

## **Harrington Area Chamber of Commerce**

**September 12, 2018 Minutes**

The Harrington Area Chamber of Commerce was called to order at 12:02 PM by President, Tim Tipton. Those individuals present were: Paula Harrington, Cindy Haase, Bunny Haugan, Heather Slack, Anita Smith (representing Cade), and Geoff Talkington

August's minutes were approved as recorded.

Treasurer's report - \$8,542.04 Balance. Approved unanimously.

### **Old Business**

Cindy reported about the Chamber Member window stickers. The Mock-up using New Times Roman font was voted on and approved.

Fall Festival 9/22/2018 –The beer garden permit is in place. The insurance for the event should be under \$200 per Cindy. Paula made a motion to spend \$500 for the beer and cups, Cindy seconded, approved unanimously. Tim will confirm with Austin that he'll have enough stock on hand.

Tim and Cindy announced that Amazon Smile is now live for the Chamber. .5% of eligible purchases will come back to the Chamber.

The Fall Clean-up day will be 9/21. The 7<sup>th</sup> thru 12<sup>th</sup> grades will come down at 11:30 to eat and then clean downtown. Paula will cover the Park with the Grade School children, beginning at 12:30 PM. Cindi was sending 100 cookies to the school for the children as a thank you.

### **New Business**

Chamber Fundraiser – Country Backroads and Small-Town Treasures, (suggested name). Heather presented an update of the map designed by Leslie LePere. Some of the locations on the map will be lakes, creeks, camping, hiking, horse friendly areas.

October Yard of the Month – Glen and Nancy Egnew. Cindy mentioned sending out notes to people who have improved their yards. Cindy suggested doing a \$25.00 drawing at the end of the season for those who have improved their yards, Further discussion will be had before deciding.

### **Open Discussion**

Paula asked if the Chamber would like to donate to the Harrington Panthers Trap Shooting Club. It was discussed and agreed that we'll pass on donating. We will however wave the vendor fee for Fall Festival and Cruizin' Harrington. Cade Clarke will monitor the Chamber Booth while hosting the children's games in the Park. The Elephant Ear vendor will arrive on Friday night and stay at the RV park. The HOHs will be holding a Rummage Sale on Friday from 12 – 4 and Sat. from 9 – 4. Meeting adjourned at 1:05 PM

**Next meeting on October 3, 2018, 12:00pm Location: The Post & Office @ 2 S. Third St, Harrington, WA**

**Paula S. Harrington**

**Chamber Secretary**

Minutes to be approved at the October meeting.