

**MINUTES OF  
NORTH SALEM REVITALIZATION INC.  
SEPTEMBER 11, 2024**

**1. CALL TO ORDER:**

The September 11, 2024 meeting of North Salem Revitalization, Inc. was called to order by President Bill Compton at 6:31 pm. He welcomed everyone (sign in sheet attached).

**2. PLEDGE/PRAYER**

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

**3. MINUTES:**

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

**4. TREASURER'S REPORT**

John presented his report. (see attached)

**5. OLD BUSINESS**

- A. Digital Sign – Almost completed; Bill has the metal in his garage and will work on this after vacation. Someone did say the wording needs to be slowed down a bit.
- B. Park Improvements – Aimee suggested we get decals for the backboards instead of painting on them. Just say “NORTH SALEM” on them. Maybe the same company that did our shirts can do decals. There was talk of getting new benches; Bill suggested that we refurbish old benches that the town has for the park and the Little Library. We also need mulch or something for the library at the Christian Church. Alysha mentioned that she has river rock that we could use. We would need a border to keep it in. Aimee will order more border materials.
- C. Bench for Little Library – see above
- D. Winter Market – There was talk that we no one really had the time to contribute to a winter market. Vicki Cox was in attendance and said that she would assist with this. After much discussion, it was decided to schedule a market for November 6<sup>th</sup> from 5-7 pm and also schedule a market for December 7<sup>th</sup> 10-6 to coincide with Christmas on Pearl Street. Beth will speak with Tammy on possible vendors, etc. The Garden Gate ladies have lots of activities planned for this event.
- E. Bingo – First event scheduled for October 19<sup>th</sup>. We need to check bingo supplies; order popcorn. Prizes are taken care of but we do need MORE VOLUNTEERS!!!!
- F. Mural Update – We have not received the grant money yet. The Bank needs more info on design, etc. Bison was in attendance and said he will put this together; he wants to start project in October if possible.

**6. NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Upcoming Election of Officers and Board Members - Both Alissa and John would like to have someone else take their positions as Vice President and Treasurer. We will also need two new Board Members. Bill and Beth will stay on in their positions.

**7. OTHER**

- A. Aimee is still working on other possible grants. We talked about some paving at the park to make it handicap accessible. Beth will email State Board of Accounts to see if the Town could possibly use money from the MVH Restricted fund for paving.

**8. ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:32 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Beth Russell  
Secretary