

BETHEL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

Minutes of 1/2/2008 Meeting

Chair Kirk White opened the meeting at 6:43 at the offices of Paradigm Consulting. The minutes of the prior meeting were read and accepted.

Old Business

Home & Garden Show: Matt has received 1 reservation already for a space for the show.

Bethel Banner System: Nick is meeting with a banner company this week and will have a report at the next meeting..

Welcome Sign Restoration: Nick will also be meeting with the sign painter this week

Mixers: No response yet to Kirks email to members.

Legislative Breakfasts: Neal has agreed to moderate again this year and has a representative from Sen. Patrick Leahy's office that may speak at the January 28th Breakfast.

Fort Fortitude: Heidi and Nick are researching the historical facts of the Fort. (NOTE: subsequent to the meeting, the Selectboard members directed Del Cloud to apply for a grant from Dubois & King to redesign the Fort Fortitude area)

Annual Meeting: Kirk has reserved the school.

PR Seminar Fundraiser: Jamal presented the draft of the info sheet and registration form for comment. Everyone agreed the information looked great. Jamal recommended that all monies received for the seminar should be handled directly by the BBA. He will make final changes and email the info to the members this week. The seminar is scheduled for January 31st from 9 –2 at the Paradigm building.

New Business

Nominating Committee: The formation of the committee was again tabled.

The next meeting will be January 17, at the Paradigm Consulting building.
The meeting was adjourned at 7:14 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rick Benson, Acting Secretary