

St. Michael Parish Council

Meeting Minutes

9/1/20

Members Present: Bob Hegeman, Christine Hasseler, Lee Lauster, Chris Taylor, RoseMary Strub, Gina Donnelly, Gina Porter, Henry Banker, Cody Acquista, June Sherman

Members Absent: Lynn Poiesz, Father Tedesche

Opening Prayer: Lee Lauster

Outgoing Members: Outgoing members Carmella Owen, Bridget Mann and Pauline Decann were recognized and thanked for their years of service to the Parish Council

New Members: New members to the parish Council were introduced. Gina Donnelly, Gina Porter and Henry Banker begin their term and will end in 2023. Carmella took pictures of the new members for posting in the gathering space of the Church.

Addresses, phone numbers, Conflict of Interest Forms: All members present updated phone numbers, email addresses and Conflict of Interest forms. Members that were absent will have information updated prior to next meeting

Election of Officers: For 2020-2021 Parish Council. Meeting minutes will still be sent to Carmella Owen who will post to the Diocese website after approval.

- Chair: Lee Lauster
- Vice Chair: Chris Taylor
- Secretary: Chris Hasseler

Meeting Schedule: Meeting/Prayer Schedule was distributed to all members. Parish Council meetings will be held monthly on the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 PM in the Church Hall . The exception is the October meeting which will be September 29 and is a joint meeting between the Parish and Finance Councils.

Other Items:

- Rummage Sale will be held in October. Volunteers are already sorting for the event. Other Parishes have had their Rummage sales and have managed the Covid restrictions by controlling the number of people admitted to the site and having different enter and exit points.
- Bob updated the Council on maintenance projects in the Parish. New insulation has been installed in the Parish Center. New LED lights have also been installed in the Church. A rebate for the new LED lights will be coming from NYSEG.

- June updated on the Church renovation. At this time due to COVID there is no progress from where we were in the spring. A Capital Campaign to help fund the renovation will still be forthcoming once the renovation plans are clearer.
- Lee asked the Council to think of projects for the Council to take on this year. Some ideas are updating the Parish Volunteer Booklet and fund raising.

Closing Prayer: Lee Lauster

Our next meeting will be Tuesday 9/29/20 at 6:30 PM in the Church Hall.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lee Lauster