

Board Meeting Minutes November 21st, 2024

Present: Tyler Schroeder, Derek Wiebe, Leah Olsen, Zoria Constantino, Stéphan Warnock, Clare

Agnew

Regrets: Connie Pauls, Derek Hamilton, Brent Laverty, Mariyam Tsygankova

Welcome and Call to Order at 12:19pm

Agenda: MOTION: D. Wiebe/L. Olsen. To adopt the agenda as presented. CARRIED.

Conflicts of Interest: nothing noted.

Minutes: MOTION: Z. Constantino/D. Wiebe. To adopt October 24, 2024, board meeting

minutes as presented. CARRIED.

Treasurer's Report: Motion: S. Warnock/L. Olsen. To adopt the Treasures report as circulated. **Member Feedback:** businesses participating in Wrapping Up A Morden Christmas were very pleased with the evening. City asked for our event dates to put in their calendar.

Executive Director Report. Report provided. Clare updated the sponsorship drive information. Shared Jerome the Gnome program for December. YRYV event: Clare to work with Tyler on more follow-up on this event. Regional strategy on post-secondary education. Is there an opportunity and what role can the Chamber play?

Committee Reports:

- Advocacy & Governance: Suncatch: Clare and Stéph to provide an action plan and next steps.
- Member Services: no report provided
- Networking, Events & Promotions: no report provided
- Executive: meeting minutes attached. Will be including Strategic Planning to next year's budget.
- Chairperson: discussed throughout the agenda.

New Business

- Correspondence: Nothing received.
- New Board Member: refer to the Advocacy & Governance Committee

Old Business

Exploring New Revenue Streams – nothing further at this time.

Adjourn: Z. Constantino/D. Wiebe. CARRIED.

Next Board Meeting: Dec. 19th, 2024

Upcoming Events: January 30 - Morden Chamber of Commerce Business Awards Banquet

March 7 - International Women's Day Luncheon

April 10 - Morden Chamber of Commerce AGM & State of the City Address

June 5 - Morden Chamber Nine & Dine golf tournament November 20 - Wrapping Up A Morden Christmas