

**TOWN OF MAYNARD**

**Sesquicentennial Steering Committee Minutes**

**August 31, 2021 6:00 pm**

**Remote Zoom Meeting**

**Call to order:** 6:03 pm

**Attendees:** Molly Bergin  
Paula Copley  
Lisa Dahill  
Ellen Duggan  
Dave Griffin  
David Mark  
Biz McConchie  
Lindsay McConchie  
Jen Picorelli

**Guests:**

1. Approval of Meeting Minutes

**Motion to approve the August 9, 2021 Minutes: Molly Bergin, seconded by Ellen Duggan. Approved 6-0.**

2. Duck Pluck Debrief
  - Event was successful with a good turnout. Raised approximately \$2,400. Beacon-Villager covered the event.
3. Parade
  - Participant list was reviewed.
  - There will be seven divisions with each division led by a band.
  - Approximately 45 groups participating.
  - Will use a text chain for volunteer communication. Will create a 150<sup>th</sup> text group for the event.
  - Volunteers are needed for the parade!
  - Reviewed line-up and parade route.
  - Honored Guests
    - Can use the space in front of Sanctuary.
    - A reviewing area in front of Sanctuary with bleachers was not feasible.

- Selling Swag
    - How can we get someone to sell swag at the parade?
  - Signs
    - Will need to approve cost for windshield signs for the parade.
    - Motion to approve no more than \$600 for signs for the cars in the parade: Paula Copley, seconded by Lisa Dahill. Approved 9-0.
  - Advertising the Parade
    - DPW will post parade information on sign at the Boys and Girls Club of Assabet Valley.
    - Town Hall will put the information on their sign.
    - Lindsay has reached out to Greg Johnson and Megan Zammuto regarding a reverse 911 to inform people about the parade.
4. Fireworks
- Green Star Herbals have offered to sponsor the fireworks on October 2, 2021.
  - Need final approval from the Select Board. Will be presented at the September 8<sup>th</sup> meeting.
  - Need to approve \$8,000 for fireworks. Motion to approve \$8,000 for fireworks: Molly Bergin, seconded by Lisa Dahill. Approved 9-0.
5. Maynardfest
- Will use the booth at McWalter Insurance to sell swag.
6. Garden Club
- We have been asked to participate in the town clean up on September 11. If interested, let Jen know.

**Motion to Adjourn: Paula Copley, seconded by Molly Bergin. Approved 8-0.**

**Next meeting September 15, 2021 at 6:00**

**Meeting Adjourned at 7:00 pm.**