

Divide Chamber of Commerce
Monthly Meeting Minutes: Wednesday, August 11th, 2021
Historic Midland Depot Meeting

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Board Role Call:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Business</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
Peter Hintze	RDK Small Engine Repair	President	Present
Dave Martinek	Dave Martinek Realty	Vice President	Present
Peter Hintze	RDK Small Engine Repair	Acting Treasurer	Present
Bunny Sabula	Cordillero	Secretary	Present
Joe Kain	Ancestral Arts	Director	Present
Robert Kowell	RDK Small Engine	Director	Present
Lee Taylor	Edward Jones	Director	Present
Jeff Wheeler	Yonder Mountain Wood	Director	Absent

Members Present: none

Meeting was called to order by Peter Hintze/RDK Small Engine at 6:00PM

OLD BUSINESS:

GREAT DIVIDE KITE FLIGHT: Scheduled for Sat, Aug 28th from 9AM-1PM. SET-UP is 8:30AM. Still awaiting approval on flyer from WPSD so we can distribute to the 3 local elementary schools to add to kid's bookbags. Awaiting confirmation from Masonic Lodge that they can accommodate the new date for hosting their Child ID program. Jeff Wheeler/Yonder Mountain Wood working with TCRAS for pet adoption that day. Dave Martinek/Dave Martinek Realty had dialog with Renee/Teller Co Sheriff's office for Posse to possibly join us. Peter Hintze/RDK Small Engine Repair notified Divide Fire Dept for a fire truck but they could not commit yet. Dave Martinek/Dave Martinek Realty to contact County Commissioner Eric Stone if he wants to attend the event. We have had no response from Shriner's for Patches the Clown. Dave Martinek/Dave Martinek Realty submitted article for local newspapers and received confirmation Pikes Peak Courier will run the story week of Aug 18th.

Lee Taylor/Edward Jones advised he has confirmed that some members of the Kiwanis will attend and help out at the event also. He also confirmed Edward Jones will be donating kites, snacks & water as usual. Dave Martinek/Dave Martinek Realty will be donating a child's bike again this year.

Peter Hintze/RDK Small Engine Repair to bring the Chamber donation jar but we won't try to sell T-shirts or Bumper Stickers this year.

DIVIDE SIGN: Dave Martinek/Dave Martinek Realty updated us that everything is currently on hold while everyone is so busy gearing back up.

CHRISTMAS IN DIVIDE: Continued discussion about this event. Peter Hintze/RDK Small Engine Repair has submitted application to WPSD for the event. Bunny Sabula has confirmed with Summit Elementary that they are excited to hold the event again this year. It would be Saturday, Nov 13th from 9AM – 2PM. Joe Kain/Ancestral Arts advised the Masonic Lodge has a large facility that is available for rent if School district won't allow Summit to host us. Continued discussion about finding another Santa & Lee Taylor/Edward Jones to reach out to Santa from Breakfast with Santa/Kiwanis event. We agreed we will need parents to take pictures with their cell phones this year & we can have a Chamber member assist them with the photos. Bunny Sabula/Secretary to work with Summit Elementary PTSO group to see if they want to do a Bake Sale because Chamber won't & if they want to sell food again this year. Continued discussion about how to secure items for Silent Auction.

NEW BUSINESS:

INSURANCE: Peter Hintze/RDK Small Engine Repair confirmed both Insurance policies are paid & current for the year.

FACEBOOK PAGE: There are currently over 800 people signed up on the Community Facebook page.

NEXT MEETING:

MONTHLY MEETING: Wed, Sept 8th @ 6PM at Historic Midland Depot building.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting was adjourned at 6:50 PM.

Respectfully submitted: Bunny Sabula – Secretary, Divide Chamber of Commerce