

VILLAGE OF LAKEVIEW
DDA Meeting Minutes
May 27, 2020

Jonaitis called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Members Present: Ed Jonaitis, Ranny Leppink, Raymi Sunabe, Greg Mckenna, Bill Helmer, Kevin Griffith, Dave Lund and Paul Mesman

Members Absent: Barb Huttinga

Also Present: Village Manager, Darin K. Dood, Melissa King

Public comments: None

Lund moved and Griffith seconded to approve minutes from February 19, 2020 as presented. Motion carried.

Manager Report – Manager Dood added to his report that he would like to look at ways to utilize the Bollinger’s lot for other events now that the grant is no longer available.

Manager Dood has corresponded with the company that builds the floating docks. He will check out their website for design possibilities and will work on getting updated quotes.

Manager Dood would like to purchase 20 picnic tables to disperse among the restaurants in Lakeview. The picnic tables would be exactly like the tables currently located in the downtown area. This would help the restaurants gain the seating needed to follow the guidelines set in place from the Governor. The Liquor Control Commission is also working with businesses so they can temporarily serve alcohol outdoors. The Restaurant owners have agreed to sanitize the tables between uses. These tables could also be utilized for other events like Memorial Day, Summerfest, and Music in the Park. The idea to have local restaurants run a special during MIP and then have the seating available for the patrons to eat their take-out could be a win for everyone.

Business: Griffith moved and Leppink seconded to authorize Manager Dood to spend up to \$25,000 for picnic tables and anything else he feels is needed to help the local businesses. Motion carried.

Manager Dood asked if there were any other ideas for helping our business community during these hard times. Lund mentioned that the postal service is offering a postcard size mailing for 19 cents. It would be a great way to advertise the local businesses. Advertising for the gift card blitz or maybe take-out for MIP were ideas.

Leppink moved and Griffith seconded to adjourn meeting at 7:18 P.M. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Melissa King
Village Clerk