

Dixon Tourism Board

Tuesday, August 15th, 2023 at 4:30 PM

Dixon Tourism Board met Tuesday, August 15th, 2023, 4:30 PM. Board members in attendance were Mandy Fambrough, Monica Duncan, Lori Hayes. Nicole Peavy and Jonathon Peavy were in attendance via FaceTime. Attending guests were Wendall and Amanda Piercefield.

Mandy called the meeting to order.

Minutes were approved from July 18th. Lori made the motion, seconded by Monica, all ayes.

Old Business was discussed on the Back to School Bash at Baker Park. We had free hotdogs, chips and drinks for the community. We also had free school supplies to hand out to the kids going back to school. We had drawings for a boy backpack filled with school supplies and a girl backpack filled with school supplies, 2 can koozies and a boy and girl beach towel. We had a good turnout and the kids enjoyed the splash park while chilling and giving us good entertainment with some singing and dance lessons. Leftover supplies will be donated to the Dixon Elementary school.

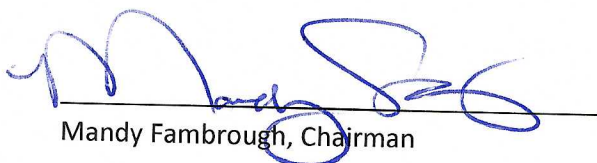
The board is continuing working on Veteran's Day Celebration. Mandy has worked on getting entertainment and Past Nine and Sara Brewer & Willie G. They have agreed to do the entertainment between 1-3PM on Nov. 4th. Lori has been calling and getting food and sales vendors to set up for the celebration. The vendor fee for all vendors will be \$30.00 Lori is making great progress in getting some great vendors to set up for our event. Monica is getting the parade lineup and is still awaiting calls to join the parade. Monica has made good progress on getting attendees for the parade. Lori has suggested that we look into trying to get a 501-C3 or check into some kind of gaming license to special events for the community. Monica made a motion, Lori seconded, all ayes.

The discussion on having a Grill and Chill fundraiser: the board has decided due to the lack of volunteers and participation that it would be best to cancel at this time and focus on the 1st Annual Veteran's Day Celebration. Monica made a motion, seconded by Lori, all ayes.

New business started with the discussion on when we need to get a flyer out to let the community know when the 1st Annual Veteran's Day Celebration will be and what kind of events we are having. We have added a Red, White and Blue baby and teen contest. Monica made a motion, Nicole 2nd, all ayes.

Next meeting will be held on September 5th @ 4:30PM at the Webster County Senior Center. Monica made a motion, Nicole 2nd, all ayes.

Monica made the motion to adjourn, Nicole 2nd, all ayes.


Mandy Fambrough, Chairman


Barbara Goff, City Clerk