COULEE CORRIDOR CONSORTIUM

Meeting Minutes

August 21, 2015

Last Stand Restaurant

Coulee City, WA

Those present were Tim Alling, Chair; Mark Amara, 1st V. Chair; Ken Caylor, 2nd V. Chair; Barb Caylor, Treasurer and Acting Secretary; Denis Felton, Dyana Crummett, Rick Heiberg, Roger Krug, John Moody, Jim Pritchard, Nell Kovach, and Sharon Moody.

The meeting was called to order by Chair Tim Alling at 12:27 pm.

Introductions were made around the table.

The minutes were reviewed from July 17, 2015. A few typo corrections were noted. Mark Amara moved, Jim Pritchard seconded to accept the minutes with corrections. Motion passed. Barb Caylor agreed to be acting secretary for this meeting.

The Grant County Fair is now in Moses Lake at the fairgrounds.

‘Rails to Trails’ is in progress.

Masquers Theater’s Fall musical is “Sweeny Todd”. Sept. 12 is Masquers’ Fall Open House.

Connell started a new mural on the Post Office. A celebration will be in September.

September 12 is the Quincy Farmers Appreciation Day. There will be talks, tours, and videos on the Ice Age Floods. The Soap Lake Conservancy meets on the 12th at 9:30 am at Soap Lake Senior Center. The Lower Grand Coulee Chapter-Ice Age Floods Institute will meet on the 12th at the High School Auditorium in Quincy at 11:30ish.

The Adams County Fair is September 16-19 in Othello. Coulee Corridor will have a booth there. Lloyd Stoess from Washtucna will join us in our booth with info on starting a new chapter of the Ice Age Floods Institute. The proposed loop just needs some finalizing on paperwork.

The Good Sam Club Book has a three page ad on the Coulee Corridor National Scenic Byway that is paid for by the advertisers in the book. They will run the ad in the 2016 book with some enhancing and adding the Flood Scene Investigator portion.

Mark Amara motioned, Roger Krug seconded to approve the agenda. Motion passed.

There is $1174.33 in the checking account. One invoice for the P.O.Box was presented to paid. Mark Amara motioned and Rick Heiberg seconded to approve the $50.00 for the yearly box rental. Motion was approved.

The 2005 grant committee reports that Gray & Osborne is back on board as the engineering firm. Larry Julius’ contract was ok’d. Bids need to be in by December 1. Denis Felton will choose pictures on Flick’r. WSDOT will work with Coulee Corridor and the Confederated Tribes on the project. Mark Amara is volunteering his expertise also.

The Seriously Social Byway Workshop is being held at Sun Mountain Lodge on Sept 30-Oct 2. Anyone who wants to attend must do so on their own.

The Grand Coulee Visitor Center display about the 1912 Geological Tour will run 2 ½ years.

Newsletter articles must be in to Mark ASAP.

Hotel/Motel Tax applications for 2016 must be in by September 30, 2015. There are also Port Districts we can contact.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:22 pm.

The next meeting is at Koala Street Grill in Omak on September 18, 2015.

Oct. 16 Mardon Beachhouse Restaurant

November 20 Ephrata Mommie Yum Yum’s

December 18 Soap Lake Don’s Restaurant

Respectfully Submitted by,

Barb Caylor, Acting Secretary