

Wytheville Farmers Market
Meeting Minutes
March 12th 2020

The regular meeting of the Wytheville Farmers Market was called to order at 6:32 p.m. on March 12th 2020 at the Wytheville Farmer's Market building by Emily Davis.

Present

Shawn Boucher, Judy Buck, Alvin Cassell, Emily Davis, Rick Knack, DeeDee Thigpen, Greg Smith, Matthew Taylor-Laine, Bradley Yoder

Approval of Agenda

The agenda was unanimously approved as distributed.

Approval of Minutes

The January minutes were unanimously approved. Rick made the motion, Judy seconded.

Treasurer's Report

The treasures report for January were unanimously approved as presented by Judy. Rick made motion, Alvin seconded).

Market Manger's Report

Greg discussed the numbers he tracks.

The front garage good is broken. Greg let the town know. The part is on order. The town is paying for it.

Community Connection is April 2nd. Greg will have coffee samples and brochures to hand out.

Greg is still waiting to see if we can find someone to make cornhole boards for the market. His contact is not responding.

Assistant Manager Report

Matt has 6 fundraisers planned for the upcoming season:

May 23 Chili/Soup Cookoff

July 18 Hamburger/Hotdog plates

Aug. 15 Pie/Cake Cookoff

Sept 12 Corn Roasting & Cornhole

Oct 10 Cider Day

Oct 24 Holiday Food Drive

Old Business

Several people read to students for Ag In The Classroom (Rick, Donna, Danielle, Emily).

New Business

The Mobile Dairy Classroom will be at the market for Dairy Day on June 20.

The regular market on July 4th will include events around town and live music.

Greg is in talks with the town about renovating the kitchen area.

We may get money from a USDA grant for replacing the rear windows.

The market will operate as usual until the Health Department gives recommendations.

We will call an emergency meeting if the Health Department puts out recommendations for COVID 19 to decide if we need to cancel the market for a few weeks.

Agenda for Next Meeting

April 9th at 6:30 p.m. at the WFM building.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:23.

Minutes submitted by: Shawn Boucher

Approved by: WFM Board