

BETHEL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

Meeting of 9/20/2007 Minutes

Kirk White opened the meeting at 6:38 at the offices of Paradigm Consulting. The minutes of the prior meeting were read, revised and accepted.

There was no report from the Treasurer.

Old Business

The BBA inventory list will be prepared for distribution at the next meeting for possible additions to be located & added.

Heidi reported that the fee for the flower baskets will be less than anticipated resulting in a carry over of some seed money for next year. She will be talking with the Fire Department to ask for assistance in removing them in a few weeks.

Ellen brought a completed "welcome booklet" for the member to view. Those attending comment favorably and commended Ellen for her good work.

The members voted to authorize the purchase of new lights and additional wreaths for the holiday decorations.

Possible candidates to head up the spring Home Show were discussed including Mel & Matt Washburn, the girls from Dandelion Acres, and Carla Hodgdon.

The downtown parking lot clean up will be Saturday, Sept 22 starting at 9 am.

New Business

Mary Anderson from Lympus is the new Bethel Reporter for the Herald of Randolph.

A work night to prepare the holiday decorations was discussed. It was determined that we will use the second meeting in October for this and will ask Mary Floyd if the Brick Store building might be available. Rick will check into this. In an effort to attract additional help it was decided to include a pot luck desert and coffee night at the same time.

A possible fall event for 2008 was bantered about with one mention of an apple fest gaining a few favorable comments. Keep the ideas coming!

The next meeting will be October 3 at the Paradigm Consulting building.

Respectfully Submitted,

Rick Benson, Acting Secretary

