

**Economic Development Commission (EDC)**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**June 22, 2022**

**Present:** Chairwoman Terri Packard, Natoma Vargason, Tiffany Ahalt, Marie Oyster, Dana Healy, Tyler Hornbecker, Ron Humbel, Ray Hanson, Dianna Palmer, Glorianne Manley, Mayor Howard Long

**Guests:** None.

The Meeting was called to order at 9:13 am by Chairwomen, Terri Packard.

**Minutes** from April 27th were reviewed and approved by all.

**Treasurer's Report:** Ron Humbel provided the report – Motion by Natoma Vargason to approve; second by Dana Healy.

**Old Business:**

**Networking Breakfast:** Discussed that the September networking breakfast will be held during the hours of 6pm – 8pm located at Pathfinder Farm Distillery. Food truck and cash bar. In discussion to invite Leslie Hart, Agriculture business specialist.

**Boonsboro Promotion:** Received approval for \$32k budget supporting the EDC.

**South Mountain Jam/Food Truck Festival:** In discussion that it is suggested 1 food truck per 200 people. Currently have 10 trucks, recommended we look for 3 more. Discussing possible donors being Tri County Pumps, which Ron Humble suggested he would approach them. Glorianne stated she would discuss with Middletown Valley Bank a \$500 donation to possibly cover programming. Discussed placing stage & seating near pavilion 2. Discussed placing Tony M music workshop, K9, tie dye and hula hoops in pavilion 3. Tyler mentioned a possible

donation to the K9. After further discussion on the insurance for the garden pull, it was recommended that a waiver be signed for each entry and ask to wear a helmet.

**Appalachian Trail Community Task Force:** Suggested a possible event be held in the South Mountain Park. Tyler suggested he could place a “blessings box” / “trail magic” box in front of his office for the hikers. The task force is looking to create a safer passage into town.

**60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary JFK:** CVB expressed interest in being a sponsor. Discussed having an Arch Way photo option, something to commemorate the 60<sup>th</sup> year. Having a spaghetti dinner at the Legion was also shared for this event.

**New Business Activity:** Mayor shared that Dunkin Donuts is still waiting on their permits. No new updates on Highs yet.

Terri discussed forming possible sub committees on opposite months (i.e Marketing, etc..)

Meeting Adjourned.

Submitted by

Glorianne Manley, Member