



These minutes were respectfully submitted.

Ashley York, Village of St. Joseph - Council Member

Approved, July 21, 2023

**COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**

(July 12, 2023, Canceled)

**JULY 19, 2023**

**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER: 6:30PM**

**ROLL CALL WAS TAKEN:**

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS:**

MIKE PETERS, PRESIDENT	PRESENT
JIM WAGNER	PRESENT
ERIC BUZZARD	ABSENT
ASHLEY YORK	PRESENT
NORA MABERRY	PRESENT
KENNY SCHROCK	PRESENT

**VOLUNTEER MEMBERS:**

TODD WOODS	PRESENT
JOHN DWYER	PRESENT
STEVE DONBERGER	PRESENT
GARY GANNON	ABSENT

1. Discussion of vendors. We have a few less vendors than we did last year, but we are still getting more in as days go by. There have been some vendors that have asked for the same spot as last year, but we cannot guarantee that. It will depend on who needs electricity. We will always do our best.
2. Schedule- First draft. We briefly talked about last year's schedule; however, we need to get a first draft completed tonight. Everything will take place at the Sports complex, apart from a few items. Those Events will be highlighted in a different color on the schedule to differentiate.
3. Briefly discussed parade, and the end route. Mike will get back with us if the high school will be done with their parking lot construction.  
Also, preferably, People should be filling out parade forms if they want to be in the parade for tracking purposes.
4. Finalized the events Radio and Facebook advertising. We have never done Facebook advertising before. Wagner has been in contact with the radio station and will get that rolling in the next week or so. Ashley will speak with Joe on how to proceed with Facebook advertising payment. The village does not handle the festival Facebook page, so we need to figure out the best way to pay for that advertising. We have allocated money for that. The first choice is to use the village credit card. The second option is to use someone else's and the village can reimburse that person.
5. Jim asked if Ashley can also be an admin on the Festival Facebook page to help Nora. Old admins were Nora and Angela Page. Angela is no longer on the committee. But still an active admin on the page. Jim is asking if Nora needs help, Ashley could help. Ashley co-runs the Village Facebook, and these Facebook pages are not tied together.

**Meeting Adjourned 7:30pm**