

BETHEL PARK BUSINESS ASSOCIATION MEETING

April 19, 2018

Attendees: 13 attendees including Ashley Moore and Shawn Arbaugh representing the Municipality

Guest Speakers: Aaron and Tira Card, AFLAC representatives. Tira addressed the meeting on the need for employers to offer voluntary benefits. AFLAC offers policies for Accident, Cancer, Critical Care, Dental, Disability, Hospitalization, Life and Vision Insurance.

Minutes: Minutes from the March meeting were approved.

Membership: There are now 41 members of the Association. That is the highest number of members to date.

Communications: There were not many responses to the meeting notice for today's meeting.

Treasurer's Report: There is a balance of \$10,460.34.

Old Business:

Overlay District – until December 2019

Lighting Plan – looking at issues – there have not been many responses as to issues

Shade Tree Commission – meeting tonight about logo and mission statement

Storm Water – Tim will discuss with Greg

Website – has been updated with new members

Trash removal – no updates as to discounts for Industrial Park residents

Shredding event – Iron City is booked for all weekends. They charge \$225 per hour, with a two-hour minimum and three-hour maximum. Barb Peters of P S Wood Machines has offered to donate \$200 towards the expense and Diane Gregor from Ameri-Source offered to make a donation to help with the cost. The association would assume the remaining cost. We will send out a flyer that shredding is available to Industrial Park residents.

No updates on garden area.

New Business:

April 20 – Bethel Park Police Department versus Steelers basketball game

April 20-22 – South Hills Home Show at Cool Springs

April 20-22 – Book sale at the library

April 21 – Clean-up day

Thank you to Parking Lot Line Painters for volunteering to do line painting in the Industrial Park.

A walkway is being installed along Progress Boulevard from Wilamet to Miner's Park which will eventually connect to the Montour Trail.

The Municipality is looking for members of the Steering Committee. They will meet once a month from June to December 2019.

We will donate \$200 to buy two bricks at the Schoolhouse Arts Center.

Guest Speaker at the next meeting on May 17, Jason Staub – Energy Sector

Next Meeting:

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