

Judith Basin County Fairboard Minutes

7-19-21

Call to order at 5:40 by Chairman Janet Wertheimer. Present were Powell Becker, Sigrid French, Janet Wertheimer, Jason Oltrogge, Brenda McCray, Dawnita Sampsel, Curtis Sampsel, Don Hajenga, and Katie Hatlelid.

The minutes were read and Powell (Sigrid) moved to approve as read. Motion passed

Treasurer's report - \$3,047.04 in the Sale account, and approved for \$10,000 in the supply line

No announcements or public comment

Old Business

Fair

- Wood chips, concrete blocks, fence – Katie will get in touch with the road department to get wood chips delivered, Dawnita will get blocks ordered, and Dawnita and Powell will make sure of the measurements and numbers for the continuous panel fence and gates for the west corner, and East main gate.
- Carcass contest, after discussion, the carcass contest will remain on the rail judged by Marc King on August 24th.
- Campers at fair – some of the 4-H families are going to come and camp for the fair, no action needed, dry camping only.
- Meat delivery will be September 21st.

Fairgrounds improvements

- Jason suggested removing all the antique farm equipment in the parking area on the west side of the fairgrounds to allow for more parking. The rodeo crowd this year was quite large and it looks like it will continue to be. Don will check into who is responsible for it and bring some more info for the next meeting.
- Stampede Club/Stanford Open arena/bleacher upgrade. There are proposed upgrades that are receiving pledges and funding from various sources. We'll have more info as the money becomes available.
- Work day report – the work day went well, there were about 20 people that came and worked. It was pretty hot by 10:30 am and most of the tasks were done then.
- Groundskeeping/management – Jason suggested investigating a camp host type groundskeeper for the fairgrounds in the summer-time.
- Next projects – wait to see what happens with the bleacher upgrade with the Stampede Club/

New Business

- Food booth plumbing – Jason has contacted Ace Plumbing in Lewistown to re-plumb the water in the food booth so that there is more room on the walls for shelving or cabinets to help with the pile of boxes during events.

Next meeting date – Oct 25th at 5:30 pm

Adjourned at 7:05 pm