

## **KEYPORT IMPROVEMENT CLUB MINUTES – JUNE 11, 2019 – MERCANTILE**

**MEETING CAME TO ORDER: 7:03 PM**

### **BUSINESS MEETING:**

**Welcome and Introductions** – Around the room introductions – 25 people in attendance.

**MINUTES** of the APR 9th, and May 14, 2019 meetings – Were approved as posted.

**Treasurer's Report:** Jason Ward – Current Bal. = \$ 11,784.44

### **OLD BUSINESS**

**OFFICER ELECTION** – Current Officers will remain in office.

**Committee Reports:**

- **Park Committee – Doug Chamberlain**  
**Meeting June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019.**

**Saltwater Park:**

**Dedication of the new bird identity sign at Saltwater Park was Thurs., June 12th at 2 PM.**

**Representatives from the Audubon Society, Kitsap Parks, and the sign designer will be there.**

**A motion was made and approved to reimburse Karol Stevens for the \$50.00 gift card she bought for the sign designer.**

**Deborah DuBois accumulated 15 more weed bags.**

**More help is needed for watering the new plants so please contact Peg Garrison at 360-598-6787 or [1956pgarrison@gmail.com](mailto:1956pgarrison@gmail.com)**

**Central Park:**

**Sprinkler System and hedge work are still waiting for approval from the county. Milt Meeds will continue to water for the summer until county approval has been made. The County will help with the hedge removal but not until the fall so nothing more will be done until later this year.**

**The large cedar tree is looking better but may need some trimming of the dead wood at the top. May need to discontinue lighting it for the holidays, a decision for the future.**

**Chris May is going to have the cleanup crew work on the rain garden areas soon.**

The community has an agreement with the county that we will do the weeding at Central Park. Wednesday is the designated day to help with that around 10 AM.

- **Emergency Preparedness – Karol Stevens – Sat., June 15th is the practice drill for team leaders for their sections. The updated community disaster plan will be distributed at this time.**  
They will be opening both emergency sheds and walk door to door with the search and rescue bags to see what improvements need to be worked out.
- **2019 Fest – Flo Schule – Money coming in from sponsors. She has met her goal with sponsor contributions. Doug Chamberlain has several bands lined up and Peg Garrison has some new vendors this year. Peg has Festival business cards if you know of a special vendor or a company to sponsor us.**  
This year it's \$30.00 for a vendor booth and \$3.00 for the non-profits.  
They are waiting for Navy approval for the parking lot at the museum.
- **Port of Keyport – Gene Warden – Gene and the engineer will sign some plans on June 12<sup>th</sup>. They will be advertised to the contractors Monday. Will have bids the 1st week of July. The funding source, RCO will meet the 24<sup>th</sup> of June for funding approval. We have an emergency permit to replace the ramp but no permit for the handicap upgrades yet. Work will probably start after the Fest.**
- **Road Traffic Calming (Speeding Control) – 4 way Stop signs or speed bumps won't work. Speed cables are set for 35 miles per hour which doesn't help our area. The Sheriff's Dept. will loan us a small monitor but requires someone to stand with it. This would also require locking it up at night. Traffic Engineer, Jeff Shea will provide a contact for the Sheriff's Dept.**
- **Kitsap County Yard Waste/Compost Pickup Update – Fliers will also be distributed on June 15<sup>th</sup>. Rob Gelder has asked us to sign up if we're interested. The county wants to know what the interest is as Waste Management won't provide right now.**

#### **ONGOING PROJECTS:**

- **Storm Drain Art Project Status from Meeting on June 6<sup>th</sup> – Judy Kelly**  
The artists will potentially start painting their designs on July 17<sup>th</sup>. Copies of the selected designs were shared at the meeting.
- **Garage Sale – Claire Ward – June 21 & 22 – 8 AM – 2 PM – You can bring your items to the Continental Bldg. parking lot Friday morning or sign up at the post office to have**

your own private sale. A map for the private sales will be created which will include copies for the church. The church advertises in the newspaper and will include the town sale.

A signup sheet was passed around for anyone interested in helping Claire.

- **4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY Pancake Breakfast Signup Sheet – Peg Garrison - 8 AM to 11:30 AM - The parade starts at 1 PM. Popsicles after the parade at Central Park. There is a raffle drawing, buy your tickets at the breakfast. If you want to donate something for the raffle, contact Peg at 360-598-6787 or 1956pgarrison@gmail.com**
- **Mutt Mitt Replacement Bags – Judy Kelly**  
Sharon and Ken Matthews have volunteered to maintain the stations. Bags have been provided to them and they've recently checked and filled as needed. We thank them for helping our community!
- **Pastor Chinn inquired about a mutt mitt station for the church yard for the people who bring their dogs so they will pick up after them. Gene Warden advised that Amazon has the stations and that KIC will have another holder in the future at the corner of Poulsbo Ave. by Casa Mexico.**

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

A motion was made and approved for authorization of \$481.40 for the KIC portion of the emergency community meals that were packaged on June 1<sup>st</sup> at the Keyport Bible Church.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Stiles St. has been marked in prep for the stormwater improvement work to begin.

Household Hazardous Waste on Bainbridge Is. June 15<sup>th</sup> from 10 AM to 4 PM.  
Located at 7305 NE Hidden Cove Rd., Bainbridge Island

**UPCOMING EVENTS:** A summer events list was created by Peg Garrison and will be distributed via email with links for the events.

**ADJOURNED: 7:50 PM**