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**MINUTES OF THE COMMUNITY RESOURCES COMMISSION**  
**March 8, 2017**  
**7:30 p.m.**  
**Vogt Conference Room**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting of the Community Resources Commission was called to order by Reta Brudd at 7:34 p.m. in the Kallsen Center.

**ROLL CALL**

Present and responding to roll call were the following:

Chairperson: Reta Brudd  
Members: Don Budny  
Ron Centanni  
Mike Cutrano  
Janet Czuchra  
Joe De Nova, Assoc. Member  
Logan Enright, Assoc. Member  
Garrett Gray  
Deb Melchert  
Sheri Reiplinger  
Mike Sevier  
Al Siegers  
Barbara Rose Whalen  
Denise Maly-Politano, Commission Secretary

Absent: Brian Younker, Assoc. Member  
John Carey, Assoc. Member  
Brian H. Younker, Village Trustee  
Donna Framke, Staff Liaison

**APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

Motion was made by **Don Budny**, seconded by **Deb Melchert** to approve the agenda as submitted.

**MINUTES**

Motion was made by **Janet Czuchra**, seconded by **Barbara Rose Whalen** to approve the minutes of the February 8, 2017 meeting as submitted.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

**Reta Brudd** received an invite from Vicki Sanchez. Any employees interested in participating in the parade can ride or walk on the village float.

## **OLD AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

### **Studio**

**Reta Brudd** reported the Studio has a new backdrop for the Chamber. The Studio will also be taping the upcoming St. Patrick's Day parade and the Brew & Vine event.

### **Youth in Government**

**Reta Brudd** stated there was a wonderful article in *The Junction* reporting on Youth in Government. She thanked **Ron Centanni** for another great job planning another great event. All participating students did a great job.

### **Discover Tinley**

**Al Siegers** stated he received the Special Event license. He is communicating with vendors and working with **Denise Maly-Politano** to complete the reservations. Al also stated that we are using the convention center for the pipe and drape this year. We will also be allowed to set up a committee room. Al also inquired about the status of flyers being printed that we can distribute at various locations in the village to advertise the event. **Denise Maly-Politano** will check with **Donna Framke** to see what the copying status is.

**Reta Brudd** asked **Denise Maly-Politano** to check with Pat Carr/EMA regarding set-up that morning.

**Ron Centanni** stated that the train display may be larger this year and the members will need to set up the night before. **Al Siegers** did not see a problem with that.

**Garrett Gray** confirmed with Rex from the Star Wars group. They will be there and they have a great line-up. They will need a dressing area like last year.

**Reta Brudd** stated that **Barbara Rose** Whalen will work the front desk as Sheri Reiplinger is not able to attend this year due to her work schedule. We should be able to set up late Friday afternoon if anyone is available to help with signs and final set-up. **Janet Czukra** and **Mike Cutrano** will coordinate the committee room. **Don Budny, Ron Centanni, Mike Sevier, Brian Younker, Garrett Gray** will be working outside. **Joe De Nova** will work the TV.

**Ron Centanni** is once again looking for student volunteers at 7:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. to help vendors. If anyone has any leads or contact information, please provide the information to him. Last month, **Donna Framke** suggested offering a stipend to the groups that might be interested in helping.

**Reta Brudd** stated we can give the color guard group and the Boy Scouts a small stipend **IF** they work from 2:30 to the end and provide enough volunteers to help. They will also need to complete a W-9 in order to receive payment.

**Reta Brudd** inquired if the police will be bringing their police dog. **Deb Melchert** inquired about PAWS and if they will be doing microchipping. **Denise Maly-Politano** will find out.

**Denise Maly-Politano** reported entertainment set is Fun, Fun, Fun; TNT, Dance Images, Mr. D and Tinley Park High School choir.

**Scholarships**

**Don Budny** stated all scholarship packets were delivered to the schools. Applications are due back April 1<sup>st</sup> at 1:00 p.m. He wants to get the packets to the judges by April 7<sup>th</sup> and have the scholarship presentation on May 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**New Business**

No new business.

**Good of the Order**

None.

**Comments from the Public**

No public, no comments.

**Adjournment**

There being no other business, a motion was made by **Don Budny**, seconded by **Barbara Rose Whalen** to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 8:41 p.m.

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