

Village of Downers Grove
Community Events Commission
Committee Room
Downers Grove Village Hall
February 21, 2019

PRESENT: Mr. Dave Humphreys, Mr. Mike Kubes, Ms. Andrea Knudsen, Mr. Scott Jacaway, Ms. Soraya Faber, Ms Erin Venezia

STAFF: Ms. Jennifer Rizzo

ABSENT: Mr. John Aquzino, Ms. Nicole Szydowski

Guest: Elizabeth O'Toole, Lisa Rasin, Troy Johnson, Elena Falco

Mr. Humphreys called the meeting to order at 5:33 pm.

APPROVAL OF THE NOVEMBER 8 MEETING MINUTES

Mr. Humphreys asked if anyone had any additions or corrections to the minutes as presented. A few typos were pointed out and corrections were made. Mr. Kubes made the motion to approve, Ms. Venezia second the motion.

I. PUBLIC COMMENT

None

II. NEW BUSINESS

a. Downers Grove Rotary Grove Festival –

Ms. Rasin spoke about that this is the 10th anniversary of the Rotary Festival. Will open the festival with a concert on Thursday night. It will be Dennis DeYoung. The tickets will be sold in advance for \$35.00. The concert will be held in the beer garden and will be closed and signage will be posted as a private event. Ride preview will also be occurring. Mr. Jacaway about the hours for the concert. The concert will be from 7 pm to 10 pm. Ms. Rasin did advise that there will be food vendors within the beer garden area.

Mr. Kubes mad the motion to approve, Ms. Knudsen seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved.

b. District 58 Educational Foundation Oktoberfest –

Ms. O'Toole advised that this is the 6th year of the Oktoberfest, and will be held again on Friday & Saturday September 13th & 14th. These days worked well last year so it will continue this year. No change in the overall footprint. Mr. Jacaway made the motion to approve, Mr. Kubes second the motion. The motion was unanimously approved.

III. STAFF REPORT

Ms. Rizzo advised that she will have the YMCA for the Farmer's Market here for the next month. Ms Venezia will also have her items to present.

IV. OLD BUSINESS

Mr. Humphrey's asked about the Ice Festival Ms. Venezia advised it was very successful and that the weather cooperate and that some of the sculptures are still up and on display.

V. ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Knudsen made the motion to adjourn, Mr. Kubes second the motion. The motion was unanimously approved. Meeting was adjourned at 6:05 pm.