

Minutes of the Dallesport/Murdock Community Council
June 9, 2011

Flag Salute

Meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm.

Roll Call was taken with 9 out of the 9 council members present. There were 4 people in the audience.

Speaker: No speakers tonight.

Secretary (Ryan): No corrections needed for the May minutes. Elaine motioned to accept the minutes. Renee seconded it.

Correspondence: Trout Lake Arts Council sent a letter asking for 10% of sale for commission.

Reports:

Treasurer's Report (Renee): No income last month. A check was written for Dallesport Elementary School for Dixie cups. Checking account has \$2730.20 in the bank account + \$100.00 in the cash box. We still have a \$60 outstanding check to the Cherry Festival that has yet to be cashed.

4 bills were presented to the council to be paid. The first bill was for \$6.00 for the printing of the vouchers for trash pickup. The 2nd bill was for the canopy banner used at the ice cream sales in the amount of: \$46.22. The 3rd bill presented was for the 2011-2012 website fee in the amount of: \$145.05. The final bill presented was \$67.66 for the trailer tie down/lag bolts/plug for trailer lights and Food Handlers Card.

Ways and Means (Elaine): Trout Lake Festival is July 16 and 17—we need volunteers to sell ice cream. We'll put a notice in the newsletter for volunteers.

Public Relations (Renee): The State Fire Marshall said we had to get individual fire shelters for the fire department. If any business can donate money toward the fire shelters, please contact the Fire Chief.

Beautification (Elaine): Don stated there is a new CEO at Insitu and per the CEO, he will have an answer for where their new campus will be very soon—most likely in July. The Dallesport Trailer Park is pretty unsightly to drive by every day and that could be a factor if Insitu puts their campus here in Dallesport.

Elaine called the owners of the Dallesport Trailer Park and mentioned that we are all concerned about the way the trailer park looks. The owners said they cannot put up a fence because of the grandfather clause—20 feet of the property is owned by the county and it is too expensive to beautify the park.

Lyle School District (Dennis): Graduation was Saturday, June 4 and school gets out on June 10. There are school board meetings every month—the last Thursday of every month.

County Liaison (Don): The county has stepped in and said the barge that is at Ross's landing must be disassembled. Brett Smith is the owner of the demolition company that will be disassembling the barge. The county has received complaints from the Army Corps of Engineers.

Nothing going on with the golf course right now. The county is owed \$58,000 which is the golf course's share of the EIS. The county won't do anything to progress the golf course until it is paid.

Public Comment: Nothing to report

Old Business: Elaine mentioned that Les Schwab gave us bags for the cleanup scheduled for next Saturday. The bags will be available at the airport.

At the May 16th Planning Board Meeting, we asked our letter be passed on—unchanged. The Planning Board changed our letter and didn't take our suggestions. They passed on their own letter. The Board will look at both letters. Proposal afoot to change what we have now—mother-in-law/hardship—temporary dwelling is supposed to go away. There are so many illegal dwellings that the county said the law needs to be rewritten.

New Business: Nothing to report

Meeting was adjourned at 8 pm

Respectfully Submitted,

Ryan Herweck, Secretary