

Minutes of Friends of Atascadero Lake Board Meeting August 16, 2016

Present Members Paul Murphy, Don Lynge, Olan Kaigel, Barbara Combs, Jon Trumbull; Guests Ron and Marilyn Blackwell

Guests Presented views about condition of lake and questioned city's commitment to lake water level and water condition; we suggested they share their ideas with city council and city staff.

Treasurer Report Olan Kagel stated that the current account balance was \$53,090.25.

Lakebed and Perimeter Cleanup for Fall and 8/22 Scheduled Meeting with City Discussed City meeting topics including creek pipeline repair status and winter preparations, and discussed asking city to pay for cleanup, especially island and lakebed weeds by hired crew, with emphasis on fire hazard. Consensus that crew would be quicker, cheaper, and cleaner than goats.

LakeFest Committee Meeting Report Discussed possible year 2 dates; aiming at late May or early September, but many conflicts with other events and concerns; still checking with Terrie, Bonnie, and Patti. Not doing 4th of July. Discussed beer sales improvement ideas, including location, and sales by breweries who donate %). We also discussed Chili Cook Off idea and radio-based publicity improvements.

Chamber Business Expo Decided not to attend due to cost effectiveness concerns (\$250).

Kiosk Plaque Replacement Voted to pursue replacement, cost \$114.

Paul's Closing Ideas Paul suggested devoting a few minutes at each meeting's close for each member to mention ideas/concerns not on the agenda. He spoke a bit about Julie's tree report; he spoke about nametags, and we voted to buy them; he spoke about our \$100 donation to Lake Park Mgr. Chris's son's 3-on-3 basketball team fundraiser.