

## IRON COUNTY MEMORIAL BUILDING RESTORATION COMMITTEE

Minutes, January 11, 2016

Present: Bill Thomas, Joe Walesewicz, Pat DiLuna, Laverne Morello, Joe Serbin, Judy Nevala, Dorothy Walesewicz, Joe Pinardi, Karen Tenlen

Bill opened the meeting at 5:30. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Pat affirmed that the meeting notices were properly posted.

The minutes from the November 16, 2015 meeting were read. Motion to accept, seconded, and approved.

COMMUNICATIONS: Joe reported that the boiler was inspected and we have a three year permit.

Pest control was here. The source of the fruit flies has been cleaned up but many eggs are still hatching. In the future all cans must be drained before bagging of trash after an event. It is especially a problem in the summer when we can't put the bags outside because of critters which get into things and spread the garbage all over. We use the city dumpsters as often as possible.

Joe has not seen the murals at the old high school because Mr. Giovanni is not available to show them to us. So far Joe hasn't heard from him.

Cookie Laguna will help us out with the furnace problems. He is familiar with the system.

TREASURERS REPORT; The check book has a balance of \$8,196.58 There is a January bill of \$183.00 to pay.

FUNDRAISERS; Dorothy made the suggestion that we have a community fund raiser for Brittany Czarnecki in March—a St. Patrick's Day dinner on Saturday, March 19th. All were in favor. Czarnecki

Joe Pinardi reported that there is a new person in charge of bids at Action Floors. He suggested that if the committee agreed, they would do the floor at cost if they could then use the Memorial Building as an example of their work. Mr. Pinardi will get a price for this project.

NEW BUSINESS: In view of the fact that the bowling alleys are doing a booming business, it was suggested that the Tenlen's should be given a raise. Karen's wages will be raised to \$12.00/hour and Jeff's to \$10.00/hour retroactive to January 1, 2016.

Karen said the alleys need new bowling shoes, especially for the young men who do the bulk of the bowling. Motion made to order shoes, seconded and approved.

New bowling pins will also be needed in the spring. Karen has done the research and gave Joe the figures. Action will be taken after the next budget meeting.

Pat informed the committee that the Range Art Association will be holding the July Art Show at the Memorial Building in Ironwood this year. The original reservation was not secured with a deposit and another reservation was made for the weekend planned.

Joe Serbin reported that the birthday party his family held at the bowling alley was terrific.

Laverne reported that she has many photos regarding the Memorial Building. She has to organize them and will post them on the Facebook page under "events."

Our next meeting will be held at 5:30 on Monday, February 22, 2016 upstairs in the Memorial Building.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:20

Respectfully submitted. Pat DiLuna