

**CITY OF CAYCE
EVENTS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
City Council Chambers
August 12, 2021**

Present: Danny Creamer, Maxine Creamer, Dwede Dennis, Robert Cathcart, Dave Capps, Cindy Pedersen, Evony Reed, Alexis Moore, Johnathon Moore

Absent: Brianne Siciliano

City Representative: Amanda Rowan

Review of Minutes: July 12, 2021

Chairperson Danny Creamer called the meeting to order. A correction was made to the July minutes. Dwede Dennis and Evony Reed are sharing Emcee duties for the Fall Fest and Johnathon Moore is running the stage. Cindy Pederson made a motion to accept the minutes as corrected. Robert Cathcart and Dave Capps seconded. Motion was passed unanimously.

Fall Fest:

Dave Capps updated the committee that all major parts of entertainment were booked. He then briefed the group on the Buffalo Soldiers having met Mayor Partin and showing interested in having an information booth at the Fall Fest. Cindy Pederson requested that any fees for the booth be waived. Amanda Rowan explained that they would be, as the only vendors being charged a fee were those of actual businesses. The committee agreed to allow the Buffalo Soldiers and Freedom Foundation Celebration booths.

Amanda Rowan asked the group to reach out to food vendors they may know. At this time there are only 2 confirmed food vendors.

Danny Creamer met with Bruce Crouch, who provided sound in the past. He is unable to work this year due to a prior engagement but recommended Matt Brier. Mr. Creamer has met with Matt and was provided a quote of \$950.00. He is requesting a power box and Danny Creamer will speak with James Denny about that feasibility. Once Danny Creamer gets Matt's contact information, he will pass it along to Amanda Rowan for the City to get a contract out.

Cindy Pederson suggested a giveaway for tickets to the Ziggy Marley concert as a means of obtaining zip codes. Dave Capps explained that his organization is currently not allowed to do giveaways due to the contact involved and the current Covid regulations. This idea will be placed on hold for future events.

Amanda Rowan brought an email from Brookland-Cayce High School's orchestra and guitar class. They would like to perform at the Fall Fest. Logistics will need to be determined in the future. Cindy Pederson made a motion to invite the group, and Robert Cathcart seconded.

Christmas Events:

Amanda Rowan read the list of groups who have confirmed their participation in the Carol event. The Carols events is moving along.

New Business:

Danny Creamer announced that Jonathon Palance has resigned due to schedule conflicts. Mr. Creamer will also reach out to Brianne Siciliano to see if she is still interested in serving on the committee. Mr. Creamer went over the attendance requirements for committees. Cindy Pederson asked if we had any current pending applications. Amanda Rowan was not sure but stated she would check with Mendy Corder back at the office. There is now currently one opening on the Events Committee.

Mr. Creamer reminded the committee the next meeting would be held **September 9, 2021**. Robert Cathcart made a motion to adjourn, Mr. Moore seconded. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Maxine Creamer