

Fourth of July Commission Minutes
Meeting October 26, 2005

Present: Cheryl Schober, Carol Nowak, Nancy Perkins, Joan Campione, Chris Sobczak, John Burke, John Ziino

Excused: Anida Rose, Mark Schroeder, Nancy Bertsch, Jim Belland, Ald. Ament

--Meeting called to order at 7:40pm by Cheryl Schober

--**Minutes** – John Burke moved to approve the minutes of the September 14 meeting. Chris Sobczak seconded. Passed.

--**Staff Reports** – no reports

--**CFC Report** – Nancy P. and Cheryl attended the monthly meeting. One church reported they got rid of pitchers and sold more beer overall. The trade show will be the end of January at Serb Hall. Membership dues are now on the calendar year and still \$70. Nancy Perkins moved to pay the \$70.00 membership dues to CFC. Carol Nowak seconded. Passed.

Celebration 2006

--**Theme-** ideas for 2006: Frolic in the Park II

Working Together for Freedom

America...Working Together

America...United We Stand

One Land, One Hope, One Country

After discussion the consensus was **America...Working Together.**

--**Budget, fund raising and sponsorships** – Cheryl will email the commission a list of the thank you plaque recipients.

--**Public relations** – no report

--**Signs** – no report

--**July 2** – discussed opening all of the grounds on the 2nd since there are many venues we need to fit into the whole festival and there were a lot of people on the grounds in 2005. Cheryl passed out 2005 schedule and 2006 to see where things would fit. Chris suggested have it a Family Day. Nancy P. suggested doing the pie judging at 2pm. Suggestion to do something at the main tents for families but aimed more for adults (HS Battle of Bands will stay at west tent and the carnival will be open – maybe with a wristband special). Cheryl emailed the WI Singers and Carol will contact Sue Cesar/Pro Health Regency for the cookies and juice. John Z. will contact a Lions group re: a tent (size and price) and Cheryl will contact the Muskego Iceonauts re: their tent. Cheryl will talk to the major concessions re: them opening on July 2.

--**Fireworks** – no report

--**Children's entertainment** – Mini Parade suggested to hold afternoon of 7/2

--Flashlight Candy Hunt on 7/3

--work on schedule next month

--**Games** – discussed fees and consensus to add that if a group wants to sell/do something on the grounds without a booth there would be a \$50 fee (i.e. glow

necklaces). Discussed having all vendors check-in each day at control headquarters for their 'Vendor Pass' for better control of who is on the grounds.

--**Carnival** – sug. having wristband special on 7/2

--**Concessions** – Cheryl will redo letters and forms

--**Entertainment** – Cheryl gave report from W.O.W. Consumer Giveaway. The Toys are not available for the festival. Cheryl will check on Flipsyde and Love Monkeys. Need to send out for bids on the main stage light and sound packages.

--**Main parade** – Cheryl will redo the forms and letters and get them in the mail before the end of the year. Need to look at overall staging on National Avenue for safety reasons

--**Grounds** - no report

--**Adjournment** at 9:15pm

Submitted by

Cheryl Schober

7/4 Coordinator

Next meeting on Wednesday, November 30, 2005, at 7:00pm