



## Minutes from the April 15, 2021 Friends of Atascadero Lake Board Meeting

Present: Don Lynge, Bob Edmonds, Dick and Wendy Pierce, Paul Murphy, Olan and Dena Kaigel, Mark and Kathy Hontz, Barbara Combs, Nancy Hair. Guests: Clyde Snyder

- Approval of the October 14, 2020 Board Meeting
- Treasurer's Report, Olan Kaigel: Beginning balance as of 03/01/2021 \$38,424.55, Deposits \$452.00, Withdrawals \$613.01, leaving and ending balance as of 03/31/2021 of \$38,263.54. This money also includes sponsorships for LakeFest 2020. Don Lynge suggested we keep accounting of a separate reserve fund from monies collected from the Tamale Festival.
- Election of Officers: We reviewed our By-Laws and the board felt we did not have to change anything regarding the duration an officer is on the board as they are elected every year. Dena Kaigel nominated, and Barbara Combs seconded to have Mark Hontz as our new board president, all agreed. Dick Pierce nominated, and Bob Edmonds seconded that Don Lynge would remain our Vice President, Paul Murphy nominated, and Bob Edmonds seconded that Olan Kaigel will remain as Treasurer, Nancy Hair will remain as Acting Secretary. Bob Edmonds has been a wonderful president and is appreciated by all for his work as our President.
- LakeFest/Children's Day in the Park 2020, Nancy Hair: After a short discussion Don Lynge made the motion to postpone LakeFest until 2022, Paul Murphy seconded, all agreed. Nancy Hair met with Lisa Fraiser and Carrie Collins at Link Family Resource center and after much discussion they were all in agreement that 2022 would be a better year to move forward with LakeFest. Lisa said she is going to get her board more involved this year to make it a wonderful event for the whole community. The new date is July 16, 2022.
- Lake Perimeter Signage, Nancy Hair: Nancy brought that someone told her there are a few lake residents that are voicing their concerns about the lake path signs. They felt 10 signs are way too many and would change the "flavor" of the lake. In fact, some did not want any signs placed around the lake path. The board discussed this. The next two sign are on the history of Atascadero Lake and will

be placed in an area that will not be obstructing any lake residents view and be “tucked into” an area that already has benches. The next sign will be on the hydrology of the lake (where does Atascadero Lake get its water, how does the creek feed the lake, what are those white balls with the bubbles around them, etc?). After that sign is complete and situated, we will re-visit more signs. It was also agreed that a sponsor will be able to make quarterly payments for the sponsorship and will be able to share the sponsorship with another person or business.

- Well Agreement with the City: When Friends of Atascadero Lake approached the City about drilling a well for Atascadero Lake and we were given the OK, the City presented us with an Agreement between the City of Atascadero and Friends of Atascadero Lake. This agreement had to be agreed upon in order to use the well. The agreement has verbiage that makes Friends of Atascadero Lake carry all the liability for the well, water, pipe etc. Friends of Atascadero Lake will form a committee from board members to go over and review this agreement. After they complete the review, they will meet with the City of Atascadero as to how we can release ourselves from the liability. We have worked very well with the City of Atascadero and we appreciate the good job that contributes to health and beauty of Atascadero Lake. The reality is that the City owns the lake and should carry all liability responsibility.
- Round Table: Barbara Combs suggested we ask the City to clean the channel of weeds where the well water enters the lake. It is so clogged it impedes the flow of water.