

MINUTES
June 3, 2020
New Carlisle Business and Community Association

Virtual Meeting called to order at 1 PM by President Joyce Forbes.

Members present: Below

Town Update: Town President Marcy Kauffman reported that there were a number of items before the board with personnel being a priority. Craig asked about the sidewalk improvements and Marcy indicated Zigler St was one of the areas for work but did not have the exact dates.

Hometown Days: Kim Vaundry indicated the committee was still anticipating having a festival, but were awaiting direction from Governor Holcomb regarding what phase of Re-opening Indiana might be in by that time. A decision may be made by their next meeting of June 16.

Historic New Carlisle: Dana Groves has selected Saturday, July 18, Noon as the official Ribbon Cutting date for their new location. NCBCA will be part of the ceremony and Joyce encouraged all to attend.

Discover New Carlisle: Joyce reported that the Discover board has been forwarding information from OCRA regarding webinars available for business owners.

Other Items of Interest: Dr. White indicated he is considering various scenarios that may have to be in place for the upcoming school year including the smaller number of students allowable in the buildings and buses, based on direction from the state. This would open more e-learning during regular class time. This is not definite, but with social distancing, he is responsible for finding solutions to any possible restrictions.

Program: Bill Schalliol, St. Joseph Economic Development Director, gave an update regarding the projects around St. Joseph County with particular attention to the IEC. A copy of the power point presentation will be available to all members as well as on the County website: <http://www.sjcindiana.com/1789/Public-Presentation-Information>

Bill also indicated the importance of Census counts for economic development purposes. He indicated that work on the ChoiceLight dark fiber would begin soon and the county was adding the loop west to Bray Street.

Next Meeting: Joyce corrected the date from the agenda: next meeting will be July 1, and we plan to have a "Picnic in the Park".

Adjourned: The meeting adjourned at 1:55 PM.

Attendees:

Sam Colalillo, American Legion Post 297
Peg Adams, Adams Music Studio
Marcy Kauffman, Feeney's and Town Council
Trudy Menke, Reframing Leadership
Chris Marbach, Marbach-Palm, Inc
Mindie Colanese, 1st Source Bank
Kim Vaundry, Hometown Days

Rosie Michaels, Coldwell Banker 1st Choice
Dr. Paul White, New Prairie United School
Corp
Joyce Forbes, Community Member
Craig Langhofer, Edward Jones
Henry Timm, Phantom Technologies
Bob Humbarger, Community Member
Bill Schalliol, St. Joseph County