

BETHEL PARK BUSINESS ASSOCIATION MEETING

February 16, 2017

Attendees: 13 attendees, including Ashley Moore representing the municipality

Guest Speaker: Rocco Spartano, of Streamline Network Solutions, addressed the meeting on the importance of cyber security and how to keep your information safe and secure. He advised using a different password for each social network.

Minutes: Minutes from the January meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Mike Bock was absent, so there is nothing new to report.

Membership Report: We have received at least 17 paid memberships since our January meeting. It is nice to see responses are picking up.

Old Business: Parking issues were discussed.

Barb will try to set up a date in May for the recycle event.

Noah, a student from Bethel Park High School, will be assisting with updates to the Industrial Park website. Thank you to Joe Consolmagno for coordinating this effort.

We are still interested in suggestions for making up "welcome packets" for new tenants to the Industrial Park.

New Business: Ashley Moore advised that a notice for the shade Tree Commission will be advertised in the Almanac. They are looking for volunteers, especially anyone with landscape experience. A Shade Tree Commission will be formed with volunteers appointed by Council.

There will be an upcoming work shop with the Planning Commission to discuss the overlay district for the Industrial Park.

Industrial Park clean up and planting day tentatively planned for Saturday, April 8. We will need to enlist volunteers. Maybe check to see if it would qualify as community service. Also, we should contact the Fire Department to assist. Matt will donate gloves for volunteers, and Ansley Virgin will contact Brookside Lumber about donating bags.

Consult with Joe Consolmagno about having a line painted on the road in the Industrial Park.

Steve Barczyk of LaFace & McGovern is retiring in June. He will be replaced by Patrick Wilson, who also was in attendance.

Matt Fischer informed us that the Bethel Park Business Association Facebook group is open. A mission statement will be posted soon.

Kevin, of Tri-Community South EMS, announced that they are offering a new class entitled "Stop the Bleed," concerning situations where bleeding is concerned and how to deal with it. They will do training on site or in house for small groups of five to forty. If anyone is interested, please contact Tri-Community South EMS.

Next Meeting Dates:

March 16

April 20

All meetings start at 11:30 for lunch, business meeting at 12:00