

MINUTES OF
NORTH SALEM REVITALIZATION INC.
May 8, 2024

1. CALL TO ORDER:

The May 8, 2024 meeting of North Salem Revitalization, Inc. was called to order by President Bill Compton at 6:33 pm. He welcomed everyone (sign in sheet attached)

2. PLEDGE/PRAYER

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited and then Bill led the group in prayer.

3. MINUTES:

Bill asked if anyone had any changes/additions to the April minutes. There being none, Aimee made a motion to approve as written; Alissa seconded.

4. TREASURER'S REPORT

John was not present at this meeting.

5. OLD BUSINESS

- A. Parks Grant – Bill let everyone know that he picked up a check for \$9700 for the Parks Grant we were awarded. This will be used to upgrade the electrical at the Park as well as some other things. We will need to publicize all that we do when it is finished. Bill suggested that we get quotes on paving a small section next to the shelter house for handicap parking. Aimee mentioned that Tara Pugliese was looking into the T-Mobile grant as well.
- B. Bingo – another successful bingo was held last month. Bill thinks we cleared around \$800.00. We will look into scheduling bingo in the fall for October and November. Alysha volunteered to run bingo during Old Fashion Days. Alissa did suggest that we make sure to advertise that no one under the age of 18 is legal to play bingo. We will have signs made and post on the door of the Community Building and also publish on social media.
- C. Little Library – Alissa showed photos of the progress of the little library. Mike Russell is building it and it is almost finished. The cost will probably end up being between \$600-\$700. We do have a good start on books to go in it. It was decided to dedicate this library in honor of Tinie Kisner. Corey will have a plaque made. Alissa will also order a stamp to be used on all of the books. Aimee brought in the “other” little library she received. It will be set at the Christian Church next to the blessing box.
- D. Mural – No Update
- E. Sign – it was decided to put this on hold until after the Strawberry Festival.
- F. Strawberry Festival – We will meet at 9:00 am to set up; we have 14 confirmed vendors; Band will be set up by the basketball court and there will be room for line dancing. Venture Church will sponsor a foam zone; Emmanuel Baptist will have a bounce house and cotton candy. We will have strawberries for sale as well. Aimee will send a flyer to Beth for the water bills.

6. NEW BUSINESS

None

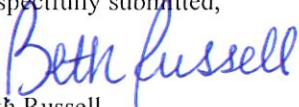
7. OTHER

None.

8. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:13 pm.

Respectfully submitted,



Beth Russell
Secretary