# Long Prairie Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting Minutes for March 24, 2021

### Meeting called to order at 4:30pm

In Attendance: Director Luan Thomas-Brunkhorst, President Clara Vancura, Vice-president Teresa Sorenson, Secretary Ashley Gray, Board Member Jodi Dixon

Agenda Reviewed, "b. EDA contract and c. Sorcewell Intern" added to new business. <u>Motion to approve</u> by Clara, Second by Ashley. Motion carried.

Minutes from February 24<sup>th</sup> regular meeting. <u>Motion to approve made by Clara, second by Jodi. Motion</u> <u>carried</u>

February Financial Report Reviewed, Motion to approve by Ashley, second by Jodi. Motion carried.

2021 Annual Budget Reviewed, Motion to approve by Ashley, second by Teresa. Motion carried.

New chamber members added in March were Enterprise CP, Eternal Arrangements by Erin, Lending Hands Community Services, Freshwater – joining in July

No external presentations

Directors Report: 30 new Facebook page likes since previous meeting

#### **Old Business**

Josiah joined the meeting

Discussed GMLP virtual breakfast hosted with Todd Wadena Electric, non-profit TBD. River of Life will host May 20, 2021.

Six members have responded to the survey – once all responses are gathered we will discuss possibly changing the meeting time.

Lu has still been in discussion with Diane Brandes regarding the Craft Fair – no contract has been drafted yet, but Phil has assisted Lu is opening a separate Quickbooks account to keep things separate.

Lu and Jodi have been working on collecting funds for the welcoming committees grant. About \$5,000.00 short of what is needed for the pavilion.

#### New Business

Prairie Days and Concert in the Park are coming up quickly – still needing about \$6,000.00 in donations for Prairie Days and about \$5000.00 for Concert in the Park.

Clara will update existing contract to reflect new dates with no other changes. Will continue to postpone hiring an assistant.

Lu will send out more information about a potential summer intern through Sourcewell.

## Meeting Adjourned 5:29pm

Respectfully Submitted 3/24/2021

Ashluy Gray