

**Divide Chamber of Commerce**  
Monthly Meeting Minutes: Wednesday, July 13th, 2022  
Historic Midland Depot Meeting

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**Board Role Call:**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Business</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Attendance</u>
Dave Martinek	Realty by Dave Martinek	President	Present
Dave Martinek	Realty by Dave Martinek	Acting Vice President	Present
Peter Hintze	RDK Small Engine Repair	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	Absent

**Members Present:** Angie Davis/TCRAS

Meeting was called to order by Dave Martinek/Realty by Dave Martinek at 6:10 PM.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

**WEBSITE MAINTENANCE:** Chamber site is being maintained & updated. We've not heard of any issues.

**WELCOME TO DIVIDE SIGN:** Progress continues on dismantling/repairing the collapsed sign & bent metal. Carl Anderson/Anderson Construction to continue to update on progress. Dave Martinek/Realty by Dave Martinek may request some volunteers in the next week or so to assist removing letters from the backer.

**DIVIDE HIGHWAY CLEAN-UP:** Another successful clean-up day with about 12 people in attendance. Pizza was supplied by Divide Chamber and water/juice was supplied by Lee Taylor/Edward Jones. Waste Management donated the dumpster.

**CHRISTMAS IN DIVIDE:** Request for reservation of dates has been submitted to WPSD but not confirmed yet. Event date will be Sat, Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>. Bob Kowell/RDK Small Engine Repair might be our Santa & we will just

have parents take their own pictures. We will inquire if SOS Parent group will offer a bake sale or lunches like in the past.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

**GREAT DIVIDE KITE FLITE** will be Saturday, Aug 20<sup>th</sup> from 9AM-1PM at Divide Hayden Park. Lee Taylor/Edward Jones confirmed Kiwanis will join us again & will cover us on their insurance. He also confirmed someone from Teller County Posse will be available. Bunny Sabula is in contact with Divide Fire Department & they are working on a truck & a Child Safety officer. TCRAS to participate & possibly have their Rescue-mobile and Shriner's to send a clown. We also extended invitation to Masonic Lodge Child ID's program & Choices in Woodland Park. Mountain Dogs & Breakfast Sandwiches to have his food truck & donate any profits to Divide Chamber. Kiwanis to post to their Facebook page & Peter Hintz/RDK Small Engine Repair to post to our Community Facebook page. Dave Martinek/Realty by Dave Martinek to write a short story for the newspaper. Peter Hintz/RDK Small Engine Repair to create ¼ page ad for Courier & a few color flyers to post in Divide. If Lee Taylor/Edward Jones secured banners, we will put up at the Midland Depot building. As always, any Chamber member wishing to participate with their own booth/tent to distribute information about their business is welcome.

**AUGUST MEETING/BBQ POTLUCK:** Next meeting will be Wed, August 10<sup>th</sup> at Historic Midland Depot Building at 6PM. Members & a guest are welcome - it's a great way to network with everyone. Chamber to supply burgers, dogs, buns, soda & water. Each member is requested to bring a side or a dessert. There will be a "Best Potato Soup" competition !

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

**MIDLAND DAYS** is Saturday, Sept 10<sup>th</sup> from 9AM-4PM @ John Wesley Ranch. They are looking for volunteers to assist with food service the day of the event.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Meeting was adjourned at 6:45 PM.

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