

Gladwin Business & Professional Association  
Meeting Minutes of 04-07-10

Meeting called to order by President Shannon Greaves with introductions.

Meeting Minutes of March 3, 2010 read by Debbie Good. Motion to accept by Lori Stout, 2<sup>nd</sup> Tammy Hawblitzel. Motion Carried.

Treasurers Report: Stout 61 paid members

Checking account: \$4,435.92

Shop Gladwin: 1,110.00

Festival of Lights 7,682.64

Savings: 7,915.07

Motion to accept Treasurers Report by Dirk Presidio 2nd Hawblitzel Motion carries

Budget presented by Stout. Motion to accept budget as presented by Hawblitzel 2<sup>nd</sup> Presidio. Motion carries.

Old Business:

a) Easter Egg Hunt: Stout chair – All went well, another successful hunt!

New Business:

- a) M-61 billboard: Gladwin County Fair, Gladwin Arts Council, Carriage Festival and GBPA have the opportunity to rent a billboard available west of town on M-61. Motion to participate with the other 3 assoc. at a rental cost of \$300 for GBPA's share by Presidio 2<sup>nd</sup> Stout. Motion carries. Scott Hawblitzel to do a mock up for the signage and report back next meeting.
- b) Carriage Festival: Bernadette Weaver presented on advertising for the festival. Motion for GBPA to purchase a full color back page ad by Hawblitzel 2<sup>nd</sup>. Sandy Doan. Motion Carried.
- c) Fun Days: Jolene Compton – Tabled
- d) Movie Night: Seebecks had been approached about the possibility of switching movie night from Monday as a result of discussion in a Retail Committee meeting. If this were to happen they would need assistance from the GBPA as currently they do it themselves. Discussion concluded best left on Monday nights.
- e) Retail Committee: Hawblitzel April specials presented and flyers available for those who wish to put in their business.

City Announcements: Bob Moffit

- a) DNR grant update: moving slowly through the system.
- b) MDOT – working on S. M-18 expanding turn lane.
- c) Water tower project has started
- d) Farmers Market: Grant to construct pavilion has been received. Will be placed on the City property behind the Historical Buildings.
- e) Playground Equipment: Shannon is in the process of writing a grant for the City Park and is requesting letters of support for the grant.

Business Updates by those present.

Motion to adjourn by Presidio, 2<sup>nd</sup> Tom Cummins

Next Meeting at Gladwin City Hall

May 5, 2010 @ 8:00 a.m.

