:00 pm Call to Order by Sue Roethel, President. Attending: Patti Obrien, Vice President & Acting Secretary, Barbara Lake, Director. Absent: RoseMary Shaw, Treasurer and Acting Communication Director, Lindy Litwak, Director, and Tony Micciche, Director. Quorum confirmed to attend to business.

Tribute to Mike Parker, former CCA President (two terms from 2010-2014) presented by Marie Poinan. Mike's family also in attendance.

Sue Roethel mentioned the passing of Bob Stevenson as well.

CITY OF ROCHESTER UPDATES

Rochester Police Department Lt. Waldo

- 0 robberies, 3 stolen cars, 1 burglary and 1 break-in
- PCIC meeting will be 4/20/21
- Began to discuss procedure for Memorial Day Weekend
- ATV and dirt bikes address of owners of these vehicles have been passed on to Lt.
 Waldo

Fire House Captain Daly

- Many brush fires off the river walk trail. There is a statewide fire ban in effect.
- The department will be back on hydrant inspection
- The new fire boat will be coming soon and will be moored at the marina

NWNSC - Bruce Wilder

- Classes on ROC city business program for startup business and entrepreneurs will begin virtual classes from April 6 through May 20th. Info is on the City of Rochester website.
- A new restaurant, Jose Joe's is going into the old Harbor Hots building. Renovating for a spring opening.

City Council Jose Peo

- Legislation has been put together by Jose on the ATV and dirt bike issues but is not proceeding with the city. Jose instructs those having neighbor issues to call 311 or 911. Noise ordinance info is on the city of Rochester website.
- Financial Empowerment System has stated that the NW area is not utilizing them. Call 311 to get information.

Fred Keophetlasy (Representing Mayor Warren) will be attending our meetings. His contact information is 428.6749 and frank.keophetlasy@cityofrochester.gov

GUEST PRESENTATION

Chris Bauer, NYS Department of State for Costal Lakeshore Economy and Resiliency (CLEAR) Planning Initiative for Monroe County

 Monroe County region is putting together a committee. Sue Roethel will represent our area to bring our perspective. Website for this group is being developed by Bergmann Associates: www.monroecountyclear.com

NEIGHBORHOOD UPDATES / COMMUNITY CONCERNS



7:25 pm Open Session

Local County and State Representatives – Senator Jeremy Cooney

- The senator's representative, Carlos (Miranda) gave an update on the state budget.
- More money for upgrades to the Robach Center will be forthcoming.
- The number to call for help getting vaccine appointments is 225.3650.

Monroe County Legislator – Yversha Roman

- Worked in March with the LAYM to help youths in the juvenile system especially for mental health and substance abuse.
- "I love my County" contests. Youth under 18 are asked to submit artwork for this contest.

RCSD -Leadership Academy-Dr. Vaughn Collins

- Board member Barbara Lake is bringing 4H to the school and is looking for a location for a sustainable garden. Valerie DelVecchio has a connection for seeds and soil for this garden.
- Yversha Roman will be teaching Civics to the students at LAYM.

Churches -

OBPPC-Sue Roethel for Fred Amato

- Kite Flight is scheduled for Sunday May 16th from 12 4. CCA will sell hot dogs, kites, and drinks.
- Concerts at the Shore is still being worked out for the summer months.

Charlotte Lighthouse Historical Society -

Library – Pat Connor

• The Charlotte Branch is open Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 10 – 2 and Thursday from 10 –6.

BOARD REPORTS

President's Report - Sue Roethel: No new updates

Treasurer's Report –RoseMary Shaw provided a report:

- March starting balance was \$13,867.84 and ending balance was \$13,798.30.
- Sue Roethel reminded everyone about joining CCA.

Secretary's Report -Patti Obrien

• Updated General Meeting minutes and Board of Director minutes are in Dropbox for review and posting.

Committee Updates

- Beautification Linda Paruta (chair) Patti Obrien (liaison) gave Linda's updates.
- Business Alliance
- Communications
- Community Development update Sue/Lindy Working on updating the most recent information. There is no new RFP in the future.
- Governance –
- Membership/Sponsorship & Outreach
- Nominating- RoseMary –
- Programming & Fundraising –Patti Obrien Kite Flight on May 16, 2021. Patti to do the Food Handler Course and License and get Permit.
- Safety & Security update –
- Scholarship –Brian Labigan (chair) Patti Obrien (liaison) The information for 2021 scholarships has been posted and sent out to the area high schools.



Youth Engagement - Jonathan Hardin (chair) Barbara Lake (liaison) The information for the scholarships has been given to the students. 4H is beginning at LAYM. Canning and cooking classes will be provided by Cornell Cooperative, along with "farm to table" nutrition. The Rochester Marathon will be the third Sunday in September. Jonathan is waiting for the City of Rochester to update on Clean Sweep for this year. County Legislator Yversha Roman is doing a Civics class at LAYM to let the students get to know their government. Work to put together a page for youth on our website is ongoing. CYAA should be able to move forward this spring.

8:35 pm Adjournment

UPCOMING EVENTS – Mark your calendars please:

4/19/21 BOD Meeting, 6:30 pm, Zoom 5/03/21 General Meeting, 7pm, Zoom

5/16/21 Kite Flight 12noon to 4 pm, Robach Community Center

5/17/21 BOD Meeting, 6:30 pm, location TBD