

Board Meeting Minutes

Date *Tuesday, March 6, 2018* Costa Mesa City Hall

Time of Opening of Meeting: 6:07 p.m.

Board	Members	Present:
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	☑ Nichole Scott	☐ Additional Board Member
⊠ Mary Fewel	☑ Gerard Ladalardo	☐ Additional Board Member
☑ Dean Abernathy	☑ JoJo Crowley	☐ Additional Board Member
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	☐ Jesus Perez	☐ Additional Board Member
⊠ Mike Carey	☐ Ali Hayes	☐ Additional Board Member
■ Matt Vorona		

City Staff Present:

Jennifer Christ

Guests:

Teresa Drain (Freedom Committee)

Minutes:

Topic	Minutes
Presenter	Gerard Ladalardo
Summary	Board to approve Jan 9, 2018 minutes
Proposal	Approval of Minutes from Jan 9, 2018.
Person to Make Motion	Dean Abernathy
Person to Second Motion	Nichole Scott
Board Approval	Unanimously Approved

Financial Report:

Topic	CMF Funds
Presenter	Mary Fewel
Summary	Review & accept financial report for Dec 2017- Jan 2018
Proposal	Mary gave Gerard Dec 2017 and Jan 2018 fund balances,
Person to Make Motion	Lea Lowe
Person to Second Motion	Mike Carey
Board Approval	Unanimously Approved

Committee Reports:

Topic of Discussion #	1
Topic	Grants Committee Reports
Presenter	Karen Ursini
Proposal	Changes to Grants Committee application
Summary	JoJo revised the grants application,
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	2
Topic	Grants Committee Reports #2
Presenter	Karen Ursini
Proposal	CM Chamber – Les Miller Awards Grant
Summary	Chamber of Commerce event- scholarships at \$100 per student, approx 60-70 students for May 23 or May 24. Requesting\$1,250
Person to Make Motion	Mary Fewel
Person to Second Motion	Lea Lowe
Board Approval	Unanimously Approved

Topic of Discussion #	3
Topic	Grants Committee Reports #3
Presenter	Karen Ursini
Proposal	Costa Mesa Kiwanis- Kelly's Closet Grant
Summary	Karen presented them asking for \$1,5000 for 2018, Nichole questioned if we should give more- board voted to give \$1,750
Person to Make Motion	Mary Fewel
Person to Second Motion	Mike Carey
Board Approval	Unanimously Approved

Topic of Discussion #	4
Topic	Grants Committee Reports #4
Presenter	Karen Ursini
Proposal	OCC Architecture Club
Summary	A build competition with 20+ kids in San Luis Obispo – they are asking for \$1,500
Person to Make Motion	Lea Lowe
Person to Second Motion	Mary Fewel
Board Approval	Unanimously Approved

Topic of Discussion #	5
Topic	Trellis - Love Costa Mesa- Presented by Jennifer Christ
Presenter	Name of Board of Director
Proposal	Looking for Sponsorship and volunteers
Summary	Donation for event (grant or donation discussed) – event located at Canton Park and Fairview Park, Money will be moved from grants to general donation- Silver Sponsorship (\$1,500) Grant from CMF to Love Costa Mesa
Person to Make Motion	Mary Fewel
Person to Second Motion	Dean Abernathy
Board Approval	Unanimously Approved

Topic of Discussion #	6
Topic	Change of transfer of Veterans Memorial Project Fund
Presenter	Name of Board of Director
Proposal	Proposed by Teresa Drain from Freedom Committee
Summary	To be determined on next meeting's agenda
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	7
Topic	Concerts in the Park
Presenter	Mike Carey
Proposal	Bands Selected for 2018 CMF Series
Summary	Band - Desperado, The Fenians, Tijuana Dogs and Flashback heart attack, production costs have risento do sound stage and power. Quote is about \$4,000 per show. Mike mentioned the city "may" split the cost with CMF. Discussed having the Acrobats from CM – they will manage setup, breakdown, etc, not enough information determined by the city of CM.
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	8
Topic	Concerts in the park
Presenter	Mary Fewel
Proposal	Marketing
Summary	Showed the new flyer created by the city. Board members pleased with flyer. Sean from city of CM will update the flyer on one side and sponsor info on backside. Everything will be added to Asana.
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	9
Topic	Concerts In the Park
Presenter	Mary Fewel
Proposal	Sponsor Acquisition
Summary	Breaking into 3 teams to get sponsors -3 team leaders. (Lea, Lisa and Mary are team leaders) Every CMF member goes after at least 1 sponsor. We already have commitments from Sanitary district, Mesa Water and Garcia Chiropractic.
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	10
Topic	Concerts in the Park
Presenter	Mary Fewel
Proposal	Partner Acquisition
Summary	What partners to be our operations partners. Request for Circle K (from OCC) We will get with Jesus for the development of the partners. Discussed eliminating time consumption and effort to continue using multiple groups for raffle—just pick one group for the entire season for entire concert series.
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	11
Topic	Beer & Wine Garden
Presenter	Nichole Scott
Proposal	Extra Volunteers
Summary	We need extra volunteers needed. Nichole mentioned problems renting vans (they smell like beer when returning) To return unused or empties. Celia mentioned her son in law may be able to store the equipment.
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	12
Topic	Set up & Tear Down
Presenter	Dean Abernathy
Proposal	2018 CMF Concert Layout
Summary	New vs old orientation of the event location, 2 new event layouts to decide on one. Some board members to walk the event location tomorrow. City of CM had an internal meeting this previous week.
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	13
Topic	Post Concert Party
Presenter	Mary Fewel
Proposal	Need a Team Leader
Summary	Make sure all invitations, programs, food and event runs smooth, Lisa, Karen, Celia and Jennifer will all share the responsibilities. Odd fellows will provide the dinner again for 2018. Discussed having event again at Hillcrest location, which seems to be optimal. During the week is regarded as best time – Date selected is 6-8pm, Wednesday, Sept 19, 2018
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	14
Topic	Additional Concerts Meetings
Presenter	Mary Fewel
Proposal	Additional meeting
Summary	Next meetings – May 1st: Concert committee meetings -May 15th and June 26th – 6pm in City of CM (our usual room)
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Topic of Discussion #	15
Topic	Concerts in the park
Presenter	Lisa Schultz
Proposal	Get rid of raffle and raffle partners
Summary	Description of the topic as delivered by the presenter.
Person to Make Motion	Lea Lowe
Person to Second Motion	Nichole Scott
Board Approval	Unanimously Approved

Topic of Discussion #	16
Topic	Concerts in the Park
Presenter	JoJo Crowley
Proposal	CMF Website updates
Summary	Reviewed updates on the CMF site, board members profiles. Updates
	on the grants page.
Person to Make Motion	Name of Board of Director
Person to Second Motion	Name of Board of Director
Board Approval	NO VOTE REQUIRED

Closing Statements: Board members happy- working well with the city of CM.

Date of Next Meeting: Tuesday, May 1, 2018

Time of adjournment: 08:04 p.m.