

Caspar Community Board Meeting
Virtual Meeting
October 1, 2021

Board Members:

Present: Dalen Anderson, Ariana Bayer, Rochelle Elkan, Robert Frey, Annie Lee, Paul Reiber, Paul Schulman

Absent: Glenn Rude

Quorum present? Yes

Others Present: Sienna M Potts

Proceedings

1. Meeting was called to order at 9 am by President Paul Reiber.
2. Minutes: 9/17 minutes were approved.
3. Changes to the Agenda: none.
4. Community comments and input:
Judy Tarbell reported that the remaining Caspar Cattle Company land, the parcel surrounding the Community Center and including the duck pond across the highway, has been purchased by Michael St. John. Paul Schulman will invite Michael to the next Board meeting
5. Correspondence:
A letter from Andy Coren, MD, Public Health Officer ([read the letter](#)), informed us that, as a business that serves food, we must display signs explaining what precautions we are taking to limit the spread of COVID. Sienna will ask Lea to follow up when she returns to work.
6. Committee and Staff Reports
 - A. Office Manager, Event Manager
Sienna reported that our phone service is switched over to Ooma VoiP service. Cancellation of our AT&T lines is in process but charges should be stopped as of 9/24. The fire alarm is turned off.
Lea will return from vacation on October 8.
 - B. Finance/Treasurer
Nothing to report.
Next Finance Committee meeting will be in late October.
 - C. Caspar Community Garden
Nothing to report.
Next Garden Committee meeting is November 4, 2 pm.
 - D. Facilities
Paul Schulman fixed the leaks in the water line. Bob suggested turning the valve to the rear tank off to hold water in reserve separate from the front tank.
No Facilities Committee meeting scheduled.
 - E. Fundraising/Marketing
Virtual Auction will start Saturday, November 13, at noon, and run through Saturday, November 27, at 8 pm. Pick up days for auction items will be November 28 & 29 from 11 am to 3 pm. Donations deadline is November 8, but late donations may be accepted.
No Fundraising Committee meeting scheduled.

F. Community Planning/Development

A Community Potluck was tentatively scheduled for October 24th. Ariana met with Janet Self about the water tank art project. Janet has connected with Lynn Prentice and other artists in Caspar. Options are to create guidelines for community involvement, to work with artists on individual panels, or a cohesive design with cooperative participation. Board will approve design and Janet will supervise contributions.

Nothing to report on the gorse eradication project.

No Community Meeting scheduled.

G. Human Resources

No Human Resources Committee meeting scheduled.

H. Preparedness

Annie reported that there is still community concern about the locked gates on Road 500. She will write to Robert Horvat again. An online Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) class will be available and information will be shared with our emailing list. Caspar Prepared HAM operators are participating in the Great ShakeOut earthquake drill on 10/21. Paula Glessner will be administering the communication tests at the Center. Electricity to the trailer was requested to help with mold issues. A conduit from the garage would be costly. Moving the trailer close to the pump house would be unsightly and the ground is very wet there. Bob has already prepared a proposal for self-contained solar power.

Next Preparedness Meeting is October 25, 7 pm.

Board meeting adjourned at 10 am.

Meeting minutes respectfully submitted by Sienna M Potts.

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